**­­­­GRADUATE RESEARCH SCHOOL**

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**

**You must provide evidence of supervisory support before submitting an application for candidature at UNE. If you have not yet contacted a supervisor, please complete and submit this form.**

This form needs to be submitted through [AskUNE](https://study.une.edu.au/app/utils/login_form/redirect/ask). You can check the status of your application by logging in to your account and clicking on the ‘My History’ tab.

# **Section 1: Applicant Details**

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| **Title** |  |
| **Given name (s)** |  |
| **Surname** |  |
| **UNE Student Number** *(if applicable)* |  |
| **Email** |  |
| **Country of Citizenship** |  |
| Please use the [English Language Requirements](https://www.une.edu.au/study/english-language-requirements?collection=une-courses-push&form=elr-search&profile=elr&meta_Title=&f.Level+of+study%7CStudyLevels=postgraduate+research&f.Study+area%7CStudyArea=#search-elr) page and/or review section 12 of the [English Language Requirements Higher than the University Minimum Requirements Annex](https://policies.une.edu.au/document/view-current.php?id=221) for admission requirements for Higher Degree Research at UNE and indicate your level of proficiency:Choose an item. |
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# **Section 2: Candidature Details**

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| **Please select a degree:** |
| Choose an item. |
| **Discipline within Faculty/Research Institute:**  If undertaking cross disciplinary study, please select all that apply. |
| **Humanities, Arts, Social Sciences and Education (HASSE)** |
| **School of Education**Choose an item. | **School of Humanities, Arts & Social Sciences** Choose an item. |
| **Science, Agriculture, Business and Law (SABL)** |
| **School of Science & Technology**Choose an item.**UNE Business School**Choose an item. | **School of Environmental & Rural Science**Choose an item.**School of Law**Choose an item. |
| **Medicine and Health (M&H)** |
| **School of Psychology** Choose an item.**School of Rural Medicine**Choose an item. | **School of Health**Choose an item. |
| **Research Institutes** |
| **Animal Genetics & Breeding Unit**Choose an item. |  |
| **Proposed Research Title (max. 10 words)**Candidates are strongly encouraged to discuss projects with prospective supervisors by email before submitting their EOI.  |
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| **Research Proposal Summary (approx. 300 words)**You must include a precis of your research proposal. Your EOI will not be considered without this information. Please refer to step two on the [How to Apply/Enrol](https://www.une.edu.au/research/graduate-research-school/future-students/how-to-applyenrol) webpage for guidelines on creating your research precis. If applying for Creative Practice, please use the template provided. *Many potential supervisors prefer prospective HDR students to demonstrate their ability to formulate a research proposal. You are encouraged to suggest a research title and provide an outline of the proposed research. Your proposed research project may not always be feasible; however, potential supervisors may reach out to discuss alternative research projects.* |
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| **Have you previously been enrolled in a Higher Degree by Research?** |
| **Yes** |[ ]  **No** |[ ]
| ***If yes:*** Please provide details e.g. Name of Course, university/institution, anticipated completion date. |
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| **Do you wish to transfer a master or doctoral research course from another institution?** |
| **Yes** |[ ]  **No** |[ ]
| ***If yes:* Please provide the details as requested below:**e.g: Name of Course, university/institution, date commenced, estimated full-time equivalent (FTE) days of candidature consumed to date. |
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# **Section 3: Previous Education Details**

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| **Previous Academic Qualifications** Entry requirements for the [Doctor of Philosophy](https://www.une.edu.au/study/courses/doctor-of-philosophy) include successful completion of one:* Master qualification ([Australian Qualifications Framework](https://www.aqf.edu.au/framework/aqf-levels) level 9 or overseas equivalent) with at least 25% research component; *or*
* Bachelor Honours qualification (AQF level 8 or overseas equivalent) with a minimum result of upper second class honours; *or*
* Completion of a Graduate Certificate, Graduate Diploma or Masters qualification (AQF level 8 or 9 or overseas equivalent) and adequate research preparation since graduation.

Entry requirements for the [Master of Philosophy](https://www.une.edu.au/study/courses/master-of-philosophy), [Master of Education (Research)](https://www.une.edu.au/study/courses/master-of-education-research), [Master of Laws (Research)](https://www.une.edu.au/study/courses/master-of-laws-research), [Master of Science](https://www.une.edu.au/study/courses/master-of-science), [Master of Rural Science](https://www.une.edu.au/study/courses/master-of-rural-science) and [Master of Environmental Science (Research)](https://www.une.edu.au/study/courses/master-of-environmental-science-research) include: * Completion of a Bachelor with Honours qualification (AQF level 8 or overseas equivalent) in a relevant discipline with a minimum result of second class honours; *or*
* Completion of an AQF level 7 qualification (or overseas equivalent) in any field of study with adequate relevant preparation since graduation.

Please include details of courses you have completed or are currently studying. Please add rows as required: |
| **Degree or Qualification**  | **Percentage of research in degree** | **University or Institution** | **Grade or Result** | **Completion Year** | **Language of instruction** |
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| **Postgraduate Research Experience and/or Relevant Professional Experience** Please briefly describe any postgraduate research experience or professional experience that may be relevant to your research project. Please add rows as required: |
| **Organisation** | **Start and end dates** | **Average hours per week** | **Brief description of your role (maximum 50 words for each)** |
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| **Publications** If applicable, please list your top three academic publications (include [Non-Traditional Research Outputs](https://www.une.edu.au/library/home/UNEGuidelinesNTRO) such as reports only if relevant to the proposed research project) using one line per publication with full publication details. Please add rows as required:Example: Smith. J., Brown. S., Shaw. P, “Title”, Name of Publication, Type of Publication (e.g. refereed journal article, non-refereed journal article, book chapter, review etc.), Publication Details (e.g. Volume 29, issue 2, 2005), DOI (e.g. 00.1234/abc.12345). |
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| **Please indicate how you plan to fund your studies:** **International candidates:** Award of UNE international scholarships are based on academic merit and are very competitive with only the top 5-10% of candidates successful in receiving UNE funding. **Domestic candidates:** All domestic candidates are not charged tuition fees, and are automatically awarded an [RTP tuition fee offset](https://www.une.edu.au/research/graduate-research-school/scholarships/research-training-program). |
| ***I require a scholarship to support my candidature:*** | ***I can support myself without a scholarship:*** |
| [ ] I intend to apply for a scholarship  | [ ] I will beself-funded |
| [ ] I have received an external scholarship offer | [ ] I have received a UNE scholarship offer |
| [ ] If another funding option, please provide details: |
| **Academic supervision:**Please indicate your desired supervision team below and confirm whether you have communicated with them regarding this project. It is not a requirement for candidates to have contacted potential supervisors prior to submitting the EOI. Please note, listed supervisors may not always be available or be the most suitable match for your project, in which case your EOI may be sent to an alternative supervisor.  |
| **Name of Supervisor** | **Discipline** | **Have you communicated with this supervisor regarding this project?**  |
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# **Section 5: Candidate Declaration**

By submitting this application, I declare that all information provided is true and correct and I certify that the attached research summary can be checked by plagiarism software.

If any false or misleading information has been provided, UNE reserves the right to rescind any invitation to apply for candidature or subsequent offer of admission or scholarship.

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| **Name** | **Signature** | **Date** |
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#  **Section 6: Confirmation of Supervision**

**Prospective supervisors:** Confirmation of supervisory support is required before an applicant is invited to the Online Admission Portal to submit a full application for candidature. Please send an email supporting the expression of interest or return this completed formto the Graduate Research School.

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| **Prospective Supervisor Name** | **Role (Principal/Co)** | **Date** |
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