

Higher Degrees by Research Course application dates - Domestic

2025	Apply to start First Half Year 2025		Apply to start Second Half Year 2025	
	OPENS	CLOSES	OPENS	CLOSES
Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)	1 Jan 2024	31 Mar 2025 #	1 July 2024	30 Sep 2025
Doctor of Philosophy (Clinical Psychology) (PHDCP)	1 Sep 2024	31 Oct 2024	n/a	n/a
Master of Arts by research (MA)	1 Jan 2024	31 Mar 2025	1 July 2024	30 Sep 2025
Master of Business by research (MBUS/R)	1 Jan 2024	31 Mar 2025	1 July 2024	30 Sep 2025
Master of Clinical Education by research (MCE/R)	1 Jan 2024	31 Jan 2025	1 July 2024	31 May 2025
Master of Engineering by research (MENG/R)	1 Jan 2024	31 Mar 2025	1 July 2024	30 Sep 2025
Master of Health and Clinical Research (MHCR/R)	1 Jan 2024	31 Jan 2025	1 July 2024	31 May 2025
Master of Laws (MLAW)	1 Jan 2024	31 Mar 2025	1 July 2024	30 Sep 2025
Master of Science by research (MSC)	1 Jan 2024	31 Mar 2025	1 July 2024	30 Sep 2025
Master of Surgery (MSURG/R)	1 Jan 2024	31 Mar 2025	1 July 2024	30 Sep 2025

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2026	Apply to start 2026 First Half Year		Apply to start 2026 Second Half Year	
	OPENS	CLOSES	OPENS	CLOSES
Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)	1 Jan 2025	31 Mar 2026#	1 July 2025	30 Sep 2026
Doctor of Philosophy (Clinical Psychology) (PHDCP)	1 Sep 2025	31 Oct 2025	n/a	n/a
Master of Arts by research (MA)	1 Jan 2025	31 Mar 2026	1 July 2025	30 Sep 2026
Master of Business by research (MBUS/R)	1 Jan 2025	31 Mar 2026	1 July 2025	30 Sep 2026
Master of Clinical Education by research (MCE/R)	1 Jan 2025	31 Jan 2026	1 July 2025	31 May 2026
Master of Engineering by research (MENG/R)	1 Jan 2025	31 Mar 2026	1 July 2025	30 Sep 2026
Master of Health and Clinical Research (MHCR/R)	1 Jan 2025	31 Jan 2026	1 July 2025	31 May 2026
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Master of Science by research (MSC)	1 Jan 2025	31 Mar 2026	1 July 2025	30 Sep 2026
Master of Surgery (MSURG/R)	1 Jan 2025	31 Mar 2026	1 July 2025	30 Sep 2026

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