

MOROCCAN VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Applications are invited from suitably qualified Zambian nationals to contest for twenty **(20)** Vocational Training scholarships at **Diploma level** offered by the Moroccan Agency for International Cooperation (AMCI) for the **2024/2025** academic year. These scholarships are available under the Office of Vocational Training and Labour Promotion, a public operator in vocational training covering the Moroccan territory. The scholarships are offered in the fields of **Industrial Science, Agriculture (Crop and livestock farming), Fisheries (Aquaculture), Tourism, Digital, and Artificial Intelligence.**

These vocational training programs aim to enhance the employability and entrepreneurial skills of students. The host institutions collaborate with various stakeholders to provide practical, hands-on training in different vocational disciplines, focusing on equipping students with the necessary skills to succeed in the job market and to start their own businesses.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants should:

- Be a Zambia citizen with a Green National Registration Card (NRC)
 - Have a Birth Certificate
 - Have a Zambian Passport valid for at least One (1) year
 - Be a school leaver who completed Grade 12 in 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023
 - Have a Grade 12 full certificate – Grades 1 – 4.
 - Not be older than 23 years old by 1st September, 2024
- Having Design and Technology for those applying for industrial Science is an added advantage

CONDITIONS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

Candidates should meet own cost towards:

- Expenses to and from the Airport;
- Any short fall not adequately covered by the scholarship.

DURATION

The Diploma program is for Two years plus 8 months of preparatory French lessons as the course will be taught in French.

METHOD OF APPLICATION

Applicants should submit:

- A typed application letter responding to the advert, clearly stating the field of study desired, age, mobile phone number and email address for easy communication;
- Curriculum Vitae, Certified Photocopies of Educational Certificates, Transcript/Statement of results certified by Examinations Council of Zambia, National Registration Card, certified photocopy of applicant's birth certificate, two (2) colour passport size photos bearing the applicant's name at the back and **colour photocopy of pages 2 and 3 of applicant's passport** and Police Clearance Certificate;
- A motivation essay of the course stating personal expectations and interests and how the course of study will enhance one's contribution to Zambia's development **(200 words)**. Please note that you will be subjected to additional assessments using artificial intelligence tools to scientifically align your field of study.

It is a requirement by the host country that all nominated candidates undergo comprehensive medical examinations including the **HIV test, Tuberculosis (TB)** and **Hepatitis A&B tests.**

Nominated candidates must note that **last-minute withdrawals will attract serious sanctions from the Loans Board which may include being blacklisted.**

A clear copy of the deposit slip from NATSAVE of **K100** application fee **(Application Fee should be deposited at any NATSAVE branch)**

Applications should be addressed to:	or	Hand delivered to:
The Chief Executive Officer Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board P.O. Box 320298, LUSAKA		The Reception Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board 2nd Floor United Church House, No. 8 Mosi-oa- Tunya Road, Woodlands, LUSAKA.
		Or The Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board, C4 Copperbelt University Riverside Campus, Kitwe.

Closing date: Friday 19th July, 2024.

For any clarification, contact us on:

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NOTE:

- Only **short listed** candidates will be contacted. Any applicant who would not hear from us by **Friday 31st July, 2024** should consider his/her application as unsuccessful;

John Machayi (Dr.)
Chief Executive Officer
HIGHER EDUCATION LOANS AND SCHOLARSHIPS BOARD

it is possible.

