School of Engineering Postgraduate Research Studentship

The School of Engineering Postgraduate Research Studentship is available to new entrants on the full-time PhD register. The studentship fully covers EU and non-EU fees and provides an annual stipend of €18,000 for four years. The studentship holder is required to engage in teaching throughout the four years of the programme.

What are the requirements?

The School of Engineering Postgraduate Research Studentship is available to a new entrant on the full-time PhD register for entry in September 2020 or March 2021. The studentship aims to support and develop gifted research students. The selection panel will consider an applicant’s transcript of results, research proposal and evaluate the supervisor’s research group when choosing the successful candidate.

How do I apply?

All students undertaking a research degree are assigned to a single principal supervisor. The supervisor’s role is essentially that of an academic guide and mentor. Before applying for a research degree in the School of Engineering, please contact the appropriate department with your research proposal and arrange a suitable supervisor before submitting your application. The following documentation must accompany your application:

- Two academic references
- Research proposal
- Academic transcript(s) which must be certified by the issuing body: please note that graduates of the University of Dublin, Trinity College Dublin do not need to provide academic transcripts or copies of award parchments.
- Certified copy of degree certificate(s): please note that graduates of the University of Dublin, Trinity College Dublin do not need to provide certified copies of degree certificates
- A recognised certificate of English Language Competency if English is not your first language. (See International Student Entry Requirements).
- CV

Please apply online using the appropriate link making sure to choose the Studentship option under the Funding/Financial Support section of the application form. The application deadline is Wednesday, 22nd April 2020.

Teaching

The holder of the School of Engineering Postgraduate Scholarship is required to engage in teaching-related activities as advised by the Director of Teaching and Learning (Postgraduate) or his/her nominee. The approximate hours required over the four-year programme will be as follows:

Year 1: 6 hours per week over two 12-week terms
Year 2: 6 hours per week over two 12-week terms
Year 3: 4 hours per week over two 12-week terms
Year 4: 4 hours per week over one 12-week term

The studentship holder must also take the Module: CE7R01 - Reflective Teaching Assistantship in year 1.

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1 Please note that the stipend of €18,000 is the maximum annual income level a student can earn.