

College of Humanities and Social Sciences Makerere University
Inter-disciplinary PhD by Research programme in the Fields of Historical Humanities
and Humanistic Social Sciences
Application Process

Application process for full-time doctoral scholarships offered by the College of Humanities and Social Sciences Makerere University with funding from the Gerda-Henkel Foundation starts in July 2017:

1. Familiarise yourselves with the documentation and eligibility requirements of the scholarship, which are attached.
2. If you are eligible and wish to apply, the scholarship application is attached or can be requested for from graduate.college@chuss.mak.ac.ug. The scholarship application form is in Word document format, which will expand to accommodate the text entered into it.

Please note the following:

- You will be required to state your proposed topic of study with a 150 word abstract as well as a one page academic biography describing your academic career detailing the ideas and experiences that have shaped your work and your future plans. Please state where you see yourself in 5 years.
 - You will also be required to write Concept Letter of Interest, in which you are expected to provide evidence of your ability to plan and organise independent research, and of the relevance of your research topic to the study in the fields of historical humanities and humanistic social sciences. It is crucial that your Concept Letter of Interest is written to the specified guidelines provided.
 - Please ensure that your proposed research project is both interdisciplinary and with an explicit historical focus. This is because scholarships will be awarded to projects that enhance the study of the fields of Historical Humanities and Humanistic Social Sciences.
 - If your proposed study is in the mainstream Humanities and Social Sciences, please ensure that it is interdisciplinary and has an explicit historical orientation.
3. The completed scholarship application form, together with copies of all the supporting documents required should be submitted preferably by e-mail to graduate.college@chuss.mak.ac.ug, with copy to principal@chuss.mak.ac.ug on or before Friday, 14 April 2017. No late applications will be accepted.
 4. Please ensure that your two referees are informed that their referees' reports outlining your capability to complete doctoral studies under the stipulated conditions should be sent directly to the Graduate School via email to graduate.college@chuss.mak.ac.ug, with copy to principal@chuss.mak.ac.ug on or before Friday, 28 April 2017.
 5. Applicant will be notified of the Graduate School's decision in regards to their application by Tuesday 30 May 2017.

The closing date for applications is strictly Friday, 14 April 2017