

Application for Postgraduate Study Doctor of Philosophy

Surname: _____ Given Names: _____

Proposed Study: Full Time Part Time Application for entry in 20____ Semester _____

Proposed Research Area: Biblical Studies _____
 Christian Ministry _____
 Christian Thought _____

Contact Details

Address: _____

City: _____ Country: _____ Postcode: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Country of Citizenship: _____

Marital Status Single Married Name of Spouse: _____

Denominational Affiliation: _____

Current Church: _____

Current Employment

Firm or Organisation: _____

Position: _____

Basis of Eligibility for Candidature (please supply copies of transcripts for non-Moore College graduates)

B.D. (Hons 1) Year: _____ B.D. (Hons 2A) Year: _____
 MTh Year: _____ Other (give details) _____

Academic Background

List all tertiary studies which you have undertaken or are currently undertaking:

Years From	To	Institution	Course	Level Awarded

Transcripts or proof of award of your previous degrees, if not gained at Moore College, must accompany this form.

References

Please attach:

THREE personal references (forms are located <https://moore.edu.au/apply/>)

- two ministry references including the applicant's current minister or denominational leader
- at least one reference should include evidence that on graduation the applicant is likely to have a ministry leading to an increase of ministry in the wider churches that is directly dependent on the benefits that would be gained from the proposed research.

TWO academic references (forms are located <https://moore.edu.au/apply/>)

Personal Profile

Briefly describe your personal history.

List areas of Christian ministry in which you have been involved since your first theological degree:

State your reasons for wanting to pursue postgraduate theological study:

State your reasons for choosing Moore Theological College as a place to pursue postgraduate theological study.

Who has encouraged you to pursue doctoral studies?

State the kind of ministry that you hope that your PhD will equip you to do.

What arrangements have you made to meet your financial responsibilities (fees and living expenses) throughout the duration of your proposed research?

Proposed thesis title: _____

Proposed Field of Research Code (FoR):

All research enrolments require a primary FoR code to be nominated. A secondary FoR code may also be nominated as an option. *These codes are able to be changed during your course candidature, if needed.*

Primary FoR Code: _ _ _ _ _

Secondary FoR Code (optional): _ _ _ _ _

CODE	PHILOSOPHY AND RELIGIOUS STUDIES	Moore College Field
5001	Applied ethics	Christian ethics (applied)
5002	History and philosophy of specific fields	Philosophy (philosophy of science and religion, hermeneutics, philosophy of religion), Church history
5003	Philosophy	Christian ethics (theoretical)
5004	Religious studies	Biblical studies & Biblical theology
5005	Theology	Systemic theology
5099	Other philosophy and religious studies	Ministry practice focused research
CODE	HISTORY, HERITAGE AND ARCHAEOLOGY	Moore College Field
4303	Historical studies	Biblical studies (with an historical focus)
4399	Other history, heritage and archaeology	Biblical studies (with an historical/archaeological focus)

Please attach a thesis proposal to this application. A 2,000 word essay detailing the proposed thesis topic and approach to research. The following headings should be included in the essay:

- Topic
- Statement of problem/question
- Statement of possible contribution to the field
- Outline of conceptual framework within which the problem/question is to be addressed
- Proposed research (including key objectives and milestones)
- Methodology and parameters
- Requirements for HREC approval of the proposed research (if any)
- A literature survey or a synopsis of literature which would be the first draft of a chapter of the thesis as a basis for a preliminary bibliography
- A tentative outline (including a table of contents) of thesis and timeline for completion.

Declaration

To the best of my knowledge, all the information in this form is correct. Should I be accepted as a student of Moore Theological College, I am willing, during my time at College, to submit myself to the discipline of study and College life in general, and to fulfil all the responsibilities arising from our common fellowship, as the Principal of Moore Theological College may direct. I am aware that the College has a [Student Code of Conduct](#) and am willing to follow it. Furthermore, I confirm that I have carefully considered the financial costs of coming to College and consider the stated means is adequate to cover tuition and living costs for the duration of my program of study.

I also understand, should I become a student of Moore Theological College, that:

- The College is collecting information in this application for the purposes of assessing entitlement to Commonwealth assistance under the Higher Education Support Act 2003. Information is also collected under the requirements of the Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency Act 2011 for all registered higher education providers. This includes personal information for the purpose of administering tuition protection for domestic up-front paying students (For further detail, domestic students should see the [Up-front Payments Tuition Protection Privacy Notice](#)).
- Information will be disclosed to the Commonwealth Department of Education, the Australian Taxation Office, the Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency (TEQSA) and Services Australia for these purposes.
- The College will not otherwise disclose the information without my consent unless required or authorised by law.

By submitting this application, you are accepting this declaration.

Signed _____ Date _____

Confidential: The contents of this form are kept confidential by the College

GOVERNMENT STATISTICS

All students enrolled in a course offered by the College are required to complete this form. The information is used to comply with Australian Government reporting requirements under the *Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency Act 2011* and the *Higher Education Support Act 2003*. Information will be disclosed to the Commonwealth Department of Education, the Australian Taxation Office and the Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency (TEQSA) for these purposes.

CITIZENSHIP DETAILS

1. What is your citizenship status?

- Australian citizen (including citizen with dual citizenship) – 1
- New Zealand citizen excluding those with Australian citizenship
(Note: Includes any such persons who have Permanent Resident status in New Zealand) – 2
- Students with permanent humanitarian visa – 8
- Students with permanent visa other than permanent humanitarian visa – 3
- Temporary Entry permit (eg Student Visa) and resides in Australia during unit of study – 4
- Not one of the above categories and student is residing outside Australia during the unit of study – 5

2. Are you of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent?

- Not applicable Aboriginal Torres Strait Islander Both

3. Country of birth

- Australia
- Other – please specify _____ Year of arrival in Australia

4. What language do you speak at home?

- English Other – Please specify

EDUCATIONAL DETAILS

5. Secondary education

Which year did you complete secondary education? _____

What level did you complete? (domestic students only) Level 10 Level 11 Level 12

6. Have you attended another higher education provider?

- No
- Yes Provider name

Award/s attained

What is your USI? (required) _____ to apply, go to USI website <https://www.usi.gov.au/>

7. Highest educational attainment of your first parent or guardian?

This parent or guardian is Male Female

Their highest educational attainment is:

- Postgraduate Bachelor degree Other tertiary (e.g. VET/TAFE)
 Completed Year 12 or equivalent Did not complete Year 12 or equivalent
 Completed Year 10 or equivalent Did not complete Year 10 or equivalent
 Don't know

8. Highest educational attainment of your second parent or guardian?

This parent or guardian is Male Female

Their highest educational attainment is:

- Postgraduate Bachelor degree Other tertiary (e.g. VET/TAFE)
 Completed Year 12 or equivalent Did not complete Year 12 or equivalent
 Completed Year 10 or equivalent Did not complete Year 10 or equivalent
 Don't know

OTHER DETAILS

9. Do you have a disability, impairment or long-term medical condition?

No Yes, I have the following:

- Hard of hearing/deaf
- Physical disability
- Intellectual disability
- Specific learning disability
- Mental health condition
- Acquired brain injury
- Low vision/blind
- Medical condition
- Neurological condition
- Other
- Not specified

Would you like to receive advice on disability support services, equipment and facilities that may assist you?

No Yes

Please return completed forms and accompanying documents:

POST

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