

# MONASH DOCTORAL PROGRAM

## A PhD designed to set you up for success.

The Monash Doctoral Program combines the proud tradition of an original research project with innovative training options. Complete your research project with excellence, develop a broad range of skills and professional attributes, and make an impact in academia, industry, government, or community after graduation.

### MONASH DOCTORAL PROGRAM STRUCTURE

The Monash Doctoral Program is offered in the following modes (determined by faculty):

- **Coursework**  
In this mode, you'll take up formal units of study relevant to your field of research.
- **Professional development**  
In this mode, you'll complete professional development activities to complement your research project.
- **Graduate research industry partnership**  
In this mode, you'll work on an interdisciplinary research project with our industry partners, and complete professional development activities co-delivered by industry.

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### WHY MONASH

We're ranked in the Top 1% of universities in the world\*, and are a founding member in the Group of Eight, an alliance of Australian universities recognised for leading research.

Choosing Monash gives you access to our expert supervision, generous scholarships, world-class research infrastructure, and strong industry connections.

Our home campus is based in Melbourne, Australia, the most liveable city in the world#. And we have a global presence - international campuses, research centres, and partnerships with international universities to jointly award PhDs.

### 150+ FIELDS OF RESEARCH

We're active in over 150 fields of research, and have made significant world impact with our discoveries. This is why a Monash research degree is respected around the world. We have a special interest in pursuing research that focuses on:

- Health and well-being
- Future technologies
- Sustainable environments
- Resilient cultures and communities

### GRADUATE OUTCOMES

Upon completion of the Monash Doctoral Program, you can go on to make an impact in:

- Academia
- Industry
- Government
- Community

\* Times Higher Education World University Rankings, 2018

# Economist Intelligence Unit, 2011-2018

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Independent research is a challenging but rewarding experience. You must demonstrate the capacity to carry out independent research in your proposed field, and meet minimum academic and English language requirements.

### Minimum academic requirements

Qualification	Grade
Bachelor's degree (four years full-time study) in relevant field, with research component in final year	Honours 1 or 2A
Master's degree with significant research component (at least 25% of one year full-time)	Honours 2A
Or equivalent qualifications to above	

### Monash Honours grading

First class honours	H1	80+
Second class honours division A	H2A	70-79
Second class honours division B	H2B	60-69
Third class honours	H3	50-59

### English language requirements

You'll need sound English language skills for graduate research. If your first language is not English, the language criteria must be satisfied in either:

- Language of instruction
- English language test
- Monash English Bridging (MEB) Program

## HOW TO APPLY

1. Check that you are eligible and satisfy the entry requirements.
2. Receive an invitation to apply. To do this, you can either find a supervisor who agrees to supervise your research, or complete an expression of interest (depending on faculty).
3. Prepare your documents. You'll be asked to upload copies of documents which include at least:
  - Academic curriculum vitae
  - Academic transcripts
  - Proof of citizenship
  - Proof of meeting the English language proficiency requirements
  - Invitation to apply
  - Research proposal
4. Submit your application to us.

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## CONTACT

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