

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC REPUBLIC OF MAURITIUS



THE MAURITIUS-AFRICA SCHOLARSHIPS SCHEME (MASS) FOR THE YEAR 2025/2026

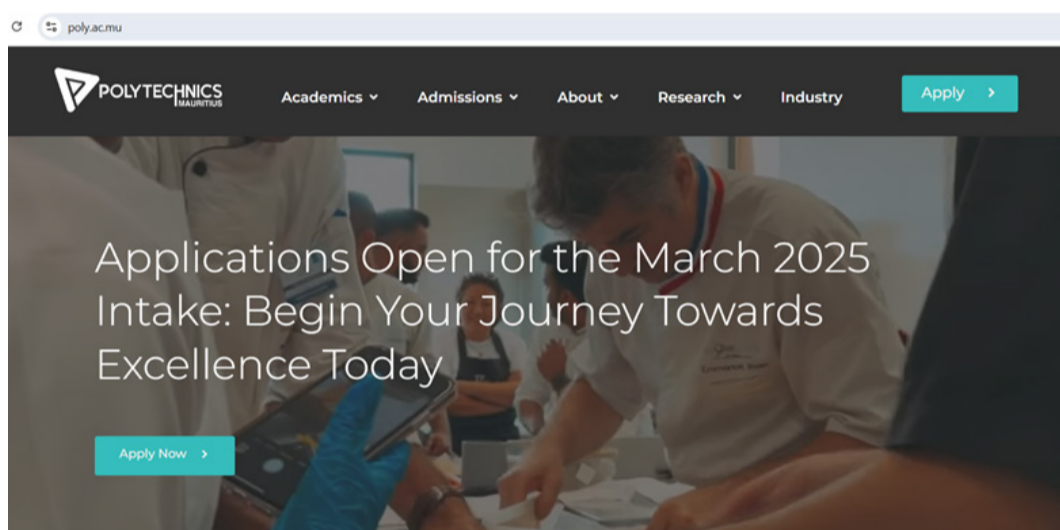
About the Mauritius-Africa Scholarship Scheme (MASS)

- **Eligibility:** Open to resident citizens of African Union or African Commonwealth member states. Diploma applicants must be between 18 and 26 years old by January 1, 2026.
- **Benefits:** Covers tuition fees up to MUR 100,000, a monthly living allowance of MUR 16,500, free basic health care in public hospitals, and a return airfare to and from Mauritius.
- The scholarship will also provide a pathway for students that successfully complete the **Diploma** programme to transition into a **Bachelor's** Degree Programme.
- **Application Process:** Applicants must have applied for at least one full-time on-campus program at a public higher education institution in Mauritius and submit proof of application with the scholarship request.

Priority will be given to **technical courses and hospitality-related programs**, aligning with our focus on equipping students with practical, industry-relevant skills. More information on available programs can be found here: <https://www.poly.ac.mu/>

APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. GO to the **Mauritius Polytechnic Ltd** Website: <https://www.poly.ac.mu/>
2. Click on Apply Now
3. Under the International Students click Apply Now
4. Follow the instructions to upload supporting documents and complete the Online Application



5. Submit a print out of the Admission Letter with supporting documents to The Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board

METHOD OF APPLICATION SUBMISSION TO HELSB:

Applicants should submit:

- Printout of Admission letter
- **Typed Application Letter:** Typed application letter responding to the advert, clearly stating the field of study desired, age and mobile phone number for easy communication
- **Curriculum Vitae**
- **Certified Copies of Educational Certificates:** (Grade 12 Results/Certificates certified by ECZ)
- **Certified True Copy of Applicant's Birth Certificate**
- **Two (02) Passport size photos**
- **Colour photocopy of pages 2 and 3 of applicant's passport**
- A **study plan or synopsis** of summarized details of the preferred course and how the intended course of study will enhance one's contribution to the Zambia's development (**250** words for Diploma applicants)
- Application fee of **K100** should be deposited at any NATSAVE Branch. Applicants to submit a **clear copy of the deposit slip** for the application fee from NATSAVE

Applications should be addressed to:

The Chief Executive Officer
Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board
P.O. Box 320298,
LUSAKA

or

Hand delivered to:

The Reception
Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board
2nd Floor United Church House,
No. 8 Mosi-oo- Tunya Road,
Woodlands, LUSAKA.

Or The Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board, C4 Copperbelt University Riverside Campus, Kitwe.

Or The Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board, Mulungushi University, P.O Box 80415, Town campus, Kabwe.

Or The Higher Education Loans and Scholarships Board, Stand No 6711 Mberere Road Olympia Park Extension, Lusaka.

CLOSING DATE: As indicated on the Mauritius Polytechnic Ltd website

- i) Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.
- ii) Applicants should apply for only one programme of study.

John Machayi (Dr.)

Chief Executive Officer

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