

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST – To undertake a Higher Degree by Research

Thank you for your interest in studying for a research degree at the Institute for Frontier Materials, Deakin University. Before you can apply, we need some information from you to allow us to understand your academic background and research interests. Submission of this form and accompanying documentation is not a formal application for a Research Degree at Deakin.

Please place 'X' in the appropriate box. If you wish to write (not type), please use CAPITAL LETTERS.

1. PERSONAL DETAILS

Title Mr Mrs Ms Dr Other

Family Name

Given Name

Email Address

Country of Birth Date of Birth (dd / mm / yy)

Country of Citizenship Country of current residence


Have you previously applied for a course at Deakin University?

No Yes Deakin ID number

2. ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS – Please provide a copy of your CV or complete the information below

Please list up to three highest qualifications (undergraduate and postgraduate).

| Qualification | Bachelors | Masters |
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| Institution and its location | | |
| University World Ranking <small>*NB: ARWU web site</small> | | |
| Year completed | | |
| Major or discipline | | |
| Language of Instruction | | |
| Final grade | | |
| GPA (Score and %) | | |

Mandatory -  Attach a copy of your CV and academic transcripts to this application

Privacy Statement:

The information on this form is collected for the primary purpose of assessing whether you are to be provided with an invitation to apply for a research degree at Deakin University. In submitting this information you give your consent for it to be shared with Faculty staff who will make this decision.

You have a right to access personal information that Deakin University holds about you, subject to any exceptions in relevant legislation. If you wish to seek access to your personal information or inquire about the handling of your personal information, please contact the University Privacy Officer via email at privacy@deakin.edu.au.

3. THESIS / DISSERTATION

Bachelors' thesis:

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| Title | | | |
| Word count | Number of pages | Mark or grade received | Semesters of study |
| Please provide a brief abstract on the work (less than 100 words) | | | |

Masters' thesis:

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| Title | | | |
| Word count | Number of pages | Mark or grade received | Semesters of study |
| Please provide a brief abstract on the work (less than 100 words) | | | |

4. PUBLICATIONS


| Title | Authors | Journal | Year | Volume & Page | Impact Factor |
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5. ENGLISH

Please fill in this part if you have previously done an English language test. We will use this to understand how close you are to achieving the English requirements. If you have not done a test before please leave this section blank.

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| Overall | Reading | Listening | Speaking | Writing |
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Mandatory -  Attach a copy of a valid English test result / evidence of Language of instruction. Please refer to Deakin University's [Evidence of English proficiency](#) found under Step 5 of the [How To Apply - Research Degrees](#) website.

6. AWARDS

Please make a list of any awards that you may have received while at University

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| Year of Award | Award details |
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Please add more rows if needed

7. RESEARCH INTERESTS

Please list your three key areas of research you are interested in as this will help to select the correct supervisor for you.

| | Research interests | What skills you have in this area |
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| <i>example</i> | <i>Recycling textile fibres</i> | <i>I have done extensive work in the opening, carding and spinning of textile fibres that would help me in this project</i> |
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THIS IS NOT A FORMAL APPLICATION.

Please send the completed 'Expression of Interest' form and scanned copies of supporting documents by email to: ifm-hdr-admin@deakin.edu.au. It is in your interest to provide **ALL** the information requested on this form as incomplete information can result in delays to your progress.

8. Additional documents

Please attach the following documents to the email as it will speed up the decision.

- Bachelors' academic transcript or testamur showing your marks for each year of study
- Masters' academic transcript or testamur showing your marks for each year of study (For 1st and 2nd year for students in their third year of study)
- English language test results if you have one (Do not go out and do a test just for this report)
- Copy of Masters thesis (if written in English)
- Copy of any publications you are named first author on (if written in English)