Application for a Postgraduate Research Scholarship for Research Candidates Currently Enrolled at ACU

*Domestic and international research candidates who are currently enrolled\* in a research degree at ACU and who wish to apply for a postgraduate research scholarship should complete this application form.*

*Domestic applicants who are not currently enrolled\* in a research higher degree at ACU and who wish to apply for a postgraduate research scholarship should complete the Domestic Application for Higher Degree Research Candidature / Postgraduate Research Scholarship available from* [*http://research.acu.edu.au/support-for-research-candidates/forms/*](http://research.acu.edu.au/support-for-research-candidates/forms/)*.*

*International applicants who are not currently enrolled\* in a research higher degree at ACU and who wish to apply for a postgraduate research scholarship should complete the International Application for Higher Degree Research Candidature / Postgraduate Research Scholarship available from* [*http://research.acu.edu.au/support-for-research-candidates/forms/*](http://research.acu.edu.au/support-for-research-candidates/forms/)*.*

*\* A currently enrolled research candidate is a person who has accepted an offer of a place and who has officially enrolled in a research higher degree at ACU.*

Please ensure all sections are completed and the form is signed before submitting to:

Candidature Services

Australian Catholic University

Locked Bag 4115

Fitzroy MDC VIC 3065

Email: [res.cand@acu.edu.au](mailto:res.cand@acu.edu.au)

Incomplete applications will delay consideration by ACU.

### Section 1: Personal Contact Details

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| Title: | Given Names: |  | Family Name: | |
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| Date of Birth:  (dd / mmm / yyyy) | |  | Gender:    Female  Male | |
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| Other Surnames:  (To be provided if any transcripts contain a name other than your current family name, e.g. your maiden name.) | |  | | Home |
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### Section 2: Research Degree Details

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| **Which ACU research degree are you currently enrolled in?**  When did you commence your research degree at ACU (dd / mmm / yyyy)?  What is your current mode of study?  Full-time  Part-time  **Please note:** If your application for a postgraduate research scholarship is successful you must study full-time.  In which Research Institute / School are you studying?  At which campus?  Who is your Principal Supervisor?  Who is your Co-supervisor?  If relevant, who is your Assistant Supervisor? |

### Section 3: Qualifications and Academic Record

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| Please detail below all tertiary institutions at which you have been enrolled:   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Qual.  eg BA | Institution  eg ACU | Period Enrolled  eg 2005 - 2007 | Year Completed  eg 2007 | Language of Instruction  eg English | Details of Grades  eg 1HD, 2D, 2P  First Year Other Years | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | |

### Section 4: Academic Awards / Prizes

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| Have you ever received an academic award / prize from a tertiary institution?  Yes  No  **If 'yes',** please complete the details below**.** | | |
| Name of the Award / Prize | From which Institution was the Award / Prize Granted? | Description of the Award / Prize |
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### Section 5: Employment Background

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| Dates of Employment  (mmm / yyyy to  mmm / yyyy) | Full-time or  Part-time | Position | Name of Organisation |
| Current |  |  |  |
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### Section 6: Research Experience

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| List any articles or chapters you have had accepted or published in refereed journals or academic books.  **Please note:** Copies of listed articles and / or book chapters should be attached to this application (must be in English). | | | | |
| Author/s | Year | Title | Journal/Book | Pages |
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| List any conferences you have presented at and conference proceedings your work has been published in: | | | | |
| Author/s | Year | Title | Conference Proceedings | Location |
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| Briefly describe any research experience you have completed as part of your tertiary studies (limit 1,000 characters):    **Please note:** Selected excerpts from your Honours and/or postgraduate research theses should be attached to this application (must be in English). | | | | |
| Briefly describe any research experience you have gained via employment (limit 1,000 characters):    **Please note:** Selected excerpts from any employment related reports you have written should be attached to this application (must be in English). | | | | |

### Section 7: Description of Current Research

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| Applicants for a postgraduate research scholarship must complete a 1,000 to 2,000 word description of their current research, addressing the following:   * Title of thesis * Description of research problem * Aims, theoretical background and hypotheses/research questions * Methodology and approach * Timeline * Resources required to conduct the research |

### Section 8: Postgraduate Research Scholarships

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| **Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Origin**  Are you of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin? Please tick the relevant box:  Aboriginal  Torres Strait Islander  Both  Neither  **Please note:** Please refer to the details, including the closing date and conditions of award, of the postgraduate research scholarship/s for which you wish to submit an application to determine your eligibility before completing the remainder of this section. (The details are available at <http://research.acu.edu.au/support-for-research-candidates/scholarships/>)  Please indicate below the postgraduate research scholarship/s you wish to apply for.  **Research Training Program (RTP) Stipend Scholarship**  **ACU Other Scholarship.** Please state the name of this scholarship as per the ACU website**:**        **Please note:** If you apply for more than one postgraduate research scholarship, your applications will be processed in chronological order as scholarship selection committees are formed. Should you be offered a scholarship, and you accept it, you will not be considered for any other scholarships you have indicated you wish to apply for.  Have you previously received a postgraduate research scholarship?  Yes  No  **If 'yes',** please complete the details below. | | | |
| Name of Scholarship | Granting Institution | Annual Value | Duration of the Scholarship (mmm / yyyy to  mmm / yyyy) |
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### Section 9: Confidential Referee Reports

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| If you have been enrolled in a research degree at ACU for less than one year and you would like us to use the confidential referee reports submitted with your application for candidature, please check the following box:  Otherwise, please ask two people who are familiar with your research ability and/or research potential forward a *Confidential Referee Report* available from <http://research.acu.edu.au/support-for-research-candidates/forms/> direct to Candidature Services ([res.cand@acu.edu.au](mailto:res.cand@acu.edu.au)). Instructions for completing the referee report are on the report template.  Please provide the names of your referees below:  1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **Please note:** Applications will not be considered until two Confidential Referee Reports have been received. |

**Section 10: Checklist**

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| I have attached copies of completed research, eg copies of published articles and book chapters, and selected excerpts from theses and / or research reports, if applicable (must be in English). |  |  |

### Section 11: Declaration

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| I declare that the information I have supplied on this form is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and correct.  I understand that the giving of false or incomplete information may lead to a refusal of my application or cancellation of enrolment at any stage during my studies.  I authorise ACU to obtain from other educational institutions and relevant authorities, at any time, details of my enrolment, academic record, examination results and bond status, including enrolment variations, attendance and addresses during the year in connection with my application.  I also authorise ACU to request and obtain further information from any employer who may be required to confirm or clarify my suitability and eligibility for this application.  I declare that the description of my current research (section 7) is my own work.  Applicant's signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |