



# UGANDA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

A Centre of Excellence in the Heart of Africa

## ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES



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## Uganda Christian University Profile

Uganda Christian University (UCU) is a private, chartered (accredited) University with 7000 students studying in 7 faculties (Business, Education, Law, Social Science, Science and Technology, Theology and Divinity and Research/Postgraduate.

UCU was established by the Province of the Church of Uganda in October 1997. It has a main campus in Mukono, 23 kilometers from the city of Kampala. UCU has a constituent college, Bishop Barham University College based in Kabale, and other Campuses at, St Paul's in Arua, and in Mbale.

### Mission

The University is dedicated through teaching, scholarship, service, spiritual formation, students' development and social involvement to the preparation of students for thoughtful, productive lives of Christian faith and service in their respective professions and places.

### Teaching Staff

UCU has a reputable faculty in all the academic programmes offered. These are supplemented by visiting lecturers from the industry, commerce and public service sectors, and from the US, Canada, India, Australia, the UK and South Africa among others.

### Computer Laboratories

UCU is committed to providing new information technology for students. Every student receives basic grounding in computing, and has access to the internet. In this way, facilities such as email and instant messaging are available.

## Study at Uganda Christian University

UCU offers a number of degree and diploma programmes which are designed to develop a cadre of professionals with integrity, power of critical enquiry, logical thought and independent judgment with a Christian perspective. They are offered in three intakes of September, January and May Semesters as outlined below:-

### SEPTEMBER INTAKE

The University will receive application forms for the September intake according to the set deadline dates obtained from the admissions office or our Website: [www.ucu.ac.ug/admissions](http://www.ucu.ac.ug/admissions).

The September Semester opens in the first week of September.

**Listed below, are the programmes offered in the September Semester;**

#### ***Faculty of Business & Administration***

Bachelor of Business Administration  
Bachelor of Economics and Management  
Bachelor of Entrepreneurship and Project Planning  
Bachelor of Business Computing  
Bachelor of Procurement and Logistics Management  
Bachelor of International Business (New)  
Bachelor of Human Resource Management (New)  
Bachelor of Administrative and Secretarial Studies (New)  
Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership and Management  
Master of Business Administration

#### ***Faculty of Education & Arts***

Bachelor of Science in Education  
Bachelor of Arts with Education  
Bachelor of Arts in Languages  
Bachelor of Industrial and Fine Art

Bachelor of Library and Information Science  
Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communication

### ***Faculty of Law***

Bachelor of Laws

### ***Faculty of Science & Technology***

Bachelor of Science in Information Technology  
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science  
Bachelor of Computational Science  
Bachelor of Environmental Science  
Bachelor of Agricultural Science and  
Entrepreneurship  
Bachelor of Science in Civil and Environmental  
Engineering  
Bachelor of Nursing Science (For A'Level Applicants)  
Bachelor of Nursing Science (For Double Trained RN)  
Master of Information Technology  
Master of Public Health Leadership  
(Save the Mothers)

### ***Faculty of Social Sciences***

Bachelor of Public Administration and Management  
Bachelor of Social Work and Social Administration  
Bachelor of Guidance and Counselling  
Bachelor of Development Studies  
Postgraduate Diploma in Public Administration and  
Management  
Postgraduate Diploma in Development , Monitoring  
and Evaluation  
Master of Art in Public Administration and  
Management  
Master of Art in Development Studies

### ***Bishop Tucker School of Divinity and Theology***

Bachelor of Child Development and Children's  
Ministry.

## JANUARY INTAKE

The University will receive application forms for the January intake according to the set deadline dates obtained from the admissions office or our Website: [www.ucu.ac.ug /admissions](http://www.ucu.ac.ug/admissions). The January Semester opens in the first week of January.

**Listed below, are the programmes offered in the January Semester;**

### ***Faculty of Education & Arts***

Bachelor of Education

Master of Education (Planning & Administration)

Master of Arts in Translation and Language

Development

Master of Human Resource Management in Education

Master of Arts in Literature

### ***Faculty of Science & Technology***

Diploma in Entrepreneurship &

Information Technology

Bachelor of Community Health

Master of Information Technology

Master of Public Health

Master of Public Health Leadership

(For International Applicants only)

### ***Faculty of Social Sciences***

Bachelor of Social Work and Social Administration

Bachelor of Development Studies

## MAY INTAKE

The University will receive application forms for the May intake according to the set deadline dates obtained from the admissions office or our Website: [www.ucu.ac.ug /admissions](http://www.ucu.ac.ug/admissions). The May Semester opens in the second week of May.

**Listed below, are the programmes offered in the May Semester;**

***Faculty of Business and Administration***

Bachelor of Procurement & Logistics Management

***Faculty of Science and Technology***

Bachelor of Nursing Science (For Single Trained RN)

Master of Nursing Science

***Faculty of Social Sciences***

Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology

***Bishop Tucker School of Divinity and Theology***

Bachelor of Divinity

Post Graduate Diploma in Christian Ministries  
(Focus on Chaplaincy)

Master of Arts in Theology and Development

Master of Arts in Theology

Master of Divinity

Master of Arts in Theology

(Focus on Islam for Mission and Ministry)

Master of Arts in Theology and Healthcare  
Management

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

Doctor of Ministry (DMin)

**MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

**Ugandan Applicants for Degree programs should hold either**

- (a) UCE & UACE Certificate with 2 Principal Passes  
OR
- (b) Diploma from a recognized institution of  
Higher Learning OR
- (c) A Pass in Mature Age Examination.

## International Applicants:

Other International applicants must have qualifications that are recognized for University entry in their respective countries.

### Kenyan Applicants for Degree should hold either

- (a) KSCE holders must have a minimum grade of C+ and above. OR
- (b) KACE, 'GCE or A-levels' applicants must have at least 2 principal passes or its equivalent. OR
- (c) A Diploma in a relevant discipline from a recognized institution of Higher Learning.

### Post Graduate Programmes applicants should hold at least:

A good first degree from a recognized institution of higher learning

### WHY IS UCU SPECIAL AND UNIQUE?

- We develop leaders. Students have many opportunities to attend leadership training and engage in programmes and services to practice that leadership.
- There are over 60 student clubs and associations. We focus on the mind and the body. Sports and athletics are important, so excellent grounds are available for games and sports programmes.
- Our campus environment is spectacular and clean. Students respect the natural beauty of this place. You even see it in how students care for themselves and how they dress! Students get 'value for the money.'

• There is no profit motive in this University; all the fees that are paid are in turn used to advance the University for the Welfare of the students and the staff. We also have a great staff. People are committed to the mission and direction of the University, from the Vice Chancellor to the Estates Workers. Most important, we are a University seriously committed to our faith. Chaplaincy programmes, worship opportunities and other fellowships are commonplace, and help give strength and purpose to our students' studies.

## Applications

In Uganda applications forms are available at a non-refundable fee of Uganda shs 50,000/= from; **Admissions Office, at the main campus.**

Forms can also be obtained from,

**Bishop Barham University College, Kabale**  
P.O.Box 613, Kabale

**And the Campuses of Mbale and Arua**  
**Online [www.ucu.ac.ug /admissions](http://www.ucu.ac.ug/admissions).**

Applications downloaded on line should be paid for on submission of the application form.

## Selection for Admission

Initially the selection letter for admission for those who qualify is provisional. It does not give the applicant an entitlement to a place at the University. It is subject to confirmation according to the instructions set in it.