CALL FOR APPLICATIONS TO STUDY MASTER OF SCIENCE IN THE FIELD OF EPIDEMIOLOGY
The academic year 2023-2024
APRIL INTAKE

The Management of the University of Rwanda, through its College of Medicine and Health Sciences, is pleased to invite interested and qualified candidates to apply for the **Master of Science in the Field of Epidemiology.**

I. Programme entry requirements, duration and mode of attendance

Entry Requirements	Duration	Mode of attendance
Applicant must have at least a Bachelor's degree in one of the following fields: -Medicine and Surgery -General Nursing -Midwifery -Statistics -Veterinary Medicine -Animal Production -Other Health-related fields The candidate should be a full-time employee with a minimum of two years of work experience in the Ministry of Health and affiliated agencies up to the District hospital, Security organs, Ministry of Agriculture, or in Animal/wild life Health-Related Institution. Candidates should be computer-literate. English proficiency is a requirement for the applicants.	2 years	Day (25% theory and 75% practice at the workplace)

II. **Key dates for this call**

1. Application deadline: 26ᵗʰ January 2023 (at 5:00 pm)
2. Written exam, interviews and starting date: To be communicated

III. Required documents for application

1. A cover letter addressed to the CPGS Director indicating the motivation to join the MSc in Field Epidemiology
2. Notarised undergraduate degree
3. Notarised transcripts
4. Copy of ID or Passport
5. Up-to-date CV
6. Recommendation letter from the employer approving the applicant to participate in the two-year program
7. A certificate to confirm that a candidate is a full-time employee with a minimum of two years of work experience in the Ministry of Health and affiliated agencies up to the District hospital, Security organs, Ministry of Agriculture, or in Animal/wild life Health-Related Institution
8. A certificate of the English proficiency

IV. Selection criteria

The selection will be done through the assessment of submitted documents. Only applicants who meet the entry requirements indicated above and who have submitted all the required documents will sit for the written examination, then successful candidates will be invited for an oral interview. Fifteen students with the highest marks will be selected and admitted to the program.

V. Funding

The School of Public Health will give scholarships to admitted students. The scholarship will cover the registration and the tuition fees.

VI. Application process

1. Go to UR Website (www.ur.ac.rw)
2. Go to Admission, Applicant Portal, and click on (New Application)
3. Fill out 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: https// **pgfile.ur.ac.rw/pgfile/findme.php**

   NB: All documents must be in PDF

   The potential candidates will pass an entry written exam and interview.

   If all required documents are not submitted, you will not be able to proceed to the next step.

   You will receive an email in your email box when your submission is successful.

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

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