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**Call for applications to study Master of Science in Biomedical Engineering  
offered by Centre of Excellence in Biomedical Engineering and e-Health  
(CEBE), University of Rwanda**

The Management of the University of Rwanda is pleased to invite interested and qualified candidates to apply to study Master of Science in Biomedical Engineering offered by Centre of Excellence in Biomedical Engineering, College of Science and Technology,

The Regional Centre of Excellence in Biomedical Engineering and eHealth (CEBE) is conceived as Centre that will provide leadership, intellectual capacity, and infrastructure required to accelerate the provision of cost-effective, technology-supported healthcare services in Rwanda and the East African Community (EAC) Region. The vision of CEBE is to build a critical mass of a qualified and transferable workforce to sustainably boost the Biomedical Sciences sector with competent technical support skills, innovation, research and development capabilities, while putting in place a conducive environment for the development of a vibrant and dynamic service industry. The aim of the UR-CEBE is to develop highly skilled professionals who will lead and conduct research that impact the national and international regions in Biomedical Engineering and eHealth Sectors.

**I. ADMISSION CRITERIA**

The candidates should have a background in Biomedical Engineering, Mechatronics, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Electro-Mechanical Engineering or in other related areas such Computer Engineering. To qualify for the admission, candidates should have obtained a bachelor's degree with at least second class upper division in the fields mentioned above. Applicant with a bachelor's degree in the same areas and specializations with a second class lower division, and at least 2-years of relevant work experience can be admitted in the programme. Female candidates are encouraged to apply.





There is also scholarship availability for Rwandans, after obtaining admission at the University of Rwanda, Centre of Excellence in Biomedical Engineering and eHealth (UR-CEBE). To qualify for the scholarship, criteria will be set by UR-CEBE.

The scholarship will cover tuition, research fees and living allowances as per High Education Council of Rwanda guidelines on scholarships for Nationals.

## II. KEY DATES

- 17<sup>th</sup> April 2020: deadline of application submission
- 24<sup>th</sup> April 2020: notification of successful candidates
- 27<sup>th</sup> April to 8<sup>th</sup> May 2020: Registration
- 11<sup>th</sup> May 2020: Program Starting

## III. APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Go to UR Website ([www.ur.ac.rw](http://www.ur.ac.rw))
2. Go to Admission, Applicant Portal and click to ([New Application](#))
3. Fill the **Biographical Form** and click (**Save**) at the end you will get “**Your Student ID Reference Number**”.

*Please keep this ID Number as it will be your ID identification for all transactions at UR*

4. Create a PIN of 5 numeric digits, Do not start with a 0 (This PIN will serve as your password to access your student account.)
5. Candidates are requested to submit all required documents by using the [linkpgfile.ur.ac.rw/pgfile/findme.php](http://linkpgfile.ur.ac.rw/pgfile/findme.php) (please contact Jocelyne on 0786147759 or Claude on 0784753596 for online application)

**NB: All documents must be in PDF**

**If all required documents are not submitted you failed to go to the next step.**

**When your submission succeed, you will find a message in your email box**







#### IV. DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR APPLICATION

The applicants should submit the following documents:

1. Application letter addressed to the Director of the Centre for Postgraduate Studies, University of Rwanda
2. Motivation letter: should address commitment, statement of goals, objectives and reasons for interest in the Master's of Science in Biomedical Engineering
3. Detailed Curriculum Vitae
4. Copy of certified Bachelor's Degree / or equivalent documents and academic transcript
5. Copy of National Identity Card or Passport
6. Recommendation letters from at least two individuals who are working or professionals in the related field of your application.
7. International applicants, upon admission will provide equivalence of their certificates from Rwanda High Education Council (HEC) after 3 months.

For any additional information, clarifications or inquiry, please do not hesitate to contact: Dr. Celestin Twizere, Director of CEBE on email: [celestintwizere@gmail.com](mailto:celestintwizere@gmail.com) and or Ass. Prof. David Tumusiime; Deputy Director CEBE, on email: [dktumusiime@gmail.com](mailto:dktumusiime@gmail.com).  
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*Done in Kigali on 16<sup>th</sup> March 2020.*

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