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| ***Project Title:****Max 100 words* |

1. **Applicant Details**

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| ***Date of Birth:*** |

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| ***Country of Citizenship:*** |

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| ***Area where you are ordinarily resident:*** |
| EU  | 🞏 |
| Non-EU | 🞏 |

1. **Academic Supervisor Details**

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| ***Academic Supervisor Name:*** |

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| ***Email Address:*** |

1. **Referee Details**

**Referee 1**

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| ***Referee Name:*** |

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| ***Organisation/Institution:*** |

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**Referee 2**

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| ***Referee Name:*** |

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| ***Organisation/Institution:*** |

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| ***Position:*** |

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1. **Academic Qualifications**
	1. **Undergraduate Qualifications – Bachelor’s Degree or Equivalent**

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| ***Institution Name:*** |

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| ***Year registered from: Year registered to:***  |

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| ***Qualification Type & Name:*** |

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| ***Grade or grade point average:*** |

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| ***Additional Information:****(e.g. Project Title, Area of Study, etc.) Max 300 words* |

* 1. **Postgraduate Qualifications**

**Master’s Degree Details**

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| ***Type:***  |
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| ***Institution Name:*** |

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| ***Grade or grade point average:*** |

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**Second Master’s Degree Details**

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| ***Type:***  |
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| ***Institution Name:*** |

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| ***Date registered from: Date registered to:*** |

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| ***Qualification Type & Name:*** |

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| ***Grade or grade point average*:** |

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| ***Additional Information:****(e.g. Project Title, Area of Study, etc.) Max 300 words* |

**Other Education**

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| *Please include any additional information relevant to your academic background (e.g. training courses, please provide name, location and dates etc.).* *Max 300 words* |

**Research Achievements**

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| *Please provide any additional information regarding your research achievements (e.g. publications to date, research awards achieved, creation of data sets & databases, conference papers, patents, etc.)**Max 500 words* |

**Work Experience**

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| *Please include details of any relevant work experience (including voluntary work) to date. This should include employer names, job titles, nature of duties and responsibilities, as well as duration of employment.**Max 500 words* |

1. **Proposed Research**

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| ***Expected finish Date:*** |

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| ***Keywords describing proposed research:*** *(<5 words, <10 words if interdisciplinary****)*** |

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| ***Abstract:*** *Please bear in mind this could be read by non-specialists, as well as peers, and should be written in order to communicate with them effectively.**Max 300 words* |

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| ***Description of topic:*** *Please provide details of your proposed research to include (a) aims, objectives and central research questions of the project, (b) how existing literature on the topic has been used to inform the proposal and (c) how the project will advance state of the art and make a contribution to existing knowledge:**Max 500 words* |

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| ***Methodology:*** *Please detail the research design and methodologies to be employed in carrying out your scholarship which should be described in sufficient detail to demonstrate your thorough understanding of the research topic:* *Max 500 words* |

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| ***Research Schedule:*** *Please provide a schedule to include (a) milestones and deliverables for completion of the proposed research, (b) risks that might endanger reaching these deliverables and (c) the contingency plans to be put in place in order to mitigate these risks:* *Max 500 words* |

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| ***Dissemination:*** *Please outline your plans for the dissemination and knowledge exchange of your research, including publications, conference attendance, poster presentations, reports and outreach activities. Details should also be provided as to how the impact of your research will be measured:* *Max 500 words* |

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| ***Have you submitted all or part of this research proposal to an Irish Research Council (IRC) Scheme or other Ph.D. Scholarship scheme?*** |
| Yes | 🞏 |
| No | 🞏 |

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| ***If you have answered “yes” to question 5.10, please provide details*** |

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| ***Have you commenced the course of research for which you are applying?*** |
| Yes | 🞏 |
| No | 🞏 |
| *If yes, Please outline the source and duration of your funding (start/finish dates), and outline the progress made to date and include completed tasks, chapters etc.* |

1. **Personal Statement**

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| * *Why do you wish to pursue a higher degree by research?*
* *Why have you proposed this research topic?*
* *Why are you particularly suited for this research field?*
* *Discuss any additional aspects which you feel will provide a better picture of your capability, including personal skills, motivation, interests etc.*

*Max 500 words* |

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1. **Declaration**

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| ***I confirm that the information supplied in this application is correct:*** |
| I agree | 🞏 |