

ADMISSION TO DOCTORAL STUDY WITHOUT APPROVED RESEARCH PROPOSAL

Name of student: _____

Student number: _____

Master's qualification already obtained: _____

Department and discipline: _____

Promotor: _____

Co-promotor: _____

Declaration by student:

I have been fully informed by my promotor that:

- the regulations for admission to doctoral study without a research proposal and dissertation title require that the approved doctoral research proposal and dissertation title must be approved, 12 months after starting to prepare the proposal with the possible supervisor.
- should this requirement not be fulfilled, I will not be allowed to register as a doctoral student for the following year;
- bursaries granted to me for doctoral study may, depending on the provisions for the bursary, be forfeited and monies already paid to me will have to be repaid;
- I will forfeit the study fees for the year concerned;
- should I wish to register for doctoral study again in the future, I will be responsible for the full study fees for the programme.

Signature of student: _____

Date: _____

Declaration by Departmental Chair and promotor:

We hereby grant our permission that _____ (student's name and student number) may register as a doctoral candidate for the programme _____ in _____ (year). In our opinion, the research proposal will be finalised in a 12 months period.

In my opinion as promotor, it is within the candidate's capacity to carry the research proposal through the PhD Committee.

Signature of Chair: _____

Signature of Promotor: _____

Date: _____