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PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ADMISION INTO THE FOUNDATION PROGRAMME OF THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF TANZANIA

The Open University of Tanzania hereby informs the general public, that applications into the Foundation Programme can now be received from interested applicants with required minimum entry qualifications. The **Foundation Programme** has been designed to assist candidates who have been out of school for a while, to attain required qualifications for admission to bachelor degree programmes of the Open University of Tanzania, and many other public or private university in Tanzania. The Programme is undertaken for a minimum duration of one academic year and a maximum duration of two academic years, beyond which the student shall be de-registered. Applicants should have one of the following minimum qualifications:

i) Certificate of Advanced Secondary Education Examination with at least 1.5 points.

OR

ii) Ordinary Diploma from a recognized institution with a GPA of at least 2.0.

OR

iii) ONE year work experience after attaining a professional training certificate in a course of duration of not less than 9 months from an accredited Institution, taken after attaining a Certificate of Secondary Education Examination with at least 4 passes or 3 credits.

iv) Certificate of Advanced Secondary Education Examination with the minimum entry qualification points set by TCU into Bachelor degree but who have been out of school for 5 or more years after completion of Form Six.

How to Apply

The Application forms are free of charge and available at Regional Centres of the Open University of Tanzania which are in all administrative regions of Tanzania Mainland as well as in Unguja and Pemba coordination centres. Also, the applicant can access the forms through the university's application porto on OUT website: www.out.ac.tz.

The application will be received between **21/12/2017** to **05/01/2018** for those who wish to join the programme this academic year **(2017/2018)**. The programme shall commence on **20th January 2018,** with an orientation that will be conducted at all Regional and coordination Centres of the Open University of Tanzania.

The tuition fee for the whole programe is Tsh. 480,000 for Tanzanians, **USD 480 for EAC/SADC citizens and USD 960 for other nationalities. Payment details and other costs are as stipulated in the OUT Prospectus 2017-2018 (www.out.ac.tz)**

The Open University of Tanzania encourages all eligible applicants to process their applications before the deadline

This announcement is official and has been issued by:

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