

**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO A POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH DEGREE PROGRAMME  
(INCLUDING A PROFESSIONAL DOCTORATE)**

FOR ACADEMIC SESSION 20\_\_/\_\_\_ (insert academic year)

*Intended start month (delete as appropriate):* September January May

Please complete in **BLOCK CAPITALS**. Your completed application form should be returned to:  
[applications@bolton.ac.uk](mailto:applications@bolton.ac.uk)

**Title of Proposed Research:**

**Intended Research Degree (please consult the relevant regulations (see bottom of page 4) and mark one answer only):**  
 MPhil  PhD via MPhil  PhD Direct   
 PhD by Published Work  \*Prospective/\*Retrospective – \*delete as appropriate  
 PhD by Practice  \*Prospective/\*Retrospective – \*delete as appropriate  
 Professional Doctorate  (state qualification title, e.g. EdD, DBA):

**Intended Mode of Study (mark one answer only):** Full-Time  Part-Time

**Intended Location of Study (mark one answer only):**  
 Studying primarily outside the UK   
 State country and name of institution (if applicable):  
 Based primarily at the University of Bolton   
 UK-based distance learning

**Surname/Family Name/Previous Name:**

**First Name(s):**

<b>Date of Birth:</b>	Day (dd)	Month (mm)	Year (yyyy)	<b>Gender:</b>	M	F
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**Age on 1 September in the year of entry:** Years: Months:

<b>Nationality:</b>	<b>Place of Birth:</b>	<b>(Town):</b>	<b>(Country):</b>
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**Current valid passport number (international students only):**

<b>Correspondence Address:</b>	<b>Telephone number (including code) &amp; email:</b>
Postcode:	Day: Evening: Email: Fax (if any):

<b>Please give the name and address of the educational institution you are currently attending (if none, please give details of your last educational institution)</b>	Name:	Faculty/Department:
	Address:	

<b>Are you attending, or did you attend?</b> Full-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-Time <input type="checkbox"/> <b>(mark one answer only)</b>	<b>Date attended from:</b> Month: Year:	<b>To (if you have left):</b> Month: Year:
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<b>Please list your previous higher education studies and degrees/diplomas awarded or about to be taken:</b>		
Institution name, Award/Qualification Title, and Subject:  <i>(e.g. University of Bolton, BSc (Hons) Psychology)</i>	Grade, if applicable:  <i>Upper second class</i>	Date awarded:  <i>2012)</i>

**Important:** If your first language is not English, you must state here your IELTS or TOEFL or equivalent test score and profile, or provide other evidence of the study of and/or competence in English language (see: <http://www.bolton.ac.uk/International/HowToApply/EntryRequirements.aspx> and, for International applicants intending to study in the UK, see: <http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/adult-students/can-you-apply/english-language/>)

Institution/Awarding Body Name, Award/Qualification Title, and Subject:	Grade & Profile, if applicable:	Date awarded:
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**Please give details of any previous employment held (including Industrial Experience and Placements):**

Name & Address of Employer:	Position Held:	From:	To:

**Tuition Fees to be paid by (mark one answer only):**

Self  Parent, Guardian or other sponsor  Employer

**Name and address of person or body paying tuition fees:**

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**Where did you learn about the research opportunities at the University? (mark one answer only):**

Advertisement  Friend  Library  Careers Event  Current Student  Other  (Please specify below)

**Please tell us if you have any physical or other disabilities which might necessitate special arrangements:**

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**Please give names, addresses and titles of two referees who may be contacted regarding your suitability to undertake research:**

1.	2.
Postcode:	Postcode:

**If you have already discussed your intended or actual application with (or sent it to) a member of staff of the University of Bolton, please provide their name here or state 'N/A':**

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**Please use this space to give us a brief outline of your proposed research and any other information in support of your application. You may continue on separate sheets if you wish, but please submit them as part of the application form.**

**Criminal Convictions:**

**Do you have any criminal convictions? (Mark one answer only):**      Yes       No   
**(excluding motoring offences for which a fine and/or penalty points were imposed).**

**If the answer is 'yes', you will be required to provide details of any convictions to the University of Bolton. Any applicant whose research may bring them into contact with young or vulnerable persons will be required to undergo a CRB Enhanced Disclosure.**

**I confirm that to the best of my knowledge the information given on this form is correct.**

**Insert name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

See: <http://www.bolton.ac.uk/Quality/OAEContents/ResearchDegreesAndStudents/ResearchDocuments.aspx> and consult, as applicable, one or more of: (a) Research Degree Regulations: Regulations and Procedures Governing Programmes of Study by Research Leading to the Awards of the University of Bolton; (b) Regulations and Procedures Governing the Award of the Degrees of Doctor of Philosophy by Published Work and Doctor of Philosophy by Practice; (c) Professional Doctorates Framework