

National Council for Higher Education

Ensuring Quality for Excellence

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The Vice Chancellor, Valley University of Science and Technology, P.O Box 44, Bushenyi - Uganda.

## RE: ACCREDITED ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

I am pleased to inform you that after due consideration, Council at its 76<sup>th</sup> Meeting of 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024, under Min. 607/76/2024 accredited the academic programme/s indicated below for the specified admissible number of students and the stated accreditation period with effect from 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024.

Programme Name		Admissible Number of Students per Year	Accreditation Period in Years
1.	Bachelor of Science in Agriculture	50	9
2.	Bachelor of Science with Education - Agriculture	50	. 7
3.	Master of Education Management Science and Leadership	15	5
4.	Master of Business Administration	15	5
5.	Master of Public Administration	15	5
6.	Diploma in Public Administration and Management	80	5

I wish to remind you that under section 119(A) of the Universities and Other Tertiary Institutions Act 2001 (as amended), you shall not run any academic programmes that have not been accredited by National Council for Higher Education (NCHE). Please urge your staff members to implement these programmes in accordance with the regulations of NCHE. Officers of the NCHE shall review the implementation during their periodic administrative and monitoring visits to your institution.

I also wish to draw your attention to Statutory Instrument No. 17 of 2010 which requires every student to contribute Shs. 20,000 (Twenty Thousand shillings only) per year to the National Council for Higher Education. Please note that payment is effected through the URA Portal.

Professor Mary J.N. Okwakol PhD

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR** 

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