

**FSE Faculty Scholarships Nomination Form**

**Nomination Form 2025/26 entry**

**Please upload completed nomination forms** [**here**](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=B8tSwU5hu0qBivA1z6kadwjQS0my9mZCnttlEcgyxOJURTlUSEUxSUdQSTlEUUc3RlhGQ0RXQ0pKQiQlQCN0PWcu&wdLOR=cAF46F667-9E20-6446-B110-59BDE9971BD0)**.**

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| **Funding Scheme/s nominated for** (check all that apply) | President’s Doctoral Scholarship (PDS)  Dean’s Doctoral Scholarship (DDS)  PGR Teaching Associate (PGRTA) |
| **Candidate details** | Name:  UoM ID number:  Fee status: |
| **Programme details** | Department:  Programme:  Start Date: |
| **Name of main supervisor and career stage (Research fellow, ECR, Lecturer, Senior Lecturer, Reader, Professor)** |  |
| **Current students in the main supervisor’s group and active research grants** | ***PGRs in Year 1:***  ***PGRs in Year 2:***  ***PGRs in Year 3:***  ***PGRs in Year 4:***  ***PDRAs:***  ***Active research grants:*** |
| **Co-Supervisor(s) and career stage(s)** |  |
| **PhD project title** |  |
| **Project summary** | *Importance of the project, is there a clear hypothesis/challenge, can it be tested and achieved?*  *(100 words)* |
| **Candidate Statement**  **(Research)** | *The statement should be written by the candidate in the first person and explain:*   * *Motivation – Why do you want to undertake a PhD?* * *Aptitude for research - What technical, methodological and personal skills equip you to successfully complete a PhD?*   *(200 words)* |
| **Candidate Statement**  **(Teaching)**  **PGRTA Scholarships only** | *The statement should be written by the candidate in the first person and explain:*   * *Motivation – Why do you want to undertake a PhD with a teaching component?* * *Aptitude for teaching - What skills and experience equip you to successfully deliver teaching?* * *Your suitability for the post which address the key selection criteria.*   *(400 words)* |
| **Qualifications/Experience (academic)** | *Undergraduate degree - subject, classification (confirm if awarded or predicted)*  *Master’s degree (if applicable) – subject, grade or classification (confirm if awarded or predicted)* |
| **Statement of the candidate’s aptitude for research** | *This section must be completed by the supervisor.*  *Please comment on: Research experience and outputs. This may include undergraduate/master’s projects, placements, internships, contributions to publications/articles, promoting research/projects to a wider audience, prizes for previous work, setting up collaborations with other groups.*  *This section should discuss indicators of research aptitude and/or potential and the relevance of the candidate’s experience to the project e.g. any experience in specific techniques/methods*  *(300 words)* |
| **Other relevant experience** | *This section to be completed by the candidate and should include:*   * *Previous and planned engagement in wider activities, such as outreach, EDIA, public/community engagement, and social impact activities.*   (*200 words)* |
| **Additional information** | *Please comment on any relevant extenuating circumstances that may have affected the candidate's career / experience to date.* |
| **English Language requirements**  **(if applicable)** | *Confirm how the candidate intends to meet the English language requirements in compliance with the University’s* [*English Language Qualifications Guide*](https://xorg.manchester.ac.uk/sites/Qualifies/elq/Pages/ELQ-Guide.aspx) *and the departmental entry requirements. e.g. have they booked an IELTS test.* |
| **Research Training Support Grant (RTSG)** | *Faculty Scholarships provide £1,000/annum RTSG for consumables and travel expenses etc. If your project requires additional RTSG please state how this will be provided.* |
| **DHoE approval (PGRTA only)** | *Please confirm that the candidate has a suitable background for teaching in this subject area.* |

**Checklist:**

**All nominations should be submitted using the** [**online system**](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=B8tSwU5hu0qBivA1z6kadwjQS0my9mZCnttlEcgyxOJURTlUSEUxSUdQSTlEUUc3RlhGQ0RXQ0pKQiQlQCN0PWcu&wdLOR=cAF46F667-9E20-6446-B110-59BDE9971BD0)**.**

**Nominations that do not include all the relevant information or do not satisfy eligibility criteria will not be submitted to the panel for consideration.**

**All nominations for PGRTA Scholarships must be approved by the DHoE before submission.**