



MURANG'A UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY
STUDENTS ELECTORAL COMMISSION (SEC)
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INTERNAL MEMO

FROM: STUDENTS ELECTORAL COMMISSION

DATE: 20TH JANUARY 2025

TO: ALL STUDENTS

REF: MUT/SEC/003/2025

SUBJECT: ELECTION RULES AND REGULATIONS

All candidates are expected to adhere to election rules and regulations as provided in the Murang'a University of Technology (MUTSO) constitution.

The electoral commission shall disqualify a candidate from election for any of the following offenses committed by the candidate or systematically carried out by his/her election team.

- a. Rigging.
- b. Use of violence or physical force.
- c. Intimidation and harassment.
- d. Use of vernacular languages in campaigns or use of other languages other than English and Swahili in the campaigns.
- e. Bribery.
- f. Giving false or malicious information.
- g. Questioning qualifications of other candidates.
- h. Mounting of campaign posters of any candidate in non-designated areas
- i. Verbal abuse.
- j. Use of foul language.
- k. Forgery of signatures e.g., in nominations.
- l. Slurs based on ethnicity, religion, gender, mode of study etc.
- m. Drunkenness and rowdiness.
- n. Unauthorized vehicles processions in and off campus.
- o. Non-adherence to campaign rules and timelines.
- p. Provocative attacks and incendiary attacks on the statutes, regulations and policies of the University.
- q. Defamation of any member of the University community.
- r. Receipt of funding from political parties, interest groups and persons.
- s. If the electoral convicts a winning candidate of an electoral offence, then it shall declare the seat vacant and call for a by-election.

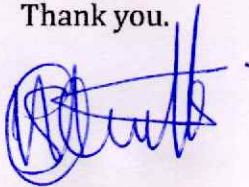


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- t. Use of social media to defame other candidates or members of the university community.
- u. Failure to get approval of SEC on publicity materials before use.
- v. Incitements against university administration, staff or management.
- w. Campaigning on tribal grounds.
- x. Funding / organizing hooliganism.
- y. Use of goons and supporters to threaten or physically assault other candidates
- z. Use of social media to defame other candidates or members of the university community.

Thank you.



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SEC CHAIRMAN



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