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COLLEGE OF
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GRADUATE PROGRAMME IN POLITICAL SCIENCE



APPLICATIONS FOR 2023

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The COVID pandemic has exacerbated local, regional and global inequalities. Old problems have resurfaced with vengeance: corruption, gender-based violence, poor service delivery, unemployment and democratic deficit among others. The discourse of renewal has been purveyed as local, regional and global panacea. New technologies seem to pose both risks and benefits. Are new technologies tools of surveillance or tools of empowerment?

From an African-centred perspective, the Graduate Programme in Political Science interrogates these questions and their proposed solutions. In addition to taking courses on Democracy, Political Philosophy and International Studies, our Honours students are also introduced to research. Our Masters and Doctoral students conduct research on various issues such as corruption, service delivery, elections, nation-building, and land reform among others.

WHY STUDY WITH US?

Graduates with a degree in Political Science can work at different levels of government (national, provincial or local), Non-Governmental Organizations, and Research Organisations.

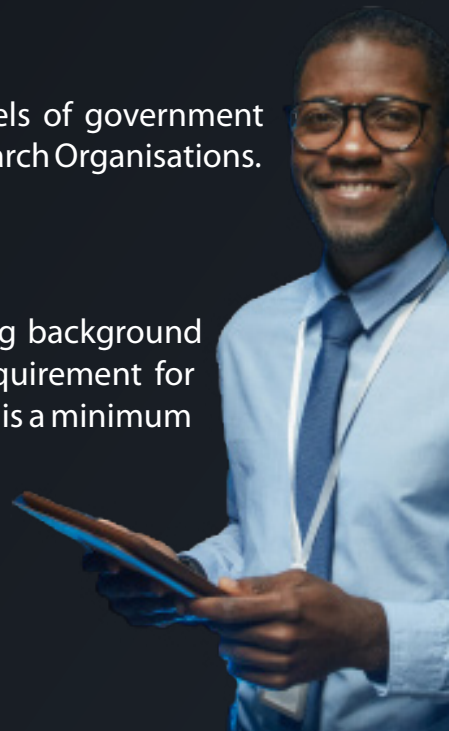
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission to the Political Science Programme requires a suitably strong background in Political Science, International Relations, or Cognate Disciplines. Requirement for Honours is an average mark of 60%. For Masters and PhD, the requirement is a minimum average mark of 65%.

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: 31 OCTOBER 2022

All applications for 2023 will be done online and documents can be uploaded online.

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