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To launch a competitive entrance examination for admission into the **first year** of the Institute of Fine Arts of the University of Douala at Nkongsamba, and fixing the number of places offered for the **2024/2025** academic year.

THE MINISTER OF STATE, MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION:

- Mindful of The constitution;
- Mindful of Law N° 2001/005 of 16 April 2001 bearing on Higher Education Orientation;
- Mindful of Decree N° 2018/190 of 02 March 2018 to amend and complete some provisions of Decree N° 2011/408 of 09 December 2011 on the organization of the government;
- Mindful of Decree N° 2011/410 of 09 December 2011 to appoint Members of Government;
- Mindful of Decree N° 2018/191 of 04 January 2019 to reshuffle the Government;
- Mindful of Decree N° 93/026 of 19 January 1993, to create Universities;
- Mindful of Decree N° 2005/342 of 10 September 2005 modifying and completing certain dispositions of Decree N° 93/027 of 19 January 1993, laying down common provisions for Universities,
- Mindful of Decree N° 2005/383 of 17 October 2005 to lay down the Financial Regulations Applicable to Universities;
- Mindful of Decree N° 93/030 of 19 January 1993 to lay down the administrative and academic Organization of the University of Douala;
- Mindful of Decree N° 93/035 of 19 January 1993 to grant Special Status to the Higher Education Staff;
- Mindful of Decree N° 2015/398 of 15 September 2015, to appoint Rectors in some State Universities;
- Mindful of Order n° 18240028/MINESUP/SG/DAUQ/SDEAC of February 14, 2024 fixing the calendar for the competitive entrance examinations into the various Schools of State Universities and Schools under academic supervision of MINESUP, for the 2024/2025 academic year;

And on the proposal of the Rector of the University of Douala;

HEREBY ANNOUNCES:

Article 1: A competitive entrance examination for the admission of three hundred and fifty (350) **students** into the **1st year** of the Institute of Fine Arts of the University of Douala at Nkongsamba for the **2024/2025** academic year has been launched and will take place on **12th September 2024**.

Article 2: The entrance examination, referred to in Article 1 above, is opened to Cameroonians of both sexes, as well as to foreign candidates resident in Cameroon, within the limits of available places.

Article 3: The distribution of the number of places is fixed as follows:

N°	SPECIALITIES	NUMBER OF PLACES
01	Architecture and Town Planning	50
02	Heritage and Museum Studies	50
03	Plastic Arts and History of Art	50
04	Cinema and Audiovisuals	50
05	Theatre Studies	50
06	Musicology and Choreography	50
07	Arts and Cloth Design	50

Article 4: This entrance examination is opened to holders of the following diplomas:

N°	SPECIALITIES	DIPLOMAS REQUIRED
01	Architecture and Town Planning	Bac A, B, C, D, E, F ₄ in Building, F ₃ in Electricity, GCE A4, GCE AL in science subjects, GCE-AL Technical excluding Religion Knowledge, BT-GT (Geometry, Topography)
02	Heritage and Museum Studies	Bac and GCE-AL all series
03	Plastic Arts and History of Art	Bac and GCE-AL all series
04	Cinema and Audiovisuals	Bac and GCE-AL all series
05	Theatre Studies	Bac and GCE-AL all series
06	Musicology and Choreography	Bac and GCE-AL all series
07	Arts and Cloth Design	Bac and GCE-AL all series, all Technician Certificates, Professional Certificates in Fuzzy Couture and Social and Family Economy

Article 5: The requirements of Article 4 above are applicable to any applicant holding any other diploma recognized as equivalent by the Ministry of Higher Education.

Article 6: The complete application form includes the following documents:

1. A stamped hand-written application;
2. An identification form provided by the Institute of Fine Arts, available at:
 - The University of Douala (Faculty of Letters and Social Sciences: Admissions Office);
 - The Institute of Fine Arts of Nkongsamba (Admissions Office);
 - The Ministry of Higher Education (9th floor, door 917);
 - All the Regional Delegations of the Ministry of Secondary Education (MINESEC).
3. A certified copy of the birth certificate not more than three (03) months;

4. A certified copy of the diplomas giving entitlement to the competitive entrance examination;
5. Five (05) 4x4 passport size photographs;
6. A medical certificate issued by a doctor of the public health unit, attesting that the applicant is fit to pursue university studies;
7. Transcripts of Baccalaureat;
8. A receipt for the payment of the sum of **twenty thousand** CFA francs (20,000frs) representing the entrance fee, payable at the **UBA** bank account N° **10033-05214-1400-7000004- 47**;
9. Two (02) A4 stamped envelopes bearing the candidate's address;
10. An authorization to sit for the entrance issued by the employer, for civil servant candidates, workers of private companies and organizations.

Article 7: Complete application files shall be deposited latest September 10, 2024 at the following places:

- The University of Douala (Faculty of Letters and Social Sciences: Admissions Office);
- The Institute of Fine Arts at Nkongsamba (Admissions Office);
- IBA offices at the former FMPS Deanery (ENSET entrance Campus 2 of the University of Douala at Ndogbong);
- The Ministry of Higher Education (9th floor, door 917);
- All the Regional Delegations of the Ministry of Secondary Education.

Article 8: The written examination consists of the following papers:

N°	Papers	Duration	Coef.	Specialities
01	French	02 hrs	02	All
02	English	02 hrs	02	All
03	General Knowledge	02 hr	02	All
04	Drawing	01 hr	01	All
05	Mathematics	02 hrs	02	Architecture and Town Planning

Article 9: The candidates must be at most twenty-nine (29) years old on the first of January of the year of the entrance examination.

Article 10: Candidates of the public service, workers of private companies and organizations are in no case concerned by the age restriction referred to in Article 9 above.

Article 11: An examination centre is opened in the following localities:

- **Douala** (The University of Douala, Amphi 200 of ESSEC);
- **Nkongsamba** (The Institute of Fine Arts);
- **Yaoundé** (FALSS, The University of Yaoundé I).

Article 12: The Rector of the University of Douala, the Director of University Accreditations and Quality are, each in his capacity, responsible for the implementation of this press release which shall be registered and published wherever need be.

THE MINISTER OF STATE
MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION



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