

# Form for "South Coast DTP Studentship Application 2025"

## **APPLICANT DETAILS**

Title  Miss  
 Mr  
 Mrs  
 Ms  
 Other

Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Forenames \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID (as allocated on Institutional application) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

## **RESEARCH PROGRAMME / INSTITUTION DETAILS**

Host Institution  Brighton  
 Chichester  
 Portsmouth  
 Southampton

Proposed Supervisor 1 (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Supervisor 2 (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Supervisor 3 (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Intended start date of study (if different to default funding commencement date) \_\_\_\_\_ (01/10/2024)

Disciplinary Pathway (Please select one option)  Area Studies (UoP)  
 Criminology (UoP; UoS)  
 Demography (UoS)  
 Economics (UoS)  
 Education (UoB; UoS)  
 Gerontology (UoS)  
 Human Geography (UoS)  
 Linguistics (UoS)  
 Management & Business Studies (UoP; UoS)  
 Politics and International Relations (UoS)  
 Psychology (UoP; UoS)  
 Science & Technology (UoS)  
 Social Policy (UoB; UoS)  
 Social Statistics (UoS)  
 Social Science Methods for Health Research (UoS)  
 Sociological Studies (UoS)  
 Sociology (UoS)  
 Sport, Leisure & Tourism (UoB; UoC)

Thematic Clusters (Please select one primary cluster)


- Sustainability & Resilience
- Health & Wellbeing
- Citizenship & Security
- Population & Policy
- Learning & Behaviour
- Innovation & Enterprise
- Data Skills & Methods

Thematic Clusters (Please select up to two secondary clusters if applicable; choice 1)

- Sustainability & Resilience
- Health & Wellbeing
- Citizenship & Security
- Population & Policy
- Learning & Behaviour
- Innovation & Enterprise
- Data Skills & Methods


Thematic Clusters (Please select up to two secondary clusters if applicable; choice 2)

- Sustainability & Resilience
- Health & Wellbeing
- Citizenship & Security
- Population & Policy
- Learning & Behaviour
- Innovation & Enterprise
- Data Skills & Methods

 Which studentship scheme are you applying for?

Please note: "+4.5 Integrated PhD (iPhD)" is only available for applicants who have selected Southampton as their host institution.

- 1+3.5 (Masters + PhD)
- +3.5 (PhD)
- +4.5 (Interdisciplinary PhD)
- +4.5 Integrated PhD (iPhD) (Southampton only)

 Are you applying for a full-time or part-time award?

- Full-Time
- Part-Time

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## **QUALIFICATIONS**

### **Degree Qualifications**

Name of awarding Institution & Country  
(if not UK)

\_\_\_\_\_

Mode of attendance

- Full-Time
- Part-Time

Month and year in which your course  
finished (or will finish)

\_\_\_\_\_ (MM/YYYY)

Qualification Subject

\_\_\_\_\_

Level of study

- Undergraduate
- Postgraduate / Masters
- Higher / Doctorate

Qualification type (eg BSc, MA, MPhil,  
PhD)

\_\_\_\_\_

Class of qualification

- First Class Honours
- Upper Second Class Honours
- Lower Second Class Honours
- Undivided Second Class Honours
- Third Class Honours
- Fourth Class Honours
- Unclassified Honours
- Aegrotat
- Pass
- Merit
- Distinction
- Foreign Quals
- Professional
- Higher National Diploma
- Other
- Not Yet Known

Would you like to include any additional qualifications that would be relevant to your application?

- Yes
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 **+3.5 PROGRAMMES**

If you are applying for a +3.5 programme you must hold as a minimum, or have completed by the time you begin the programme, a Masters qualification with a Merit grade, or equivalent (average 60% or higher). Please give details of the composition of your Masters course by listing modules you have (or will have) undertaken against the applicable headings below. Please provide sufficient information to allow the SCDTP to assess whether the Masters you undertook contained required training in research methods and core discipline skills to ensure preparation for a research degree.

 Research Methods and Core Skills

	Title & short description	Grade (if available)	Credits
Research Design, Practice & Ethics	_____	_____	_____
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Qualitative Methods	_____	_____	_____
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Quantitative Methods	_____	_____	_____
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Core Theory & Concepts	_____	_____	_____
	—	—	—
Research Management	_____	_____	_____
	—	—	—

 Discipline Specific Skills:


	Module title & short description	Grade (if available)	Credits
Discipline Specific Skill 1:	_____	_____	_____
	—	—	—
Discipline Specific Skill 2:	_____	_____	_____
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Discipline Specific Skill 3:	_____	_____	_____
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Discipline Specific Skill 4:	_____	_____	_____
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Discipline Specific Skill 5:	_____	_____	_____
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Discipline Specific Skill 6:	_____	_____	_____
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Include additional?

- Discipline Specific Skill 1:
  - Yes
  - No
- Discipline Specific Skill 2:
  - Yes
  - No
- Discipline Specific Skill 3:
  - Yes
  - No
- Discipline Specific Skill 4:
  - Yes
  - No
- Discipline Specific Skill 5:
  - Yes
  - No

Discipline Specific Skill 6:


- Yes
- No

 Advanced /Specialist Skills  
e.g. Interview skills, data skills

	Module title & short description	Grade (if available)	Credits
1	_____	_____	_____
2	_____	_____	_____
3	_____	_____	_____
4	_____	_____	_____
5	_____	_____	_____
6	_____	_____	_____

Include additional?

- |   |                                                                    |
|---|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Yes</li><li>• No</li></ul> |
| 2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Yes</li><li>• No</li></ul> |
| 3 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Yes</li><li>• No</li></ul> |
| 4 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Yes</li><li>• No</li></ul> |
| 5 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Yes</li><li>• No</li></ul> |
| 6 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Yes</li><li>• No</li></ul> |

 Have you already started a PhD?

- Yes
- No

 PhD

Year awarded / due award \_\_\_\_\_


Qualification subject \_\_\_\_\_


Awarding Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Part-Time/ Full-Time 

- Part-Time
- Full-Time

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

 Please use this section to include any items of **relevant** professional experience which you would like considered as part of your application.

 Most recent experience:

Start Date \_\_\_\_\_

End Date \_\_\_\_\_

Full-time / Part-time? 

- Full-Time
- Part-Time


Employer/Organisation \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

Status and responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have additional relevant professional experience to include? 

- Yes
- No

 Second most recent experience:

Start Date \_\_\_\_\_

End Date \_\_\_\_\_

Full-time / Part-time? 

- Full-Time
- Part-Time


Employer/Organisation \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

Status and responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

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- Yes
- No

 Third most recent experience:

Start Date \_\_\_\_\_

End Date \_\_\_\_\_

Full-time / Part-time? 

- Full-Time
- Part-Time


Employer/Organisation \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

Status and responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

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- Yes
- No

 Fourth most recent experience:

Start Date \_\_\_\_\_

End Date \_\_\_\_\_

Full-time / Part-time? 

- Full-Time
- Part-Time




Employer/Organisation \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

Status and responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have additional relevant professional experience to include? 

- Yes
- No

 Fifth most recent experience:

Start Date \_\_\_\_\_

End Date \_\_\_\_\_

Full-time / Part-time? 

- Full-Time
- Part-Time


Employer/Organisation \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

Status and responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

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 **PROJECT SUMMARY**

 In no more than 250 words, provide an abstract of your proposed project, in simple terms, so it can be read by a general audience.

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 **RESEARCH PROPOSAL for 1+3.5 and iPhD**

Applicants are required to give an indicative answer as your research interests will develop further after the year of Masters training. We are not looking for a full research proposal at this stage but an indication of your probable research area, giving an indicative topic and how this will build towards a PhD. Max 750 words. A separate text box for the inclusion of references is available at the bottom of this page.

 Project Title

\_\_\_\_\_

 Research Proposal

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

 References

Please only include relevant references from your research proposal in this section. Any other information provided in this box will not be considered.

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 Research in Placement Ideas


From 2024 onwards, all ESRC-funded DTP students will be expected to undertake a Research in Practice placement. This is where you will be able to develop research skills in the workplace that will help you with your PhD research and development as a researcher. We are interested in the type of placement/host you imagine would be helpful.

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 **RESEARCH PROPOSAL for PhD and interdisciplinary PhD**

Applicants should give a provisional thesis title/topic, explain the context of the research, its aims and objectives and its potential research outcomes. Applicants should give a description of their proposed research topic including the questions or hypotheses to be addressed, the methods to be used, the sources to be consulted and a brief timetable covering the period of study. Details of field work should be included in the timetable. If you have already begun your doctoral study, please remember to refer to the research you have undertaken to date. You should also identify and address here any ethical issues related to your research project. Max 1500 words. A separate text box for the inclusion of references is available at the bottom of this page.

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 **ADDITIONAL FUNDING REQUIREMENTS**

 Will this project require any significant\* additional funding for items such as Overseas Fieldwork, UK Fieldwork, Surveys, Specialist Equipment, Experiments, Payment of Participants etc?

\*In excess of £500

- Yes

- No

 Please provide a statement on requirement and anticipated budget.


*NB – Completion of this section does not constitute approval of a budget. Only in exceptional circumstances will applications for additional funding be supported if it is not included in this initial application.*

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 How did you find out about this funding opportunity?

- Institutional website
- Potential Supervisor
- Independent Advertiser (findaphd.com, jobs.ac.uk etc)
- Other, please specify... \_\_\_\_\_