

SCHOLARSHIP GUIDANCE

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

Name of Scholarship	Abertay Futures Scholarship
Decision Making Panel	The Head of School(s) from the relevant school(s) Up to 2 additional experienced Academics

SCHOLARSHIP BACKGROUND AND INFORMATION

These scholarships are offered by Academic Schools within the University to undertake research in areas of strategic priority.

Successful candidates may also be expected to undertake placement, professional practice, ambassadorial or other activity related to researcher professional development (this will be clearly stated within the Scholarship Offer Letter).

All offers are also subject to the current Regulations for Research Degree Programmes.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Candidates that have received an offer for Postgraduate Research Degree study from Abertay University are eligible to apply. The candidates research topic must fall within a priority strategic area of research, as detailed on the Research pages of the Abertay University Website, and their case for support must be exceptional.

https://www.abertay.ac.uk/research/

Applications will be accepted from any student, regardless of their country of origin.

WHAT KIND OF FUNDING IS AVAILABLE?

The award of the Abertay Futures Scholarship is at the discretion of the University and is initially for one full year of the student's research study. Continuation of the award is dependent upon the successful fulfilment of any conditions stated in the offer letter, and the successful progress of the candidate through Annual Progression Review.

The award will be applied to successful applicant's tuition fee accounts at the time of registration and will be equivalent to the registration fee regardless of their country of origin.

It is the Decision Making Panel's discretion to make an award or a number of awards in any academic year/semester.

HOW CAN I APPLY?

Please complete the Futures Scholarship Application. The applications can be submitted as detailed below. A typed signature may be accepted where the application has been completed electrically.

DEADLINE

2018/19 Closing dates:

24 September 2018 for October 2018 start 07 December 2018 for February 2019 start 01 May 2019 for June 2019 start

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Completed applications should be submitted to the Advisory Service in one of the following ways:

In person

Applications may be submitted in person at the SEZ Reception Desk or during a Funding Drop in session. Please allow time for your application to be checked by the member of staff receiving it.

By Email

Applications may be sent to advisory@abertay.ac.uk

You will receive an automated response to confirm your email has been received. Please take this as confirmation of receipt.

By Post

Ideally applications should be submitted in person or by email however we can accept applications by post to the address below. Please be aware that there may be a delay in your application being received even if being sent by first class post.

Address: The Advisory Service, Bernard King Library, Abertay University, Bell Street, Dundee, DD1 1HG

APPLICATION QUERIES AND ASSISTANCE

Staff in the Advisory Service can offer support and guidance with the application process including checking completed applications and evidence, guidance on application content, support with presenting financial and personal circumstances.

To make an **appointment** with a Student Advisor use the link below or call SEZ on 01382 308833: https://abertayconnectservices.abertay.ac.uk/home.html

To speak with a member of the Advisory Service or to find out when the next available **drop in** session is call the SEZ Helpdesk on 01382 308833 (Ask for Advisory)

Email queries may be sent to <u>advisory@abertay.ac.uk</u> however please allow time for a response and consider other means of contact in the first instance if your query is time sensitive.

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

All applicants will be notified of the outcome of their application by email at the earliest opportunity.

The Advisory Service

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