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**CoSS UofG/USYD Joint PhD Project Proposal**

Application Form

Please complete this application form and submit it to [gradschool.socsci@glasgow.ac.uk](mailto:gradschool.socsci@glasgow.ac.uk) by **09 December 2024**.

1. **Applicant Details**

Please input your details below. The person submitting the application should be the primary supervisor. The primary supervisor’s University will be the Home Institution for the successful PhD Candidate.

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| **Name:**  *Please include title* |  |
| **University:** |  |
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1. **Project Details**

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| **Proposed project title:** |  |

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| **Abstract**  Please summarise the project in under 300 words |
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| **Impact summary**  Please provide an impact summary of 250 words or less, incorporating why this proposal is of societal and/or disciplinary value. |
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**3. Feasibility of Project within PhD Funding Time Constraints**

Please comment on the feasibility of the proposal being implemented within the 3 years of PhD funding. You may wish to reflect on the implications of acquiring specialist training, working across disciplines and on access to data (max 250 words).

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**4. Research Proposal and Case for Support**

The case for support should be a maximum of 2,250 words (not including references, which are to be provided separately) and **MUST** include the following:

* Overview and rationale for project, aims, research questions and methodologies/methods/techniques employed.
* Anticipated project outcomes in terms of research output and likely impacts
* Timetable (ensuring that the proposal is feasible within a 3-year funded PhD)
* Knowledge exchange activities
* Any plans for dissemination of research outputs
* Ethical issues associated with this proposal (including those that may impact on formal ethics committee approval **and** those requiring ongoing consideration in the field/during analysis) and proposed actions to mitigate these
* Any appropriate arrangements relating to Intellectual Property Rights
* Supervision and fit with project and proposed training arrangements (please make reference to experience of supervisors including in relation to successful collaborative research, combination of supervisory skills, research environment e.g., how the research fits within the both University’s and Schools/Departments, and how the training needs will be met)

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**5. Risk Assessment**

Please indicate the aspects of your proposal that may be at risk of non-implementation. Indicate the likelihood of such risks and the approaches that you will take to manage such risks in order to ensure that timely completion of your studentship **within the funded period** is not compromised (250 words max).

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**6. Supervisory Experience and Training**

Has the first supervisor attended PGR Supervisory Training in the last 5 years within their current institution?

Yes  No

Please Note: If “No”, evidence of training will need to be provided prior to the award letter being issued.

**First Supervisor Details**

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| **Name:**  *Please include title* |  |
| **Email Address:** |  |
| **University:** | Click to select HEI |
| **Existing students and their projects:** | |
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| **Past student submission on time and completion rates:** | |
| *For example: Past student submission on time and completion rates: 9 students supervised to completion (100% completion rate); 8 of these submitted within four years or equivalent for P/T (89%).* | |
| **First supervisor’s top three funded projects and/or publications of relevance to the studentship application:** | |
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**Second Supervisor Details**

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| **Name:**  *Please include title* |  |
| **Email Address:** |  |
| **University:** | Click to select HEI |
| **Existing students and their projects:** | |
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| **Past student submission on time and completion rates:** | |
| *For example: Past student submission on time and completion rates: 9 students supervised to completion (100% completion rate); 8 of these submitted within four years or equivalent for P/T (89%).* | |
| **Second supervisor’s top three funded projects and/or publications of relevance to the studentship application:** | |
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**Third Supervisor Details (if applicable)**

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| **Name:**  *Please include title* |  |
| **Email Address:** |  |
| **University:** | Click to select HEI |
| **Existing students and their projects:** | |
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| **Past student submission on time and completion rates:** | |
| *For example: Past student submission on time and completion rates: 9 students supervised to completion (100% completion rate); 8 of these submitted within four years or equivalent for P/T (89%).* | |
| **Third supervisor’s top three funded projects and/or publications of relevance to the studentship application:** | |
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**Fourth Supervisor Details (if applicable)**

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| **Name:**  *Please include title* |  |
| **Email Address:** |  |
| **University:** | Click to select HEI |
| **Existing students and their projects:** | |
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| **Past student submission on time and completion rates:** | |
| *For example: Past student submission on time and completion rates: 9 students supervised to completion (100% completion rate); 8 of these submitted within four years or equivalent for P/T (89%).* | |
| **Fourth supervisor’s top three funded projects and/or publications of relevance to the studentship application:** | |
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**Supervisory Team as a Whole**

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| In no more than 150 words please outline the key strengths and roles of the proposed supervisory team. Please note, supervisory teams that build supervisory capacity through the inclusion of Early Career Researchers are strongly supported. All supervisory teams should include one supervisor who is experienced in supervision of PhDs to completion (a minimum of two completions is required). |
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**7. Recruitment**

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| Please advise on challenges you anticipate when recruiting a suitably qualiﬁed candidate and how you intend to advertise the studentship to ensure the best chance of recruiting a qualiﬁed candidate?  **If you are successful, UofG and USYD will advertise on our respective websites and findphd.com** |
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**8. Applicant confirmation**

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| **Please confirm:**  ☐​ The full supervisory team are aware of the requirement for the potential PhD candidate to spend at least 30% of their candidature physically based at each institution, and the project has been designed in such a way to accommodate this within the funded period  ​​☐​ If awarded, the first supervisor (in collaboration with the rest of the supervisory team and the selected PhD candidate), will submit a Joint PhD Student Agreement which will need to be completed and signed off by both institutions prior to the potential PhD Candidate commencing their PhD. |