



PRESS RELEASE

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SECOND 2023 UNIVERSITY OF MALAWI CONGREGATION

The University of Malawi wishes to inform its graduands and the general public of the arrangements for its 2nd 2023 congregation, which will be held on **Wednesday, 11th October 2023** and **Thursday, 12th October 2023**, in the **Great Hall** at the **University of Malawi** in Zomba.

Graduands and the general public should note the following:

1. The **Chancellor of the University of Malawi, His Excellency the State President, Dr Lazarus McCarthy Chakwera**, will preside over the first graduation session on **Wednesday, 11th October 2023**, from **11:30 a.m.**;
2. The **Chancellor of the University, His Excellency the State President, Dr Lazarus McCarthy Chakwera**, has delegated the Vice-Chancellor, **Professor Samson Sajidu**, to preside over the second and third graduation sessions on **Thursday, 12th October 2023**, in **The Great Hall** in Zomba from **7:00 a.m.** and **1:00 p.m.** respectively.

Academic awards shall be conferred to graduands in the following programmes:

CONGREGATION A: WEDNESDAY 11th OCTOBER 2023

i. University of Malawi

1. Bachelor of Arts in Economics
2. Bachelor of Arts Political Science
3. Bachelor of Arts Communication and Cultural Studies
4. Bachelor of Social Science Gender Studies
5. Bachelor of Science
6. Bachelor of Science in Actuarial Sciences (Hons)
7. Bachelor of Arts (Human Resource Management)
8. Bachelor of Arts Public Administration
9. Master of Arts in Economics
10. Master of Arts in Development Studies
11. Master of Laws in Commercial Law
12. Doctor of Philosophy in Development Studies
13. Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Psychology

ii. Malawi University of Business and Applied Sciences

1. Master of Business Administration

iii. Kamuzu University of Health Sciences

1. Bachelor of Medicine Bachelor of Surgery

CONGREGATION B: THURSDAY 12th OCTOBER 2023

i. University of Malawi

1. Diploma Law
2. Bachelor of Arts in Development Economics
3. Bachelor of Arts Media for Development
4. Bachelor of Arts Theology
5. Bachelor of Education Language
6. Bachelor of Education Science
7. Bachelor of Science in Food and Nutrition
8. Bachelor of Science in Mathematics
9. Bachelor of Science in Chemistry (Hons)
10. Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
11. Bachelor of Science in Computer Network Engineering
12. Bachelor of Science in Electronics
13. Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Sciences
14. Bachelor of Science in Geography
15. Bachelor of Science in Geology
16. Bachelor of Science in Information Systems
17. Bachelor of Laws-Honours
18. Bachelor of Education (Computer Science)
19. Master of Public Administration and Management
20. Master of Arts in Political Science
21. Master of Arts in Human Resource Management and Industrial Relations
22. Master of Science in Biostatistics
23. Master of Arts in Theatre and Media Communication in Development

24. Master of Education in Curriculum and Teaching Studies (Social Studies Education)
25. Master of Education in Curriculum and Teaching Studies Mathematics and Science Education
26. Master of Education in Curriculum and Teaching Studies (Language Education)
27. Master of Education in Policy, Planning and Leadership
28. Master of Education in Sociology of Education
29. Master of Education in Educational Psychology
30. Master of Science in Water Resource Modelling and Governance
31. Master of Science in Environmental Science
32. Master of Science in Biological Sciences
33. Master of Science in Applied Chemistry
34. Master of Science in Mathematical Sciences
35. Master of Arts in Applied Ethics
36. Doctor of Philosophy in Biostatistics

ii. Malawi University of Business and Applied Sciences

1. Certificate in Accountancy
2. Certificate in Education Business Studies
3. Certificate in Electrical and Electronics Engineering
4. Certificate in Electronics and Computer Engineering
5. Certificate in Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering
6. Certificate in Energy Engineering
7. Certificate in Environmental Management and Technology
8. Certificate in Geological Engineering
9. Certificate in Industrial Laboratory Technology

10. Certificate in Management Information Systems
11. Certificate in Mechanical Engineering
12. Certificate in Mathematical Sciences Education
13. Certificate in Technical Education
14. Diploma in Civil Engineering
15. Diploma in Electrical and Electronics Engineering
16. Diploma in Mechanical Engineering
17. Diploma in Metallurgy and Mineral Processing Engineering
18. Diploma in Occupational Safety and Health
19. Diploma in Technical Education
20. Diploma in Electrical and Telecommunication Engineering
21. Bachelor of Accountancy
22. Bachelor of Arts (Business Communication)
23. Bachelor of Electrical and Electronics Engineering (Honours)
24. Bachelor of Electronics and Telecommunications Engineering (Honours)
25. Bachelor of Metallurgy and Mineral Processing Engineering (Honours)
26. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health
27. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science and Technology (Management)
28. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science and Technology (Physics)
29. Bachelor of Science in Land Economy
30. Bachelor of Science in Mathematical Sciences Education (Statistics and Computing)
31. Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration
32. Postgraduate Diploma in Infrastructure Development and Management
33. Master of Science in Environmental Health

34. Master of Science in Environmental Protection and Management
35. Master of Science in Water Resources and Supply Management
36. Master of Technical and Vocational Training

iii. **Kamuzu University of Health Sciences**

1. Bachelor of Science in Paediatrics & Child Health (Honours)
2. Bachelor of Science in Internal Medicine (Honours)
3. Doctor of Philosophy in Molecular Biology

CONGREGATION C: THURSDAY 12th OCTOBER 2023

i. **University Of Malawi**

1. Diploma in Statistics
2. Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
3. Bachelor of Arts in Social and Economic History
4. Bachelor of Arts in Sociology
5. Bachelor of Social Science
6. Bachelor of Arts Humanities
7. Bachelor of Science in Biological Sciences
8. Bachelor of Science in Statistics
9. Bachelor of Science in Physics

ii. **Malawi University of Business and Applied Sciences**

1. Certificate in Education Business Studies
2. Certificate in Industrial Laboratory Technology
3. Certificate in Mathematical Sciences Education
4. Diploma in Automobile Engineering
5. Diploma in Biomedical Engineering

6. Diploma in Electronics and Computer Engineering
7. Diploma in Industrial Laboratory Technology
8. Diploma in Information Technology
9. Diploma in Land Economy
10. Diploma in Mechanical Engineering
11. Diploma in Physical Planning
12. Diploma in Journalism
13. Diploma in Technical Education

iii. Kamuzu University of Health Sciences

1. Master of Medicine in Paediatrics and Child Health
2. Master of Science in Global Health Implementation
3. Master of Public Health
4. Master of Science in Epidemiology

GRADUATION PROCESSING FEE

Academic dress for the Congregation shall be available for hire from **Tuesday, 3rd October 2023**, from graduands' respective universities at the following cost:

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| (a) | Diploma Set: | K16,000 |
| (b) | Bachelors Set: | K20,000 |
| (c) | Masters Set: | K60,000 |
| (d) | PhD Set: | K80,000 |

All graduands must return their academic dress immediately after the graduation ceremony. Any unreturned academic dress shall attract a penalty fee equivalent to the graduation processing fee of the respective gown for each subsequent day of delay, payable before the release of the

certificate. Graduands with outstanding fees balances have not been included in this graduation.

REHEARSALS

Rehearsals for each session will be held in the Great Hall as follows:

- a. **Congregation A:** Tuesday, 10th October 2023, from **8:00 a.m.**
- b. **Congregation B:** Wednesday 11th October 2023, **2.30 p.m.**
- c. **Congregation C:** Wednesday 11th October 2023, from **4:00 p.m.**

All graduands are asked to be punctual. Only those that attend rehearsals shall be allowed to graduate.

PHOTOGRAPHY & OTHER BUSINESSES

The University has designated specific areas for photography and other businesses. All businesses shall be required to pay to the Cashier as follows:

- a. **Photography inside the Great Hall: K60, 000**
- b. **Photography outside the Great Hall: K35, 000**
- c. **Other businesses: K25,000**

For inquiries, please contact The Registrar on the following WhatsApp number: **+265 999 955 953** or e-mail: info@unima.ac.mw or visit our website: www.unima.ac.mw.

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2nd October 2023