

# CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE MASTER OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING WITH SPECIALIZATION IN SOIL AND WATER ENGINEERING

# ACADEMIC YEAR 2023/2024 SEPTEMBER INTAKE

The Management of the University of Rwanda through its College of Agriculture, Animal Sciences and Veterinary Medicine (UR-CAVM) is pleased to invite interested and qualified candidates for applications for the Master of Science in Agricultural Engineering specialization in Soil and Water Engineering offered by the School of Agriculture Engineering. This programme has one option:

- Master of Science in Agricultural Engineering specialization in Soil and Water Engineering
- I. Programme, entry requirements, duration and mode of attendance

| Programme title  | Entry requirements  | Duration | Mode of attendance             |
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| Master of Science in Agricultural Engineering specialization in Soil and Water Engineering | Applicants must hold a bachelor's degree in Agricultural Engineering, Soil and Water Management, Irrigation and Drainage, Agricultural mechanization, Civil Engineering and other related fields from a recognized university. The minimum degree grade must be second class upper division or second class lower division with at least two years of work experience in a field related to the option applied for. | 2 years  | Day programme Nyagatare Campus |

# II. Key dates for this call

Application deadline: July 15, 2023

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#### III. Required application documents

- 1. A cover letter addressed to the UR/Director of Postgraduate studies indicating clearly the program option the applicant want to pursue (Agricultural Engineering specialization in Soil and Water Engineering), description of the motivation to join the programme.
- 2. Up-to-date curriculum vitae
- 3. Notarized degree (or its equivalence from the Higher Education Council for degrees obtained in institutions outside Rwanda)
- 4. Notarized academic transcripts
- 5. Two recommendation letters from referees who know the applicant
- 6. Copy of the National Identification or Passport
- 7. Applicants from institutions where English in not the language of instruction must provide the certificate for English proficiency from a relevant body or institutions

#### IV. Selection criteria

The selection will be done by assessment of submitted documents. Only applicants who meet the entry requirements indicated above and who have submitted all the required documents will be considered for interview.

#### $\mathbb{V}$ . **Funding**

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

## VI. Application process

- 1. Go to UR website (ww.ur.ac.rw)
- 2. Go to Admission, Applicant Portal and click to "New Application".
- 3. Complete 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: Link: https:// 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.

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

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