



# PRESS RELEASE

## FEES ADJUSTMENT FOR GENERIC UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS AND OPENING ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

### 1. TUITION FEES ADJUSTMENT

The University of Malawi (UNIMA) wishes to inform all students, parents and guardians that tuition fees for generic undergraduate students has been revised upwards effective from the 2023/2024 academic year which starts from **17th September 2023**. The new tuition fees per academic year will be **K650,000.00**.

In view of this adjustment undergraduate students should note that the University has already engaged Higher Education Students Loans and Grants Board (HESLGB) for additional support for students who were previously given loans. The University will announce the adjustments of tuition fees for Mature Entry, and Economic Fee Paying students in due course.

### 2. PAYMENT OF TUITION FEES

Students should note that the University has the following payment options:

- National Bank of Malawi** at the Counter/Teller or Digital platform using the 12 unique individual student account number provided in the admission letter.
- TNM Mpamba platforms** (\*444# or app) using the 12 unique individual student account number provided in the admission letter.
- Cheque Deposit:** Make prior arrangements for account details and proof of payment by contacting [admissions@unima.mw](mailto:admissions@unima.mw).

### 3. OFFER LETTERS

The University advises that offer letters for the newly selected students can be collected from the Records Offices in Mwambo or Chikowi Buildings on campus or on request from [admissions@unima.ac.mw](mailto:admissions@unima.ac.mw).

### 4. ACCOMMODATION

Students should note that selection to the University of Malawi is on non-residential basis. However, the University has limited bed spaces and will allocate the same using a random system. All generic first-year students will be sent notifications of the allocation via SMS from "UNIMA" before the commencement of the first semester. The University, therefore, advises all students to consider making their own prior accommodation arrangements since campus accommodation cannot cater for everyone.

### 5. WARNING AGAINST FRAUDSTERS

In the present circumstances where students scramble for accommodation, the University appeals to the public to be vigilant against the unscrupulous individuals who may attempt to swindle the unsuspecting public of its hard-earned money in the name of offering accommodation.

The public should note that the University does not have agents for its campus accommodation nor does it have agents for mobile money transactions. Therefore, anyone who comes in the name of the University trying to offer accommodation for sale should be handled with contempt and be reported to Management or the nearest police station. Similarly, the University wishes to warn all students with campus accommodation that selling bed space or room is unacceptable and the conduct is a disciplinary matter.

For further information, please contact us at the following number: **+265 888 638 000** or email: [admissions@unima.ac.mw](mailto:admissions@unima.ac.mw).

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