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APPLICATION AND ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Application to study at the University of the Free State is FREE.

IMPORTANT APPLICATION OPENING DATES:

1 April 2019: Applications to study any undergraduate programme on the Bloemfontein and Qwaqwa Campuses in 2020.

1 September 2019: Applications to study any University Access Programme (UAP) on the South Campus in 2020.

HOW TO APPLY

Go to www.ufs.ac.za. Follow the link https://apply.ufs.ac.za/online application. You need an active email address and cellphone number to successfully complete an online application.

APPLICATION TO STUDY AN UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME:

Upload copies of the following in PDF or JPEG format:

- Your ID or passport
- Your final Grade 11 results with the school's stamp
- Grade 12 June results with the school's stamp as soon as it becomes available. Email it also to studentadmin@ufs.ac.za, especially if you have applied for a selection programme
- Study record (academic script) with a certificate of conduct and/or qualification certificate if you have obtained your degree
- USAf letter for application who wrote or will be writing examinations other than NSC/IEB. To apply for the USAf letter, visit http://mb.usaf.ac.za or contact +27 51 401 9666 or studentadmin@ufs.ac.za. This letter must be submitted prior to final admission.

APPLICATION TO STUDY A POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMME

Upload copies of the following in PDF or JPEG format:

- Your ID or passport
- Study record (academic script) with a certificate of conduct and/or qualification certificate if you have obtained your degree
- SAQA certificate. All foreign qualifications must be verified by SAQA. This verification must be done BEFORE applying to the University of the Free State. Visit http://www.saqa.org.za

For more information, visit mb.usaf.ac.za

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS:

- · A non-refundable annual administrative fee is charged on all international student accounts.
- · Closing date for international students' applications for undergraduate studies is 31 August 2019.
- You must have a VALID study visa before you can enter South Africa.
- Make sure your study visa is issued for study purposes at the UFS, and not at any other institution in South Africa. You must have a valid and appropriate/correct visa to be registered at the UFS.
- You must be a member of a medical aid registered in terms of the Medical Schemes Act 1998 of South Africa, as required by the South African Immigration Act. It is important that your medical aid cover MUST be valid for the duration of your studies at the UFS. No travel insurance, hospital plans or foreign medical aids will be accepted. For more information on registered medical aids, visit: https://www.medicalschemes.com/MedicalSchemes.aspx.
- · A first payment fee is payable before you can register as a UFS student. The Department of Student Finance will communicate the amount and payment deadline to you. For more information, visit https://www.ufs.ac.za/kovsielife/unlisted-pages/tuition-fees/tuition-fees-30
- If you have a scholarship, inform your sponsor of the UFS regulations on registration fees and tuition-fee payments before you register.

If you need more information, contact the relevant person:

- Immigration, Accreditation, Medical Aid, Finances, and Student Administration: Jeanne Niemann: +27 51 401 3219 | niemannaja@ufs.ac.za or Letlela Tshabalala: tshabalalal@ufs.ac.za
- Incoming exchange students, internationalisation@home coordinator: Bulelwa Malo: +27 51 401 9436 | malob@ufs.ac.za
- International Office, Qwaqwa Campus: Kanego Mokgosi: +27 58 718 5115 | mokgosike@ufs.ac.za

EVALUATION OF FOREIGN QUALIFICATIONS

Postgraduate applicants must have all previous post-school qualifications verified by the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA). Postgraduate students will not be able to register without the SAQA verification.

Evaluation of Foreign Qualifications call centre: +27 12 431 5070 or alternatively send an email to: customercare@saqa.org.za Helpdesk: +27 860 111 673 | Switchboard: +27 12 431 5000 | Fax: +27 12 431 5147

Street address: SAQA House, 1067 Arcadia Street, Hatfield, Pretoria

Postal address: Postnet Suite 248, Private Bag X06, Waterkloof, 0145

FACULTY-SPECIFIC ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

We have seven faculties, each with their own specific admission requirements. Within the faculties, different programmes may also have additional and/or different admission requirements - especially the selection courses. Make sure that you are aware of the requirements for the programme that you want to study.

Visit the www.ufs.ac.za/prospective for detailed undergraduate and postgraduate programme information and minimum admission requirements for each of the faculties.

THE FACULTIES ARE:







LAW

NATURAL AND AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES



THEOLOGY AND RELIGION



HEALTH SCIENCES

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES ~

PAY ATTENTION TO THE FOLLOWING IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- All admission requirements apply to first-year students in 2020.
- All admission requirements are subject to change without prior notification.
- Unless stated otherwise, the admission requirement for the language of instruction must be on a minimum level 4 (50%).
- Refer to Important Closing Dates for selection courses. Applications for all other non-selection programmes close on 30 September 2019.

FACULTY OF ECONOMIC AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES: Lizette Pretorius | T: +27 51 401 2173 | E: LPretorius@ufs.ac.za

- Private Sector: BCom programmes in various fields of specialisation
- Public Sector: BAdmin
- · Accountancy: BAcc and BCom Accounting

FACULTY OF EDUCATION: Faculty Manager: +27 51 401 9264/9921 | eduinfo@ufs.ac.za

- BEd (Foundation Phase Teaching)
- BEd (Intermediate Phase Teaching) with specialisation in Life Skills and Social Science Teaching
- BEd (Intermediate Phase Teaching) with specialisation in Mathematics, Natural Sciences, and Technology Teaching
- BEd (Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Phase Teaching) (FET subject combination)

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES: Lydia du Toit +27 51 401 3739/7513/7515 | fhsapplications@ufs.ac.za

- Bachelor of Medical Science with specialisation in Radiation Science (BMedSc) Bachelor of Science in Dietetics [(BSc (Dietetics)]
- Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MB ChB)
- Bachelor of Optometry (BOptom)
- Bachelor of Science in Physiotherapy [BSc (Physiotherapy)]
- Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (BOccTher)
- Bachelor of Biokinetics (BBiok)
- Bachelor of Nursing [B (Nursing)]

FACULTY OF THE HUMANITIES:

Juanita Hlongwane: +27 51 401 3269 | Katlego Mabulana: +27 51 401 2495 | Nhlamulo Hlongwane: +27 51 401 3519 | E: humanities@ufs.ac.za Bachelor of Arts (BA) programmes in

- Language Practice
- Governance and Political Transformation
- Communication Studies
- Integrated organisational Communication
- Journalism
- Bachelor of Music
- Bachelor of Social Work

- Fine Arts
- Drama and Theatre Arts
- Various combinations in Languages | History | Philosophy | Art History Anthropology | Psychology | Political Science
- Bachelor of Community Development (presented only on the Qwaqwa Campus)
- Bachelor of Social Sciences (BSocSci) with various combinations in Criminology | Psychology | Sociology | Anthropology | Political Science | Business Management Industrial Psychology

FACULTY OF LAW: Courtley Pharaoh: +27 51 401 2735 | law@ufs.ac.za

Bachelor of Laws (LLB)

FACULTY OF NATURAL AND AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES: Elfrieda Lötter: +27 51 401 2531 | lottere@ufs.ac.za

Natural Sciences: Bachelor of Sciences (BSc) in:

- Biological Sciences
- Chemistry and Physics
- Consumer Sciences
- Geology
- Geography
- Information Technology
- Mathematical Sciences
- Agricultural Sciences

- Bachelor of Agriculture (BAgric)
- BSc majoring in Agricultural Economics
- BSc majoring in Soil | Crop | Climate Sciences | Animal | Wildlife | Grassland Sciences Food Sciences
- Building Sciences
- Bachelor of Architecture (BArch)
- BSc (Construction Management)
- BSc (Quantity Surveying)

FACULTY OF THEOLOGY AND RELIGION: Ms Siphokazi Dlwati: +27 51 401 2786 | dlwatis@ufs.ac.za

- Higher Certificate in Theology [HCert (Theology)]
- Bachelor of Divinity (BDiv)

POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES •

FACULTY OF ECONOMIC AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES: Lizette Pretorius | T: +27 51 401 2173 | E: LPretorius@ufs.ac.za

Postgraduate Diploma:

- Public Administration
- General Accountancy
- Chartered Accountancy
- Bachelor of Commerce (BCom), Honours and Bachelor of Administration (BAdmin) Honours degrees with specialisation in various majors
- Master of Commerce (MCom) degrees by dissertation/structured with specialisation in various majors
- Master of Commerce (MCom) degrees by research with specialisation in various majors
- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) degrees with specialization in various majors
- Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration (UFS Business School)
- Master of Business Administration (UFS Business School)
- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Business Administration (UFS Business School)

FACULTY OF EDUCATION: Christa Duvenhage | T: +27 51 401 3651 | E: DuvenhageCS@ufs.ac.za

- Bachelor of Education (BEd) Honours degrees with specialization in various programmes
- Master of Education (MEd) degrees with specialization in various programmes
- Doctoral of Philosophy (PhD) in Education with specialization in various programmes

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES: Madeleine du Randt: T: +27 51 401 7500/1 | E: postgradfohs@ufs.ac.za

- Advanced Nursing Diplomas in various programmes
- Postgraduate Diplomas in various programmes
- Bachelor of Medical Science Honours (BMedScHons) degree in various programmes
- Master of Philosophy (MPhil) degree by course work in various programmes
- · Master of Medicine and Master of Medical Science degrees by course work or dissertation in various programmes
- Doctor of Philosophy with specialization in various programmes
- Doctor of Medicine with specialization in various programmes

FACULTY OF THE HUMANITIES: Anri Scheepers | T: +27 51 401 2622 | E: Scheepers A@ufs.ac.za

Honours, Masters by coursework or dissertation, and PhD degrees in:

- African Languages
- Afrikaans and Dutch
- French
- German
- English
- Greek, Latin and Classical Studies
- Hebrew
- Linguistics and Language practice
- Anthropology
- Art History and Image Studies

- Communication Sciences
- Drama and Theatre Arts
- Fine Arts
- Music
- Criminology
- History
- Political Studies and Governance
- Psychology
- Social Work
- Sociology
- · South African Sign Language
- · Postgraduate Diploma, Honours, Master's in Gender and Africa Studies
- Master of Health Systems Studies

FACULTY OF LAW: Dr J Matthee | T: +27 51 401 2108 | E: MattheeJL@ufs.ac.za Postgraduate Diploma in:

- Labour Law
- · Financial Planning Law
- Estate Planning
- Investment Planning
- Personal Financial Risk Management
- Master of Laws (LLM) degree by course work or dissertation in various programmes
- Doctor of Laws (LLD) and Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) by thesis in various programmes

FACULTY OF NATURAL AND AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES: Elfrieda Lotter: +27 51 401 2531 | lottere@ufs.ac.za Postgraduate Diploma in:

- · Integrated Water Management
- Disaster Management
- Sustainable Agriculture
- Bachelor of Honours and Bachelor of Science Honours majoring in various programmes
- Master's and Master's of Science degrees by course work or dissertation majoring in various programmes
- Doctor of Philosophy majoring in various programmes

FACULTY OF THEOLOGY AND RELIGION: Rev Marlene Oosthuizen: T: +27 51 401 2617 | E: moosthuizen@ufs.ac.za

- Postgraduate Diploma in Theology
- Bachelor of Theology Honours degree with specialization in various programmes
- Master of Theology degree by course work or dissertation with specialization in various programmes
- Master of Divinity by coursework
- · Master of Arts in Bible Translation
- Master of Reconciliation and Social Cohesion
- Doctor of Theology specialization in various programmes
- Doctor of Philosophy in Theology with specialization in various programmes













