



**OFFICE OF THE SCHOOL DEAN
MZUMBE UNIVERSITY DAR ES SAALAM BUSINESS SCHOOL**

**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR MSc DEVELOPMENT POLICY AND GOVERNANCE
FOR CIVIL SOCIETIES
FOR 2010/2011 ACADEMIC YEAR**

Introduction

Mzumbe University in partnership with the School of Social & International Studies (SSIS) of the University of Bradford, UK invite applications from qualified applicants for a new postgraduate Programme – Master of Science (MSc) in Development Policy and Governance for Civil Society for the 2010/2011 Academic Year, February 2011 to January 2012.

Aims and Objectives

This course will provide valuable academic and vocational skills; that will really set participants apart from the crowd. It is intended to develop the skills of those already working in civil society organisations or those who wish to work in this sector. Upon completion of this unique degree you will have a solid understanding of designing and implementing development projects and programmes from the perspective of civil society organisations, and you will also have gained an excellent knowledge of policies that directly affect civil society organisations and development institutions. You will also get the benefit of interactive work-based learning through a placement within a civil society organisation (this can be done in your own organisation if applicable). This programme has been developed jointly by Mzumbe and Bradford to address the specific needs of civil society and non-state actors in Africa. It was supported in the early stages by the EU-funded Non-State Actors Programme in Tanzania. This programme also invested in the creation of a resource centre at Mzumbe University Dar es salaam Business School to support the operation of the academic services.

Course Structure and duration

The programme is one (1) year full time covering 6 modules (plus final dissertation).

First Semester, February 2011-May 2011 will cover Project Planning, Design and Appraisal; Project and Programme Management; and Issues in Development Policy.

Second Semester, July 2011-October 2011 will cover Working in the Third Sector; Civil Society in Tanzania and Networking; Advocacy and Negotiation for Civil Society.

Third Semester, November 2011-January 2012: Dissertation.

Fee Structure

Participants will have to pay Tsh. 6, 625, 000/=. This includes the application fee, tuitions fees, validation fee, registration fee, usage of the resource centre and thesis expenses.

Entry Qualifications

Candidates shall hold the following qualifications from any recognized institution(s):

EITHER

A three year (or more) Bachelor's Degree of at least second class from a recognized University

OR

A three year (or) more Advanced Diploma of at least second class from any accredited institution

AND

Interest in or experience of working in civil societies.

Mode of Application

Applicants are required to fill their application forms along with two referees who can comment on your ability and capacity for this study programme.

The forms can be collected from Mzumbe University Dar es Salaam Business School or can be downloaded from our website www.dbs.mzumbe.ac.tz Applications must be accompanied by a non refundable application fee of Tsh. 30,000 (for local applicants) or USD 30 (for international applicants) payable to the Vice Chancellor, Mzumbe University through CRDB PPF Tower Account No. 01J1043012201.

All applications must be accompanied by copies of relevant academic certificates and transcripts.

If in doubt, inquiries to determine suitability for admission should be addressed to the Dean, Mzumbe University Dar es Salaam Business School.

Deadline

Dully filled application forms should be submitted to the address below not later than December 31st, 2010 to the address hereunder;

Dean

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