

Application form

for postgraduate programmes



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1. Programme choice

Please complete this section in full. You can find details of the programmes we offer in our Postgraduate Prospectus at: www.bristol.ac.uk/prospectus/postgraduate

Name of programme and award

Faculty

Proposed start date (MM/YYYY)

Proposed mode of study Full-time Part-time

Have you previously studied at University of Bristol? Yes No

2. Contact details

You should ensure that you complete this section carefully as we will use this information to communicate with you about the progress of your application, to provide a decision on your application and to provide information for your UK visa application (if applicable). Please let us know if any of your details change. Our contact details are on the last page of this form.

Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY)

Title (eg. Miss / Mr)

Family name (as it appears on your passport)

Given name(s) (as they appear on your passport)

Known as

Email address

Contact address

Postcode / ZIP

Country

Telephone number (including country code and area code)

Home address (if different from contact address)

Postcode / ZIP

Country

Telephone number (including country code and area code)

3. Personal details

Nationality

Date of entry to UK (DD/MM/YYYY)

Dual nationality (if applicable)

Country of birth

Country of permanent residence

Country of permanent residence since (DD/MM/YYYY)

Please note: University of Bristol complies with the UK's Criminal Records Bureau (CRB) Code of Practice, and is committed to the fair treatment of applicants to its programmes of study. Where a risk assessment indicates that it is necessary we will request a Disclosure. It is important that you declare any relevant criminal convictions here.

Do you have an unspent criminal conviction that you are required to declare? Yes No

If yes, please give details

Educational Representative / Agent (if applicable)

Educational Representative / Agent email (if applicable)

You must inform us at the point of application whether you require immigration sponsorship by the University of Bristol. If you do not currently hold a valid visa to be in the UK, you will require a student visa and your student visa must indicate that the University of Bristol is your educational provider. If you are currently studying at another UK institution and hold a student visa, you will need to apply for a new visa to ensure the University of Bristol is indicated as your educational provider.

Do you require University of Bristol to be your immigration sponsor? Yes No

Passport number

Passport expiry date

4. Education

Please provide details of your academic qualifications in this section, ensuring that you include any qualifications which are necessary to meet the entry requirements for your programme. It is sufficient to provide details of your First Degree (or equivalent qualifications) and, if applicable, your postgraduate qualifications. You should list your qualifications in reverse chronological order (ie. most recent first). Please enclose certified copies of degree certificate(s) and original transcripts.

1. University or institution name

Qualification type (eg. BA Hons, Magister, PhD)

Subject

Result

Date of award (or expected date) (MM/YYYY)

Is this result an actual result or a predicted result? Actual Predicted

Dissertation title (if appropriate)

Attended from (MM/YYYY)

Attended to (MM/YYYY)

2. University or institution name

Qualification type (eg. BA Hons, Magister, PhD)

Subject

Result

Date of award (or expected date) (MM/YYYY)

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Is this result an actual result or a predicted result? Actual Predicted

Dissertation title (if appropriate)

Attended from (MM/YYYY)

Attended to (MM/YYYY)

5. Employment

Relevant work experience can help support your application, however, this section is not compulsory. You should list your work experience in reverse chronological order (ie. most recent first).

1. Job title

Employer

Employer address

Postcode / ZIP

Country

Employed from (MM/YYYY)

Employed to (MM/YYYY)

Are you still employed in this role? Yes No

Full-time or part-time? Full-time Part-time

2. Job title

Employer

Employer address

Postcode / ZIP

Country

Employed from (MM/YYYY)

Employed to (MM/YYYY)

Are you still employed in this role? Yes No

Full-time or part-time? Full-time Part-time

3. Job title

Employer

Employer address

Postcode / ZIP

Country

Employed from (MM/YYYY)

Employed to (MM/YYYY)

Are you still employed in this role? Yes No

Full-time or part-time? Full-time Part-time

4. Job title

Employer

Employer address

Postcode / ZIP

Country

Employed from (MM/YYYY)

Employed to (MM/YYYY)

Are you still employed in this role? Yes No

Full-time or part-time? Full-time Part-time

6. English language

If your first language is not English, University of Bristol may require you to obtain a satisfactory score in an approved English Language qualification before starting your programme - IELTS (International English Language Testing System) is our preferred test. If you have taken a test, please also provide evidence of your result.

Is English your first language? Yes No

Was English the language of instruction of your first degree? Yes No

Do you hold an English language qualification? Yes No If yes, please provide details below.

English language test centre/location

Qualification type (eg IELTS / TOEFL)

Date of test (MM/YYYY)

Result

Is this result an actual result or a predicted result? Actual Predicted

Test number

Please provide details of any English language test still to be taken

Date of test still to be taken (MM/YYYY)

7. Funding

We recognise that you may not yet have finalised your plans for financing your studies, but it is helpful for us to have an indication of your intentions.

How do you propose to pay your tuition fees? (please tick all that apply)

- Yourself/Family Your employer Government scholarship
 UK Research Council NHS Funding Agency University of Bristol scholarship
 I would like to be considered for a funding award from the Department if one is available (please provide details)
 Other (please specify)

Scholarship status? (if applicable)

- Secured In progress Not yet applied

Name of organisation who will be paying your fees (if known)

8. Personal statement

Please use this section to explain your choice of university, why you think you are a suitable candidate for your programme of study and how your choice of research fits with your future career plans.

9. Research details (to be completed by applicants to research programmes only)

Are you applying in response to a studentship advert? Yes No

If yes, please provide details here

Proposed supervisor(s)

Please provide a brief summary of your proposed research topic(s)

10. Research statement (to be completed by applicants to research programmes only)

Some schools and departments require a proposed research topic whilst others ask for details of research interests. Please use this section to explain your proposed research project, or alternatively indicate the general areas of research in which you are interested, identifying, where necessary, individual members of staff with research interests that closely match your own.

As requirements vary between disciplines, you are advised to contact the School/Department to which you are applying before completing this section.

11. Research training statement (to be completed by applicants to research programmes only)

Please use the statement to tell us about specific research training or experience you have gained, for instance, qualitative or statistical techniques. As requirements vary between programmes, we encourage you to contact your School or Department before completing this section.

12. Specialist units / options (to be completed by applicants to taught programmes only)

Please provide details of any specialist units / options you wish to take as part of your programme.

13. Application information

Have you already contacted anyone at the University about your application? Yes No

If yes, please provide the name and department of the person you have contacted

Have you previously applied to University of Bristol for postgraduate study? Yes No

If yes, when did you previously apply? Within the last two years More than two years ago

If yes, did you apply to the same programme or a different programme? Same programme Different programme

Are you applying to other programmes at University of Bristol? Yes No

If yes, please provide details

Are you applying to other universities? Yes No

If yes, please provide details

What influenced your decision to apply to University of Bristol? (please tick all that apply)

- Friends or family Location University's reputation Cost
 Department's reputation Publicity material Availability of programme Staff's research interests
 Previous communication with staff Funding opportunity eg. Studentship Content of programme
 Other (please specify)

Where did you hear about opportunities for postgraduate study at University of Bristol? (please tick all that apply)

- British Council British Education exhibition Employer Article / advertisement
 Former student Careers advisor University of Bristol web site Agent / educational representative
 University of Bristol prospectus Exhibition or fair (in the UK) Other web site
 Other (please specify)

14. Referees

We require two references in support of your application. Please send each of your referees our Application reference form. You can enclose completed references with your application, but if you need to send them separately, please indicate this below and ensure they are clearly labelled with your full name, date of birth and programme. Your referees should be people under whose guidance you have recently studied (unless one is a recent employer.) We can't make a decision on your application without your references and it is your responsibility to make sure we receive them.

1. Family name	2. Family name
Title (eg. Miss / Mr)	Title (eg. Miss / Mr)
Given name(s)	Given name(s)
Employer	Employer
Email address	Email address
Contact address	Contact address
Postcode / ZIP	Postcode / ZIP
Country	Country
Telephone number (including country code and area code)	Telephone number (including country code and area code)
References enclosed / to follow (please delete as appropriate)	References enclosed / to follow (please delete as appropriate)

15. Diversity

The information requested in this section will not affect the academic assessment of your application. It will form a confidential record that will be stored electronically and it will be used only for the following purposes:

- By the university to identify any support needs resulting from a disability or medical condition.
- Anonymously for monitoring purposes by the Higher Education Statistics Agency to whom all UK universities are legally obliged to report data on the ethnic origin of their students.
- Anonymously by the university to monitor the operation of its Equality and Diversity policy.

Gender Male Female Transgender

Please indicate whether you have a disability or long term health condition (please tick one option only)

- No known disability
- A specific learning difficulty such as dyslexia, dyspraxia or AD(H)D
- Blind / visual impairment
- Deaf / hearing impairment
- Physical impairment or mobility issues, this may include Chronic Fatigue Syndrome (ME) or RSI
- A mental health condition, including depression, schizophrenia or anxiety disorder
- A long standing illness or health condition such as cancer, HIV, diabetes, chronic heart disease, or epilepsy
- A social/communication impairment such as Asperger's syndrome/other autistic spectrum disorder
- Two or more impairments or disabling medical conditions
- A disability, impairment or medical condition that is not listed above

If you have a disability or a long-term health condition you can provide us with more details here. This will enable the University of Bristol Access Unit to plan provision for your needs as a student.

Ethnic origin (please tick one option only)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> White | <input type="checkbox"/> Caribbean - Black or Black British |
| <input type="checkbox"/> African - Black or Black British | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Black background - please specify below |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Indian - Asian or Asian British | <input type="checkbox"/> Pakistani - Asian or Asian British |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bangladeshi - Asian or Asian British | <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese - Asian or Asian British |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Asian background - please specify below | <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed White and Black Caribbean |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed White and Black African | <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed White and Asian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other mixed background - please specify below | <input type="checkbox"/> Other ethnic background - please specify below |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to say | |

Further details

16. Declaration

I confirm that the information I have provided is true, complete and accurate. I accept that the information given on my application will be stored and processed by the University of Bristol, in accordance with the provisions of the Data Protection Act 1998, in order to consider my application, to monitor the University's applicant and student profile, to ensure health and safety and comply with other laws and regulations, to ensure the security and well-being of staff and students and, if my application is successful to form the basis of my student record. I understand that all decisions taken by the University of Bristol are made in good faith on the basis of the statements made on my application form. If the University of Bristol discovers that I have made a false statement or have omitted significant information from my application form, for example examination results, I understand that it may withdraw or amend its offer or terminate my registration, according to circumstances. I agree that, if my application is unsuccessful, the information provided will be retained by the University for a period of one year.

Signed

Date

If you are sending this form to the University by email, you should note that, in the absence of this signature, the emailing of this application constitutes your personal certification that the details are correct.

17. Checklist

Please check that you have:

Completed all relevant sections of this form.

Certified copies of your degree certificate/academic transcripts (if available) (section 4):

Enclosed

To follow

Original English language certificates (where appropriate) (section 6):

Enclosed

To follow

Obtained two references (section 14)

Reference 1 enclosed / to follow (please delete as appropriate)

Reference 2 enclosed / to follow (please delete as appropriate)

Signed and dated this form at section 16

Included any other items required by the School/Department to which you are applying, such as supplementary forms, examples of work, CV, or other documents.

18. Submitting your application

Please return your form to the appropriate Faculty Office by the application deadline for your programme. Our contact details are on the last page. All our application deadlines are shown in the Postgraduate Prospectus at www.bristol.ac.uk/prospectus/postgraduate

As long as you have stated your email address on your application, you will receive an automated email notifying you once your application has been received. If you do not have an email address, unfortunately it is not always possible for applications to be acknowledged.

Your application will be added to the online system when we receive it. You will be able to log into the online system to see the progress of your application and to view your decision, once it has been made. We will let you know how to do this when we acknowledge receipt of your application.

If you have a complaint about how your application has been handled please contact:

Postgraduate Recruitment and Admissions Manager,

2nd Floor, Students' Union Building

Queen's Road

Bristol

BS8 1LN

UK

Contact addresses

Please address your application and any subsequent enquiries to the appropriate office from the list below:

Postgraduate Admissions

The Graduate School of Arts and Humanities

Faculty of Arts, University of Bristol, 7 Woodland Road
Bristol, BS8 1TB

Tel: (+44 117) or (0117) 928 8897

Email: artf-gradschool-admissions@bristol.ac.uk

Postgraduate Admissions

Faculty of Engineering Office

University of Bristol, Queen's Building, University Walk
Bristol, BS8 1TR

Tel: (+44 117) or (0117) 331 5835

Email: fen-pgadmissions@bristol.ac.uk

Postgraduate Admissions

Faculty of Medical and Veterinary Sciences Office

School of Medical Sciences

University Walk, Bristol, BS8 1TD

Tel: (+44 117) or (0117) 331 1535

Email: medscivet-pg-admissions@bristol.ac.uk

Postgraduate Admissions

Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry Office

University of Bristol, 69 St Michael's Hill, Bristol, BS2 8DZ

Tel: (+44 117) or (0117) 331 1683

Email: md-pgadmissions@bristol.ac.uk

Postgraduate Admissions

Faculty of Science Office

University of Bristol, Royal Fort House Annexe
Bristol, BS8 1UH

Tel: (+44 117) or (0117) 928 8126

Email: science-pg-admissions@bristol.ac.uk

Postgraduate Admissions

Faculty of Social Sciences and Law Office

University of Bristol, Senate House,

Tyndall Avenue, Bristol, BS8 1TH

Tel: (+44 117) or (0117) 928 9952

Email: socialsciences-pg-admissions@bristol.ac.uk

Graduate School of Education

(for all Education programmes)

Postgraduate Programmes Team

University of Bristol, 8-10 Berkeley Square

Bristol, BS8 1JA

Email: med-office@bristol.ac.uk (taught)

ed-phd@bristol.ac.uk (research)

ed-pgce@bristol.ac.uk (PGCE)

ed-edd@bristol.ac.uk (EdD programmes)

Postgraduate Admissions, School of Law Office

(for all Law programmes)

University of Bristol, Wills Memorial Building, Queens Road,
Bristol, BS8 1RJ

Tel: (+44 117) or (0117) 954 5357

Email: law-pg-admissions@bristol.ac.uk

Postgraduate Admissions, School of Economics, Finance and Management

(for all Economics, Finance and Management programmes)

University of Bristol, 8 Woodland Road

Bristol BS8 1TN

Tel: (+44 117) or (0117) 928 9059

Email: efim-pgadmissions@bristol.ac.uk