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BUILDING THE BUSINESS LEADERS OF TOMORROW

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN
MANAGEMENT STUDIES
(MSMS)**

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Master of Science in Management Studies (MSMS)

► Programme Overview

- The Master of Science in Management Studies (MSMS) is a two-year postgraduate programme designed to equip professionals with advanced managerial and leadership skills for diverse organizational settings. The programme blends management theory with practical applications, covering finance, marketing, operations, human resources, strategy, and organisational behaviour. Graduates are prepared to tackle complex challenges, make data-driven decisions, and lead teams effectively in public, private, and non-governmental organisations. The programme also emphasizes ethical management, innovation, and sustainable practices.

► Target Group

- The MSMS programme is suitable for mid- to senior-level professionals in government, private sector, NGOs, and development agencies. It also welcomes graduates from business, management, technology, science, medicine, law, or engineering backgrounds who wish to gain strong management and leadership skills to advance their careers or assume senior roles.

► Programme Duration

- 2 Years

► Mode of Delivery

- The MSMS is delivered through a flexible blended-learning approach combining face-to-face lectures, online sessions, case studies, group discussions, practical assignments, and real-world simulations. Students gain hands-on experience and the opportunity to apply management principles to contemporary organisational challenges.

► Admission Criteria (Entry Requirements)

- Applicants must hold a Bachelor's degree from a recognised institution in a relevant field. Professional experience in management, leadership, or project coordination is advantageous. Candidates must meet the Malawi School of Government (MSG) and National Council for Higher Education (NCHE) postgraduate entry requirements.

► Why Choose Our Programme

The MSMS develops leaders capable of analyzing contemporary organisational challenges, making evidence-based decisions, and driving innovation. Graduates gain expertise in strategic planning, leadership, communication, and resource management. The programme prepares professionals to assume senior management roles, influence organisational growth, and contribute positively to national and global development objectives.



COURSE OUTLINE CONTENT

YEAR	CODE	MODULE TITLE
CORE MODULES		
1	MSM S9111	Advanced Management Principles
1	MSMS 9112	Leadership in Contemporary Organizations
1	MSMS 9113	Public Policy Design and Analysis
1	MSMS 9114	Operations and Supply Chain Management
1	MSMS 9115	Project Management
Electives		
1	MSMS 9116E	Public Sector Finance Management
1	MSMS 9117E	Change Management
CORE MODULES		
1	MBA 9125	Advanced Research Methods
1	MSMS 9121	Ethics and Professionalism
1	MSMS 9122	Strategy Development and Management
1	MSMS 9123	Digitization and Service Delivery
1	MSMS 9124	Strategic Communication
Electives		
1	MSMS 9125E	Quality Management
1	MSMS 9126E	Partnership and Stakeholder Management
2	MSMS 9211	Dissertation

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