



Knowledge Innovation Excellence

LILONGWE UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES
CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR ADMISSION INTO NRC CAMPUS GENERIC ENTRY UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES FOR THE 2017 ACADEMIC YEAR

The Lilongwe University of Agriculture and Natural Resources (LUANAR) is inviting applications from suitably qualified persons for admission into its NRC Campus undergraduate generic entry programmes for the 2017 academic year commencing on Monday 15th March, 2017 (Full time) and Saturday, 21st January 2017 (Weekend)

1. Preliminary information for interested applicants

A. Minimum entry requirements:

Diploma
4 credit passes including English Language, Biology, Mathematics and Physical Science/Chemistry at MSCE or any comparable O-Level qualification or 3 passes with at least grade ' C ' in Biology, Mathematics and Chemistry at A-Level or any comparable qualification.

B. Exclusion: Candidates who were withdrawn from LUANAR or any other Public University on academic grounds and those already registered with LUANAR or any comparable university **are not eligible for admission.**

C. Annual tuition fees (the fees may change anytime):

Category	NRC Campus
Undergraduate Diploma programmes	MWK 321,780.40
All admissions shall be on self-sponsored basis hence candidates should be prepared to meet all the other costs associated with their studies.	

D. Other Costs (may change anytime):

Category	NRC Campus
Hostel Space (Through booking)	MWK 78,000.00 per Semester
Cafeteria (through Service provider)	MWK 200,000 per Semester (all meals)
Library Fee	MWK 1,500.00 per Semester
Student Union Fee	MWK 1,000.00 per Semester
Medical (UNIMED)	MWK 15,000.00 for six months
Student Identity Card	MWK 3,000.00
Transport	MWK 700.00 per day payable weekly or monthly
All admissions shall be on self-sponsored basis hence candidates should be prepared to meet all the other costs associated with their studies.	

E. Programme duration

Programme name	Duration
Undergraduate diploma programmes	3 years

2. Programmes on offer

- a. All applicants for undergraduate diploma programmes are required to submit their applications using **UGCDB-2017 application form**.

Programme	Campus	Type of Entry	Mode of Delivery
1. Diploma in Agriculture	NRC	Diploma	Full-time and Weekend
2. Diploma in Agriculture Education	NRC	Diploma	Full-time and Weekend
3. Diploma in Animal Health & Production	NRC	Diploma	Full-time only
4. Diploma in Environmental Management	NRC	Diploma	Full-time and Weekend
5. Diploma in Food, Nutrition & Livelihood Security	NRC	Diploma	Full-time and Weekend
6. Diploma in Horticulture	NRC	Diploma	Full-time only
7. Diploma in Irrigation Technology	NRC	Diploma	Full-time and Weekend
8. Diploma in Land Administration	NRC	Diploma	Full-time and Weekend
9. Diploma in Agro-Food Processing	NRC	Diploma	Full-time and Weekend

3. APPLICATION PROCEDURE

- a. **The address for obtaining and submitting application forms is:** The University Registrar, LUANAR, Bunda Campus, P.O. Box 219, Lilongwe, (Attention Admissions Office). The application forms can also be downloaded from www.luanar.ac.mw and from the following LUANAR Official Updates Facebook group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/luanarupdates/>.
- b. **A complete application package MUST include:**
- i. **UGCDB-2017** application form;
 - ii. Copies of all relevant certificates and academic transcripts which are being used for the application. These must be duly certified by a Commissioner of Oaths as true copies of the originals;
 - iii. Source of funding i.e. official scholarship award/sponsorship letter;
 - iv. Proof of payment of an appropriate application fee bearing the name of the applicant and the amount of application fee paid.
 - v. Proof of English Language proficiency for international candidates whose first language is not English

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS SHALL NOT BE PROCESSED!

- c. **All applicants are strictly required to deposit a non-refundable application fee of K5, 500.00 for Malawian and US200.00 for international applicants the following BUNDA FEES BANK ACCOUNT:**

DETAILS	NATIONAL BANK OF MALAWI
Account Type	Current
Account Number	1001595691
Branch	Lilongwe Branch
Swift Code	NBMAMWMW008

4. CLOSING DATE

THE CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIVING APPLICATIONS IS FRIDAY 30 DECEMBER, 2016. ONLY APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE DEADLINE WILL BE CONSIDERED.