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To launch the competitive entrance examination into the 1st year of the training for Masters of Engineering degree in five (05) years of the Faculty of Mines and Petroleum Industries (FMIP) of the University of Maroua for the 2021-2022 academic year.

THE MINISTER OF STATE, THE MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION,

- Mindful of the Constitution ;
- Mindful of law N°005 of 16 April 2001 on the orientation of Higher Education ;
- Mindful of decree N°2012/433 of 01 October 2012 to organize the Ministry of Higher Education ;
- Mindful of decree N°93/027 of 19 January 1993 to lay down the general provisions governing Universities, modified and completed by decree N°2005/342 of 10 September 2005 ;
- Mindful of decree N°2008/280 of 09 August 2008 to create the University of Maroua ;
- Mindful of decree N°2008/281 of 09 August 2008 on the administrative and academic organization of the University of Maroua ;
- Mindful of decree N°2013/0891/PM of 12 March 2013 to appoint officials in the Ministry of Higher Education ;
- Mindful of decree N°2017/318 of 27 June 2017 to appoint a Vice-Chancellor and Rectors of some State Universities;
- Mindful of decree N°2017/349 of 06 July 2017 to modify and complete certain dispositions of decree N°2013/333 of 13 September 2013 to create Faculties, Schools and Institutes within the University of Maroua;
- Mindful of decree N°2018/074 of 29 January 2018 to appoint officials in State Universities ;
- Mindful of decree N°2019/002 of 04 January 2019 to organize the Government ;
- Mindful of order N°18/00022/MINESUP of 19 January 2018 to create Departments in the Faculty of Mines and Petroleum Industries of the University of Maroua
- Mindful of order N°21 - 00075/MINESUP/SG/DAUQ/SDEAC of 15 February 2021 to organize the calendar of competitive entrance examinations into Faculties, Schools and Institutes of Cameroon State Universities for 2021-2022 academic year;

On the proposal of the Rector of the University of Maroua,

ANNOUNCES:

Article 1: A competitive written examination for admission into the 1st year of the training for Masters in Engineering degree in five (05) years at the Faculty of Mines and Petroleum Industries (FMIP) of the University of Maroua is launched, for the 2021-2022 academic year, in the following areas:

Area	Number of places
Mining, Petroleum and Gas Economics, Management and Legislation (EGLM)	60
Mining, Petroleum and Gas Exploration and Water Resources (XMPE)	60
Mining Engineering and treatment of Mineral (IMTM)	60

Petroleum and Gas Mechanical Engineering (GMPG)	60
Refining and Petrochemistry (RPC)	60
Industrial Security, Quality and Environment (SQE)	60
Total	360

Article 2 : (1) The competitive entrance examination is organized in a single session for Cameroonians of both sexes and who are holders of the following certificates: the GCE Advanced Level in at least two (2) science subjects including one of the main subjects required for the series solicited, and the GCE Ordinary Level obtained in one session with at least four (4) science subjects including two (2) of the subjects required for the series solicited ; the Baccalauréat Certificate required for each series solicited.

(2) The table below indicates the type of Baccalauréat and the main subject which the candidate, following the series solicited must have passed at the GCE 'A' Level to be able to sit in for the examination:

Area	Type of Baccalauréat and subjects obtained at the GCE 'A' Level
Mining, Petroleum and Gas Economics, Management and Legislation (EGLM)	C, D, TI, E, F, ACA, ACC, CG, FIG, CI, BT, B ou A Science Subjects including Accounting and Economics
Mining, Petroleum and Gas Exploration and Water Resources (XMPE)	C, D, TI, E, F, CI, BT
Mining Engineering and treatment of Mineral (IMTM)	Geology or Physics or Computer Science or Mathematics or chemistry and Further Mathematics for the GCE 'A'L
Petroleum and Gas Mechanical Engineering (GMPG)	
Refining and Petrochemistry (RPC)	
Industrial Security, Quality and Environment (SQE)	C, D, TI, E, F, CI, BT Science Subjects

Article 3 : (1) Foreign candidates from the CEMAC Zone who qualify to be treated as nationals and who also have similar academic qualifications as nationals can be admitted, depending on the number of places available.

(2) Foreign candidates who are not from the CEMAC Zone shall be liable to contribute to the cost of their training by paying tuition which amount shall be established by a special text.

Article 4: Registration for the entrance examination is done online on the Faculty's website at:

<https://www.fmip.univ-maroua.cm/concours>

Candidates' files shall comprise the following documents:

- an application form to sit for the examination, obtained from either the Faculty of Mines and Petroleum Industries (FMIP) or the regional delegations for Secondary Education. It can be also downloaded from the following MINESUP Internet website: <http://www.minesup.gov.cm>, the website of the University of Maroua: <http://www.univ-maroua.cm>, and the website of the Faculty of Mines and Petroleum Industries: <https://www.fmip.univ-maroua.cm>;
- a certified photocopy of birth certificate, dated not more than three (03) months from date of establishment;
- results transcripts of the GCE/OL or the Probatoire, and the GCE/AL or the Baccalauréat certified by the competent authorities ;
- a certified photocopy of the GCE/AL or the Baccalauréat , or an equivalent diploma/certificate recognized by the Minister of State, Minister of Higher Education, dated not more than three (03) months ago, or a Success Testimonial certified by the competent authorities. Only candidates sitting for the 2021 GCE/AL or the Baccalauréat are authorized to write the examination awaiting the required diplomas/certificates ; however, where the case arises, their final admission shall be possible only on the presentation of proof of having obtained the required diploma/certificate within the date limits specified by the competent authority ;

- a medical certificate issued by a medical doctor working with the Public Administration, testifying that the candidate is physically and medically apt to pursue higher education studies.
- a receipt showing payment of the sum of twenty thousand francs (20 000) CFA F as examination fees, issued by the Bank- SGB Cameroon, Bank code: 10002, Cashier Code: 00033, Bank Account N° 90000258006, CLE RIB 58. *No other mode of payment shall be accepted* ;
- a large envelop bearing postal stamps respecting current rates and carrying the exact address of the candidate ;
- four (04) passport size (4x4) photographs ;

Article 5: Candidates who are holders of foreign diplomas/certificates have to present either the equivalence or the receipt showing that they have applied for the equivalence of their diploma or certificate issued by the Minister of State, the Minister of Higher Education. However, their final admission and the award of a diploma or an attestation of completion at the end of their training may be required only upon presentation within the time limits set by the competent authority, of the text granting equivalence to their diploma, and obtained from the Minister of State, the Minister of Higher Education by the candidate.

Article 6 : Complete files shall be deposited either at the Divisional delegation for Secondary Education of Mfoundi for Centre Region, Regional delegation for Secondary Education for other regions or at the Antenna of the University of Maroua in Yaoundé, or at the Admissions Service of the Faculty of Science of the University of Dschang, or at the Admissions Service of the Faculty of Mines and Petroleum Industries at Kaélé, latest **Tuesday 07th September 2021**.

Article 7: The examination papers will comprise the following:

- a) the written paper which will account for 70% of the overall assessment ;
- b) a mark for school attendance which will account for 30% of the overall assessment ;

Article 8: The written examination session shall be conducted on **Saturday 11th September 2021** in the following centres: Douala, Dschang, Kaélé, Maroua, N'Gaoundéré and Yaoundé.

Article 9 : (1) The written paper shall be partitioned as follows :

Area	Part 1	Part 2	Part 3	Part 4	Part 5
Mining, Petroleum and Gas Economics, Management and Legislation (EPG)	Mathematics (20 marks)	Economics and Management (30 marks)	Physics (15marks)	Géology (15 marks)	General Knowledge (20 marks)
Mining, Petroleum and Gas Management and Legislation (GLM)	Mathematics (20 marks)	Economics and Management (30 marks)	Computer Science (15marks)	Géology (15 marks)	General Knowledge (20 marks)
Mining, Petroleum and Gas Exploration and Water Resources (XMPE)					
Mining Engineering and treatment of Mineral (IMTM)					
Petroleum and Gas Mechanical Engineering (GMPG)	Mathematics (20 marks)	Chemistry (20 marks)	Physics (20 marks)	Geology (20 marks)	General knowledge (20 marks)
Refining and Petrochemistry (RPC)					
Industrial Security, Quality and Environment (SQE)					

(2) The examination syllabuses are those of the GCE/AL or the Baccalauréat required for the series solicited.

(3) The examination paper written long 5 hours is marked on one hundred (100) marks.

Article 10: The mark for school attendance shall be allocated based on the following criteria:

- the candidate's age ;
- the number of years spent in secondary education ;
- marks obtained at the GCE/OL or the Probatoire and the GCE/AL or the Baccalauréat.

Article 11: (1) At the end of the written examination and after recording the mark for school attendance, the jury shall establish, according to series and in order of merit, the tentative list of candidates for admission.

- (2) The candidate's admission cannot be carried forward from one academic year to another.
- (3) The final admission will be published by the Minister of State, Minister of Higher Education.

Article 12: The composition of the jury cited in article 12 above shall be established in a special text by the Minister of State, Minister of Higher Education.

Article 13: The examination fees mentioned in article 5 above are non-refundable.

Article 14 : The Rector of the University of Maroua, the Director for University Accreditations and Quality and the Dean of the Faculty of Mines and Petroleum Industries of the University of Maroua are, each in his sphere, charged with the implementation of this press release which shall be recorded and published in English and in French wherever need arises.

