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Call for Erasmus+ Applications for Postgraduate Students – Winter Semester 2026/27 for Students of the University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

The University of Dar es Salaam invites qualified postgraduate students to apply for the Erasmus+ Student Mobility Programme for the winter semester 2026/27 at the University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany.

Eligible Study Programmes:

- International Relations, Politics, Public Administration, Development Policy, Development Studies

Programme Conditions:

- Two nominated students will receive a grant to cover living expenses in Germany.
- Each participant will also receive a travel allowance.
- The winter semester begins from 1 October 2026 to 31 March 2027.
- Students are required to arrive in Germany prior to the start of the semester.

Application Procedure:

Interested candidates must submit their applications through the University of Dar es Salaam. If selected and pre-nominated by the University, applicants will receive further instructions regarding the application process from the University of Duisburg-Essen.

Required Application Documents:

- Letter of motivation
- Proof of admission (MA or PhD) at the University of Dar es Salaam
- Academic certificates/transcripts (BA and/or MA)
- English language proficiency certificate or other proof of proficiency
- Curriculum Vitae
- Letter of recommendation from the Head of Department or PhD supervisor

Deadline: 5 March 2026

Only complete applications that include all required documents will be considered. Shortlisted applicants will be informed by 9 March 2026 and invited for an interview that takes place at the University of Dar es Salaam, one of the days between 13 and 18 March 2026.

All applications should be submitted to the Departmental Erasmus+ Coordinator:

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