



DUT POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS CALL 2025

Please read carefully before responding to the call and pay close attention to the call information stipulated herein. **The FINAL CLOSING date is subject to availability of funding.**

OPENS: 01 JUNE 2025

CLOSES: 30 JUNE 2025 **FINAL CLOSING:** 31 JULY 2025

MAIN ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Applicants must be studying at master's or doctoral level
- Postgraduate students **must be full-time, registered students**
- ***Special Consideration:** Applicants with **acceptance letters** will be considered, however, **access to funding will be subject to DUT's Academic and Finance policies**
- Must have 60% aggregate or more in the most recently obtained appropriate qualification that aligns with the qualification to be funded
- Applicants will be eligible for a scholarship (all other criteria considered) if they are still within two years of their official academic Masters study period or three years of their official academic Doctoral study period
- Applicants are not entitled to the full scholarship allocation due to its dependence on the date of processing and issuing of the outcome of a specific application
- Only first-time qualifications under a specific level of study, are eligible under this funding scheme

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- **OVERVIEW: APPLICATION PROCEDURE & KEY REQUIREMENTS**
- Application assistance can be obtained using the following Helpline:
- Email: **GrantsAssistant2@dut.ac.za**
- MS Teams direct calling to: Amkelekile Sigunjana
- Landline: 0313732946
- Applications are submitted online, on the DUT website using the link
<https://www.dut.ac.za/online-pgs-scholarship-application>

Please select the appropriate option for the question “Application for:”

The following, supporting documents are required and must be uploaded onto the online form, in the appropriate section, as one merged document:

- **Proof of registration** clearly indicating FULL-TIME registration or **Acceptance letter** clearly stipulating FULL-TIME study.
- Certified copy of the legality-of-stay document, certified within the last three months: Applicant’s OFFICIAL identification document that s/he uses in South Africa (South African Identity document, Passport, Refugee status document), as an example
- All required copies of documents must have been certified within the last three months
- **Qualifications Copies:** Transcripts in support of the required aggregate obtained. Aggregate must be **clearly** indicated in the supporting document provided
- A reference letter (comprehensive report) from the applicant’s **supervisor or co-supervisor**, providing information on the candidate’s study progress and commendation
- A second reference letter, which is a support letter from a **DUT** staff member in the Faculty/ Institute / Department/ Unit, where the applicant is/will be registered and/or affiliated
- A letter of employment indicating the type of employment and the number of hours worked per week (if applicant is employed in any capacity), where applicable

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- A clear, recently endorsed AFFIDAVIT (**dated within the open Call Circular timeline**), with its contents providing information on the following:
- The details of the **main supervisor** (Title, Name and Surname, Contact Email)
 - Applicant's registration status at the current institution in the application/reporting period, i.e., full-time, part-time, other – SPECIFY
 - Student's employment status in the application/reporting period, i.e., employed or not employed
 - If the student is employed, whether permanently employed, employed on contract, or employed part-time, as example
 - If employed on a contract or part-time basis, please specify the period of employment, i.e., start and end dates and the number of hours worked per week
 - The type of FUNDING SOURCE in the application/reporting period, which is enabling the student to study (e.g. family income, a donation from a well-wisher, NRF, etc.) and the name of the Funding Source, name of the Funding Organization, and Value of the funding
 - The applicant's SARS tax number (where applicable)
 - INCLUDE A **DECLARATION** on the affidavit with the following wording: "If any of the information provided does not match the minimum requirements as outlined in the Scholarship rules, conditions of grant and/or award letter, I (**please insert your Title, Full names, Surname as well as your SA Identity/Passport/Other legality-of-stay document number here**) will be liable to pay back to the Funder, all the money awarded to me".

ENSURE THAT YOU READ AND ADHERE TO THE CALL'S GUIDELINES

WORKSHOPS FOR JUNE CALL APPLICATIONS.

24 June, 2025 ; 10H00-12H00 ; MS Teams calling:

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26 June, 2025 ; 11H00-12H00 ; MS Teams calling:

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30 June, 2025 ; 10H00-12H00 ; MS Teams calling:

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