
CALL FOR APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE RWANDA BAR ASSOCIATION

The Rwanda Bar Association (RBA) is inviting qualified lawyers who aspire to pursue their professional career as Advocates to submit their applications to the RBA Secretariat located at Kicukiro, KK 500 St. The applications will be received from July 24th to August 17th 2023, Midday 12h00.

The requirements to apply for the admission to the Bar are attached to this call for application.

For more information, do not hesitate to contact the RBA Secretariat on +250783819800 or +250788301003, email: rwandabar2015@gmail.com and copy adminass@rwandabar.org.rw

NB: In the past the management of RBA noticed, that some applicants submitted incomplete files, please read carefully the requirements and only files that meet requirements, will be received and considered.

Done at Kigali, on July 21st 2023



Moise NKUNDABARASHI (Adv.)
President,
Rwanda Bar Association

**REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE
RWANDA BAR ASSOCIATION**

1. Application letter addressed to the President of the Rwanda Bar Association (Clearly indicating whether you are applying for the admission to the Roll of Advocates or to the list of Intern Advocates);
2. Curriculum Vitae;
3. **Notarized copy of degree/s in law: Bachelors' degree in law or their equivalence issued by the Rwanda High Education Council.**
4. A certified post graduate diploma in Legal Practice (DLP) or its equivalence issued by the Rwanda High Education Council;
5. Applicant's detailed Identification/Copy of ID or Passport
6. Valid Criminal record certificate at the date of submission of application issued by the Competent Authority;
7. **A proof of reciprocity for foreign applicants;**
8. A written statement by which the person concerned certifies that he/she has never, in Republic of Rwanda or abroad, been convicted of **any disciplinary or administrative sanction due to gross misconduct or criminal offence or that he/she has been pardoned or rehabilitated following such conviction;**
9. One recent passport size photograph in colour on white background;
10. If the applicant is a practicing advocate in his/her home Country, he/she must present the letter of his/her Bar Association President/Law Society or his/her representative confirming the applicant membership status to his/her home Bar Association/Law Society.
11. Proof of payment of application fees equivalent to 150,000 Rwandan Francs payable at the Bank Account N^o: 100012233196 FRW/Rwanda Bar Association opened at BK (Bank of Kigali)/ SWIFT CODE: BKIGRWRW. (Applicants files analysis, written & interview Bar exam logistics)

