



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS TO THE MASTER PROGRAMME IN PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES QUALITY ASSURANCE & QUALITY CONTROL

ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-2021

APRIL INTAKE

The Management of the University of Rwanda, College of Medicine and Health Sciences, School of Medicine and Pharmacy is pleased to invite interested and qualified candidates for applications for the MSc in pharmaceutical sciences quality assurance & quality control.

The Master of Science degree in pharmaceutical sciences quality assurance & quality control is intended to train highly qualified professionals in both quality control and quality assurance of pharmaceuticals and related substances. Upon completion of the course, the students will have necessary skills to:

- Develop and validate analytical methods;
- Design, develop, validate, monitor and assure the quality of pharmaceutical systems;
- Inspect and audit the compliance or the performance of a Quality Assurance System.

This programme lasts for two years, in year one candidates will be required to complete satisfactory 6 modules as specified for each orientation. All the 6 specified modules are compulsory. The second year will be devoted to practical hands-one, seminars, and research methodology and thesis preparation.

I. Entry requirements

1. To hold a BSc degree in Pharmacy, or equivalent degree in medicine or life sciences;
2. To hold a BSc degree in Chemistry with Second Class Upper Division or Distinction,
3. Have passed at least one year of professional experience,
4. Should accept to comply with the regulations of the postgraduate studies at UR and general regulations of the UR,
5. Should speak and understand English given this is language of instruction, and hence be able to follow academic instructions in English.
6. Present a signed statement by which the candidate undertakes to comply with the regulations governing the postgraduate studies at the UR and the School of Medicine and Pharmacy

II. Key dates for this call

Application deadline: 27th March, 2021



III. Required documents for application

1. An application letter addressed to the UR Director, Centre of Postgraduate studies
2. A current telephone and email contacts,
3. Certified copies of the academic transcript and the degree certificate,
4. A certified of good conduct from employer and relevant Pharmacy/Medical Council
5. An updated curriculum vitae (CV)
6. Two (2) coloured passport size photographs,
7. Two reference letters one of which should be from an academic referee,

IV. Funding

The college will not give scholarships to admitted candidates. Candidates shall apply for scholarships elsewhere or can be self-sponsored.

All applicants should provide proof of their ability to meet the living expenses and to pay the fees required by the University of Rwanda.

V. Application process

1. Go to UR Website (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), leave the page and open the link below.
5. Candidates are requested to submit all required documents by using the [Link: pgfile.ur.ac.rw/pgfile/findme.php](http://pgfile.ur.ac.rw/pgfile/findme.php)

NB: All documents must be in PDF

**If all required documents are not submitted, you cannot go to the next step.
When your submission succeeds, a message will be sent to your email box.**



VI. Further clarification

For any additional information, clarifications, or inquiry, please do not hesitate to contact:

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