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**RE- ADVERTISEMENT OF THE CALL FOR APPLICATIONS TO STUDY IN
MEDICINE AND HEALTH SCIENCES
ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-2021**

The Management of the University of Rwanda is pleased to invite interested and qualified candidates to apply for postgraduate studies offered at University of Rwanda through the School of Medicine and Pharmacy -College of Medicine and Health Sciences, in the following fields:

I. Programme, entry requirements, duration, and mode of attendance

Programme title	Duration	Mode of attendance
MSc in Pharmaceutical Sciences: Quality control & quality assurance	2 years	Full-time, day
MMED Internal Medicine,	4 years	Full time, day
MMED Paediatrics	4 years	Full time, day
MMED Emergency Medicine	4 years	Full time, day
MMED Anaesthesiology	4 years	Full time, day
MMED Diagnostic Radiology	4 years	Full time, day
MMED Psychiatry	4 years	Full time, day

Entry requirements:

➤ **MSc in Pharmaceutical Sciences: Quality Control & Quality Assurance**

Applicants should:

1. Hold a BSc (Hons) in Pharmacy or equivalent degree in medicine or life sciences, or a BSc (Hons) in chemistry with second class upper division or distinction.
2. Have at least one-year experience of professional practice.



3. Demonstrate ability to pursue advanced training in the domain chosen by the candidate.
4. Demonstrate English proficiency as the language of instruction.
5. Provide a written statement by which the candidate undertakes to comply with the regulations of postgraduate studies at UR and the general regulations of the UR and the School of Medicine and Pharmacy.

➤ **MMed programmes(All)**

Applicant should:

1. Be a general practitioner with an MD, MBBS, MBChB degree or equivalent.
2. Be fully registered and licensed to practice medicine in Rwanda. Foreign applicants must present evidence of qualification, registration and valid license to practice in their home countries.
3. Have served for at least 2 years in public service except for those applying for Anesthesiology and Emergency Medicine. This requirement is not applicable for foreign candidates.
4. Demonstrate ability to pursue specialized training in any field of medicine with special focus on the discipline chosen by the candidate.
5. Demonstrate the English proficiency as the language of instruction.
6. Provide a written statement by which the candidate undertakes to comply with the regulations of postgraduate studies at UR and the general regulations of the UR and the School of Medicine and Pharmacy.

II. **Key dates for this call**

Application deadline: November 30, 2020

III. **Required documents for application**

1. A cover letter specifying the desired specialty,
2. Current telephone and email contacts,
3. Certified copies of the academic transcript and the degree certificate,



4. Valid License to practice from the Rwanda Medical Council or Rwanda Council of Pharmacists (for nationals who are health professionals) or Respective Council Certificates for foreigners.
5. A certificate of good standing from employer and relevant Professional Council.
6. An updated and signed curriculum vitae (CV)
7. Two (2) coloured passport size photographs
8. Two reference letters one of which should be from an academic referee.

IV. **Selection criteria**

The selection will be essentially done by the assessment of submitted documents. Only applicants who meet the entry requirements indicated above and who have submitted all the required documents will be invited for interview. Applicants will be admitted if they success the interview

V. **Funding**

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

VI. **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*
4. *ID identification for all transactions at UR*
5. 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.



6. Candidates are requested to submit all required documents by using the

Link: pgfile.ur.ac.rw/pgfile/findme.php

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 succeeds, you will find a message in your email box.

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

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Done at Kigali, November 23, 2020

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Acting Deputy Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Research

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