University of KwaZulu-Natal
College of Health Sciences

DOCTORAL and MASTERS RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP for NEW REGISTRATIONS: 2025

CONDITIONS OF AWARD:

1. Doctoral and Masters Research Scholarships are available in order to encourage research efforts within the College of Health Sciences.
2. The value of the scholarships is R120 000 (SA citizens) and R 60 000 (Non-SA citizens) for PhD; and R60 000 for Masters **(funding is for one year only).**
3. The scholarships are for full-time Doctoral and Masters students who are in their first year/year 1 of studies.
4. For Doctoral candidates, the tenure of the scholarships shall be for one year, renewable for a further two years, subject to good/excellent progress; submitting a progress report. Automatic renewal is not guaranteed.
5. Only application forms completed in full by all parties will be considered by the College Scholarships Awards Committee. Applications must be lodged using the **CHS online application website**: https://scholarship.ukzn.ac.za/ by the closing date of **07 March 2025**. The website is compatible with Chrome.
6. As a minimum, applicants are at least expected to have their research proposals accepted by the relevant School Higher Degrees committees (HDMS). Contact your respective schools regarding HDMS related issues.
7. Applicants who are about to submit their masters and doctoral theses for examination are not considered for this research scholarship.
8. Those who already have other scholarships/funding do not qualify for this award.
9. UKZN generously offers a fee remission for completion of a full-time Master's degree in one year and a full-time doctoral degree in 3 years.

Incomplete applications will not be considered and no appeals will be considered.