



**UNIVERSITY OF  
KWAZULU-NATAL**

## **Faculty of Management Studies**

### Opening Doors of Learning

The Faculty of Management Studies at the University of KwaZulu-Natal offers candidates who do not meet the minimum entrance requirements into the mainstream Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) Degree the opportunity to be admitted into the Programme through the Faculty's Alternative Access Programme known as the BCom 4 Degree.

#### **What is BCom 4?**

It is an extended curriculum which stretches the three year BCom Degree over four years in a programme designed to help students develop competencies in language, numeracy, writing and critical thought.

Specifically developed learning opportunities are provided alongside a reduced load of Faculty courses to meet the needs of students who have not had the benefit of good schooling but who have the potential to succeed academically. It gives alternative access to students from disadvantaged schools who do not qualify for admission to the Faculty on the grounds of their matriculation results, but who do have NSC Degree (with APS of 28), with English and Life Orientation level 4 and Mathematics level 3 or matriculation exemption with 32 or more points and at least a HG 'E' or SG 'D' symbol in Mathematics.

#### **Which campuses offer BCom 4 at UKZN?**

The Programme is offered on the Westville and Pietermaritzburg campuses. The Pietermaritzburg campus offers 50 spaces for first years and Westville campus offers 100 places. Applying early is therefore important to secure a place.

#### **Financial Aid and University Residence**

Students in the BCom 4 Programme do qualify for financial aid if they meet NSFAS requirements as well as University residence. The need for financial aid and accommodation must be indicated on the application form.

#### **Career Opportunities**

The BCom Degree will enable the graduates to specialize in Accounting, Economics, Finance, Human Resources Management, Information Systems, Management, Marketing, Supply Chain Management and Public Administration.

#### **Closing date for applications**

31 October 2010

#### **How to apply?**

For the most up-to-date information, visit the University's website at [www.ukzn.ac.za](http://www.ukzn.ac.za) or contact us on:

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