



2016 TUT POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

The Tshwane University of Technology is pleased to announce that full-time TUT Master's and Doctoral scholarships are available to **unemployed postgraduate students** for 2016.

Candidates pursuing their studies or research in areas such as **social and human sciences, economic and management sciences, natural and applied sciences and engineering and technology** may apply (**OPEN FOR ALL DISCIPLINES**).

Eligibility

- Only available to unemployed **full-time** students
- Open to South African and international students, but **preference will be given to all South African citizens who qualify**
- TUT Scholarship will only be awarded in the first year of study (All students are expected to apply for external scholarships for the second, third or fourth year of their studies).
- Students will only be considered for a second year of funding in exceptional cases and where evidence of rejection by the external funder has been presented
- Students must have obtained a minimum average of **65%** in their previous studies to qualify for a scholarship (in deserving cases, the **FCRI** may motivate for **South African** students who obtained an average of 60%-64% to receive scholarships)
- Must comply with in-house faculty criteria and fall within a approved Niche Area.
- Not for a second Master's or Doctoral degree
- Not for students doing their third year of Master's or fourth year of Doctoral studies
- Students must be prepared to sign an agreement with the institution and adhere to the submission date of the full proposal and completion of degree
- Students who receive government scholarships (e.g. NRF, MRC, Mandela-Rhodes, TUT-CSIR, etc.) only qualify for a top-up as stipulated in the agreement of the external funder. However, faculties may pay for their tuition as an incentive rewarding their efforts of securing external funding
- Faculties and departments may top up non-governmental scholarships with FCRI or DCRI funding, but the amount should **not exceed** R200 000 per annum (top-up can range from R10 000 to a maximum of R20 000 per student per annum)

Value of scholarships will be communicated once the award has been made.

Please contact the faculty to ensure that the relevant postgraduate degree is available before applying. Application forms can be obtained from the department or the faculty research officers. Incomplete application forms will not be processed.

2016 CLOSING DATES: 2 March, 6 April and 18 May 2016