



School of Law, Economics and Government

## CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

# ENROLMENT INTO THE BACHELOR OF LAWS (HONOURS) PROGRAMME

The School of Law, Economics and Government at the University of Malawi is pleased to invite qualified candidates to apply for admission into the Bachelor of Laws (Honours) – LLB (Hons) programme for the **2025/2026** academic year.

### ADMISSION OPTIONS AND ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The programme has two entry options:

1. First year entry
2. Advanced entry into an appropriate year, subject to qualification assessment.

### SELECTION PROCESS

Admission into the LLB (Hons) Programme is based on a selection exercise conducted by the School.

### ELIGIBILITY FOR FIRST YEAR ENTRY

To qualify for the selection exercise, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- A minimum of six credits (including English) obtained in **one sitting** of:
  - **IGCSE**,
  - **MSCE**, or
  - An equivalent examination system **recognized by the University of Malawi**.

Additionally, applicants must satisfy one of the specified criteria outlined below:

#### Set A: Internal Candidates

To qualify, applicants must meet one of the following criteria:

- a A cumulative credit average grade (or GPA of 3.00) after the first year of a degree programme at any Malawian public university; or
- b Three A-Level passes with a minimum of two B grades and one C grade, obtained at one sitting.

## Set B: External Candidates

Eligible applicants must hold one of the following qualifications:

- a A first degree with at least a credit from the University of Malawi or a university duly recognised by the National Council for Higher Education; or
- b A diploma in law with at least a credit, awarded by a tertiary institution affiliated with and recognised by the University of Malawi.

## ELIGIBILITY FOR ADVANCED ENTRY

An applicant may qualify for advanced entry into any stage of the LLB (Hons) programme if he or she meets both of the following conditions:

- a Is currently enrolled in a professional law degree programme in a University recognised by the National Council for Higher Education; and
- b Successfully passes an entry assessment exercise corresponding to their desired year of study.

## MODE OF APPLICATION AND DEADLINE

Interested individuals must complete an online application at <https://clea.unima.ac.mw/> or hand-deliver their application.

Applicants must upload or hand deliver all of the following:

- A passport-sized photograph.
- Certified copies of academic certificates or result notifications, authenticated by a Commissioner for Oaths.
- Proof of payment of a non-refundable processing fee of **MK20, 000.00** for internal applicants and **MK30, 000.00** for external applicants deposited into the following bank account:

**Account Name: Law and Development Unit,**

**Bank: National Bank of Malawi, Zomba Branch,**

**Account Number: 297108.**

- A letter expressing interest to join the programme

For physical applications, candidates must deliver their complete application package to the secretary for the Law Departments, Mrs Joana Phiri.

Female candidates are encouraged to apply.

If you have any inquiries or technical challenges, please email [bacheloroflaws@unima.ac.mw](mailto:bacheloroflaws@unima.ac.mw) or call the University of Malawi, School of Law, Economics and Government, on **01524 222** or **0992257220**.

The closing date for all applications is **Monday, 26th May 2025**.

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