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जे विद्यार्थी शिष्यवृत्ती करिता अर्ज करू इच्छितात त्यांनी सर्व माहिती संबंधित प्रपत्रात भरून ई-मेल srtmundirectoril@gmail.com वर सॉफ्ट कॉपी पाठवावी. तसेच या प्रपत्राची एक हार्ड कॉपी विद्यापीठाकडे पाठवितांना Name of the student, Master Degree, Bachelor Degree, Percentage, year of passing, Research Publication, Journal, Area of interest, Suitable UNSW research area, current status student / faculty / alumni या सर्व कागदपत्रांच्या साक्षात्कीत प्रती संचालक, नवोपक्रम, नवसंशोधन व साहचर्य मंडळ, मुख्य प्रशासकीय इमारत रुम नं.२०१, स्वा.रा.ती.म.विद्यापीठ, नांदेड यांचे कडे दि.२९/१२/२०१८ पर्यंत पाठवावी. प्राप्त अर्जांची छाननी करून, पात्र असलेल्या विद्यार्थ्यांची नावे शासनास पाठविण्यात येतील. सबब, ही बाब सर्व संबंधितांच्या निदर्शनास आणावी, ही विनंती.

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संचालक

नवोपक्रम, नवसंशोधन व साहचर्य मंडळ

सोबत : माहितीपत्रक

प्रत:

सिस्टीम एक्स्पर्ट, शैक्षणिक विभाग, प्रस्तुत विद्यापीठ यांना देवून कळविण्यात येते की, सदर परिपत्रक व माहितीपत्रक विद्यापीठ संकेतस्थळावर प्रकाशित करावे.

6. SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION TO THE VICE CHANCELLOR OF YOUR UNIVERSITY

The Vice Chancellor of your University will forward your application to the Maharashtra Director of Higher Education, who will undertake an initial assessment of the eligibility of applications received, and submit the most competitive applications to UNSW for final evaluation.

In order that there is time for the initial assessment to occur, the Director of Higher Education has nominated dates for submission of applications that dovetail with the official UNSW Closing Dates for applications identified in 'Key Dates'.

Thus, the deadline for submission of applications to the VC of your University for the:

UNSW Round 1 of 2019 will be: mid-December 2018

UNSW Round 2 of 2019 will be: early April 2019

UNSW Round 3 of 2019 will be: mid-August 2019



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**Scholarship pathway for Maharashtra
candidates applying to study at UNSW
(Sydney and Canberra campuses)
for the degree of PhD**

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UNSW Policies

This 'Scholarship pathway' document is based on publicly-available UNSW policy and procedure documents, as below:

'Admission to Higher Degree Research Programs Procedure'

(https://www.google.com/url?sa=t&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=web&cd=1&ved=2ahUKEwji1_338vfdAhVIMt4KHYw7BfiQFjAAegQICRAC&url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gs.unsw.edu.au%2Fpolicy%2Fdocuments%2Fadmissiontohdrprogramsprocedure.pdf&usg=AOvVaw1rAb_WHLnSywtDCg6VdFYG)

'Higher Degree Research Admissions and Pathways Guideline'

(https://www.google.com/url?sa=t&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=web&cd=1&ved=2ahUKEwii4-P8_fdAhUGat4KHW5CCpQQFjAAegQICRAC&url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gs.unsw.edu.au%2Fpolicy%2Fdocuments%2Fhdradmissionsguideline.pdf&usg=AOvVaw1-m6H-tCocuHLMcTWNQ84g)

'Higher Degree Research Scholarships Procedure'

(https://www.google.com/url?sa=t&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=web&cd=1&ved=2ahUKEwiqopeo8_fdAhWNd94KHR9AAIYQFjAAegQICRAC&url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gs.unsw.edu.au%2Fpolicy%2Fdocuments%2Fhdrscholarshipsprocedure.pdf&usg=AOvVaw3tSdcvlyZ3kppZFav3h3Me)

In a major agreement between the Maharashtra State Government and the University of New South Wales (UNSW), an MOU was signed in 2017 to advance joint research and knowledge exchange. As part of the MOU, UNSW offers 20 PhD scholarships per annum to Maharashtra students who wish to undertake their doctorates at UNSW. UNSW is looking for the highest quality students, with a demonstrated ability in research, and in an area of scholarly inquiry where it can provide the best supervision, to study in Sydney or Canberra. This document describes the pathway for such students.

1. CHECK YOUR ENTRY AND SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY

Academic requirements

The minimum academic requirement for an applicant for admission to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy at UNSW is:

An appropriate four-year degree of Bachelor with first-class Honours from an Australian university

OR - A completed Masters by Research from UNSW with a substantial research component and demonstrated capacity for timely completion of a high quality research thesis

OR – a qualification from a tertiary institution at a level considered equivalent to either of the first two requirements.**

***Qualification equivalence*

1. In determining qualification equivalence, UNSW examines both the coursework and the research undertaken by the applicant. In this process, grades will be converted to a UNSW equivalent percentage score by a process of scaling. A significant part of the scaling factor used in each individual case is derived from the standing – using academic world ranking scales - of the institution which awarded the degree. The applicant must also demonstrate that they have designed and conducted a scholarly investigation in the context of an existing body of knowledge, and critically analysed and evaluated the outcome, and effectively communicated the process verbally and in writing.
2. Equivalence may also be derived from the evidence of a 3-year Bachelor degree, plus the completion of a Masters degree by Research (where the research component is no less than 2/3 of the program), AND the Masters degree is considered the equivalent of a UNSW Masters by Research degree. In this evaluation, scores will be scaled to create a UNSW equivalent score.

Scholarships

All international PhD students at UNSW must not simply meet the minimum academic requirements, but must also win a scholarship. Scholarships are awarded competitively on the basis of academic merit, research experience and research potential.

For UNSW Sydney, the scholarship offered under the Maharashtra-UNSW Memorandum of Understanding covers the tuition fee. Living expenses are borne by the students. Ten of these (10) scholarships are offered per annum.

For UNSW Canberra, the scholarship offered under the Maharashtra-UNSW Memorandum of Understanding covers the tuition fee PLUS a stipend (currently valued at AUD 35,000 per annum). Ten of these (10) scholarships are offered per annum.

Precise scholarship ranking scores for each candidate are calculated internally by UNSW academic and professional staff at the Graduate Research School, according to the candidate's academic attainment (as demonstrated by their academic transcripts) and research output (as demonstrated, for example, by their research publications). Each cohort of scholarship rounds is different, and consequently scholarship scores vary by round. Competition for scholarships is intense.

How to maximise your competitiveness for a UNSW scholarship

In addition to the minimum formal requirements (or their equivalents), candidates can maximise their competitiveness for a UNSW scholarship in one or more of the following ways:

Evidence of research publications in refereed journals (preferably international refereed journals)
Evidence of employment in a research position (in academia, government or industry) and the outputs from such research (publications, exhibitions, patents, etc.)

The most competitive candidates are likely to be early-career academic staff who do not yet have a PhD, but who have a Masters by Research degree and are active researchers. Masters by Research degree students who are about to complete their degrees and have been active scholarly publishers will also be highly competitive.

2. FIND A SUPERVISOR

The first step in the UNSW admissions and scholarship pathway is to ensure that the candidate's proposed research project aligns with the research undertaken at UNSW, and can be appropriately supervised.

For UNSW Sydney, go to 'Find a Researcher' (<https://research.unsw.edu.au/researcher>) and follow the prompts to create a list of possible supervisors. Contact the most appropriate UNSW Sydney scholar.

For UNSW Canberra, go to 'Join our Research Community' (<https://www.unsw.adfa.edu.au/international-hdr-students#>), find the area that suits your research, and email the 'Point of Contact' asking to be put in touch with the most appropriate UNSW Canberra scholar.

Once a supervisor agrees to supervise your project, meet with them by video call (Skype, for example) to discuss your research interest and determine the compatibility of your working styles.

3. DEVELOP A RESEARCH DESCRIPTION

Work with your nominated supervisor to develop a description of your research interest. In one or two pages, include the following information:

- Title of your research project
- Statement of the research problem
- Outline of methodology: how you plan to address this problem
- Outline of any previous research and/or publications in this area

(Some research areas require additional information, such as a brief literature review)

4. PREPARE YOUR SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Required documents may include:

- Your nominated supervisor's agreement to supervise (including the grading system of the institution)
- The research description
- Your *curriculum vitae*
- Academic transcripts of your degrees
- English language test results
- Evidence of financial capacity to cover living costs

All documents must be in English, or include a certified English translation.

(For detailed information, see the UNSW website 'Submit an Application' at <https://research.unsw.edu.au/submit-application> and note in particular Step 3, 'Preparing your supporting documentation'.)

5. TAKE NOTE OF KEY DATES

Admission to the UNSW PhD program occurs 3 times in 2019.

Round 1 2019 – commencement of study in T2 (3 June 2019) or **T3** (16 September 2019)

International Applicants

Closing Date – 11 January 2019

Admission & scholarship offers released from 21 March 2019

Round 2 2019 – commencement of study in T3 (16 September 2019)

International Applicants

Closing Date – 5 May 2019

Admission & scholarship offers released from 6 July 2019

Round 3 2019 – commencement of study in 2020 T1 (17 February 2020)

International Applicants

Closing Date – 20 September 2019

Admission & scholarship offers released from 26 November 2019

(For further information on key dates, see: <https://research.unsw.edu.au/key-dates>)

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