



THE UNIVERSITY OF
MELBOURNE

Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry & Health Sciences
School of Population Health

PRE-APPLICATION FORM

for Master of Philosophy and PhD Programs

This form will be used to establish your eligibility for entry into the Master of Philosophy (M.Phil) or Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) programs offered by the School of Population Health. This form will be used to establish whether the School can provide supervision for the proposed field of research. If the School is able to offer research facilities and appropriate supervision, applicants will be advised to submit a formal application.

Personal Details (please print clearly)

Title: _____ Surname: _____ Given Name(s) _____

Gender: Male Female Date of Birth: Day Month Year

Country of Citizenship _____

Address for Correspondence: _____

State: _____ Country: _____ Post Code: _____

Permanent Address in Home Country: _____

State: _____ Country: _____ Post Code: _____

Telephone Country Code: _____ Telephone Area Code _____

Phone Number: _____ Mobile Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Have you previously studied at the University of Melbourne? Yes No

If YES under what name was this enrolment, AND

Please state your student/application number:

Course/Area of Interest

I am interested in a research program at the following level:

- Master of Philosophy (M.Phil) Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)
 PhD with Coursework

My main area of research interest is:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Epidemiology, Genetic Epidemiology and Biostatistics | <input type="checkbox"/> International Mental Health |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health Economics | <input type="checkbox"/> Promotion of Mental Health and Community Wellbeing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health Program Evaluation | <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Health |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health Social Sciences | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's Health |

Background Information

All potential applicants must attach a CV which includes history of employment, Academic transcript, educational awards, grades and prizes, research experience, publications, significant achievements.

English Language Proficiency

All applicants must meet the English language requirements of the University to be eligible to be offered a place. A summary of the requirements is available at:

<http://www.futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/courses/pgenglishreq.html>.

The official University regulations may be read at www.unimelb.edu.au/ExecServ/Statutes/r111r3attachA.html.

Locally qualified applicants (Australian or New Zealand citizen or Australian permanent resident)

- I have satisfactorily completed English studies in the Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE)
- I have satisfactorily completed English studies in a secondary qualification in a State or Territory of Australia (other than Victoria) or New Zealand
- I have satisfactorily completed English or English B in the International Baccalaureate at grade 5 or higher if taken at Standard Level, or grade 4 or higher if taken at Higher Level

International applicants (Not an Australian or New Zealand citizen or Australian permanent resident):

- I have satisfactorily completed secondary studies in a country where English is the official language and gained a pass in final year English (applicants from countries with more than one official language may be required to meet TOEFL or IELTS requirements).
- I have satisfactorily completed the final two years of secondary studies in an approved secondary school with English as the medium of instruction and gain a pass in English in their final year.
- I have in an institution where English is the language of instruction and assessment for the entire institution, satisfactorily completed either:
 - at least the first year of a tertiary course within the last two years; OR
 - at least a two year tertiary degree within the last five years.Please provide formal advice from the institution to support your claim that you have satisfied this requirement.
- I have obtained a grade in one of the following General Certificate of Education subjects: General Paper (AO Level), or AS Level General Studies, English Language, English Literature, English Language and Literature; which is deemed by the Academic Board to be at least the equivalent of applicants for the course who have completed the VCE.
- I have obtained a pass of VG (grade 4) in English in the Norwegian Vitnemal or the Swedish Avgangsbetyg.
- I have met the University's TOEFL or academic IELTS requirements in a test taken no more than 24 months prior to application. A certified copy of your TOEFL or IELTS test report form must be included with your application.

Prior Research Experience

Have you ever conducted any research as part of a previous degree? Yes No

If Yes, please provide brief details as follows:

Research Thesis (if any) in Undergraduate degree:

Title: _____

Language Used: _____

Abstract: _____

Mark/Assessment: _____

Research Thesis (if any) in Postgraduate degree:

Title: _____

Language Used: _____

Abstract: _____

Mark/Assessment: _____

Research Proposal

Applicants **MUST** attach a single page outlining their field of proposed research interest and possible research questions.

Skills & Experience

Please describe (on a separate page) current skills that you can use in research and skills you want to learn.

Potential Supervisors

Have you checked the SPH website to find a possible supervisor? Yes No
Have you corresponded with a possible supervisor? Yes No
Has the potential supervisor indicated their willingness to supervise your research? Yes No

If you have answered Yes to any of the above questions, please write the name of the proposed supervisor here:

Financial Support

Give details of how you propose to fund your participation in this course. Include details of any scholarships or research grants currently held or applied for.

Do you expect to be sponsored by a company, home government or a scholarship body? Yes No
Will you be reliant on funding in order to complete this degree? Yes No

Declaration

I understand that this form is not a formal coursework or research application. I will be advised to submit a formal application if I am considered eligible to apply for the SPH program of my choice.

I DECLARE that the information I have submitted with this application is a true and complete record of all tertiary courses I have undertaken at every university and tertiary educational institution I have attended and I hereby AUTHORISE the University of Melbourne to make enquiries of, and to obtain official records from, any university or tertiary educational institution concerning my current or previous attendance which, in its absolute discretion, it believes are necessary to be made or obtained.

I ACKNOWLEDGE that my failure to disclose my true and complete tertiary academic record, the provision of incorrect information or the withholding of relevant information, may result in my being excluded from the University. I acknowledge that all documentation supplied with this pre-application will remain the property of the University of Melbourne.

Name of Applicant (Please Print): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return your completed form to:

Academic Programs Office
School of Population Health
Level 4, 207 Bouverie Street
The University of Melbourne
Victoria 3010.

Or by Fax:

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<http://www.unimelb.edu.au/unisec/privacy/studentinfo.html>.

This website provides detailed information about the contact details, complaints procedures and other aspects of the University's privacy regime.