## **Higher Doctorate Admission Requirements Schedule**

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Doctor of Science	<ul> <li>(a) holds—         <ul> <li>(i) a Bachelor of Science or equivalent science degree of at least 15 years standing and a Doctor of Philosophy of at least 7 years standing approved for this purpose by the Dean, Graduate School; or</li> <li>(ii) a qualification of at least 15 years standing in a field other than science approved by the Dean, Graduate School and has adequate scientific training; and</li> </ul> </li> <li>(b) has carried out the work associated with the candidature for the degree at this University or has otherwise a substantial connection with this University that in the opinion of the Dean, Graduate School the person should be accepted as a candidate.</li> </ul>
Doctor of Veterinary Science	<ul> <li>(a) holds—         <ul> <li>(i) a Bachelor of Veterinary Science or equivalent veterinary degree of at least 15 years standing, approved for this purpose by the Dean, Graduate School; and</li> <li>(ii) a Doctor of Philosophy or a Veterinary Specialty Diploma or Veterinary Specialty Fellowship with at least 7 years standing approved for this purpose by the Dean, Graduate School; and</li> </ul> </li> <li>(b) has carried out the work associated with the candidature for the degree at this University or has otherwise a substantial connection with this University that in the opinion of the Dean, Graduate School the person should be accepted as a candidate.</li> <li>The Dean, Graduate School, in exceptional circumstances, on the grounds of published work, may decide that a person need not comply with clause (a)(ii).</li> </ul>
Doctor of Agricultural Science	<ul> <li>(a) holds—         <ul> <li>(i) a Bachelor of Agricultural Science or Master of Agricultural Science of at least 15 years standing and a Doctor of Philosophy of at least 7 years standing (being a doctorate awarded for research in a branch of Agricultural Science); or</li> <li>(ii) holds a qualification of at least 15 years standing, in a field other than Agricultural Science, approved for this purpose by the Dean, Graduate School and has adequate training in Agricultural Science; and</li> </ul> </li> <li>(b) has carried out the work associated with the candidature for the degree at this University or otherwise has a substantial connection with this University that, in the opinion of the Dean, Graduate School, the person should be accepted as a candidate.</li> </ul>
Doctor of Engineering	<ul> <li>(a) holds a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) from this University of at least 7 years standing; or</li> <li>(b) holds a Master of Engineering, Master of Engineering Science or Master of Engineering Studies from this University of at least 3 years standing; or</li> <li>(c) holds a Doctor of Philosophy from this University (being a doctorate awarded for research in a branch of engineering); or</li> <li>(d) holds from another tertiary education institution—         <ul> <li>(i) a qualification of at least 7 years standing, approved for this purpose by the Dean, Graduate School to be at least equivalent to the degree of Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) from this University; and</li> <li>(ii) has carried out at this University a substantial part of the work associated with the proposed candidature or otherwise has a substantial connection with this University over a period of not less than 5 years that the applicant should, in the opinion of the Dean, Graduate School, be accepted as a candidate.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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Doctor of Laws	<ul> <li>(a) holds—         <ul> <li>(i) a Bachelor of Laws or equivalent laws degree of at least 15 years standing; or</li> <li>(ii) a Doctor of Philosophy of at least 7 years standing approved for this purpose by the Dean, Graduate School; or</li> <li>(iii) a qualification of at least 15 years standing in a field other than law approved by the Dean, Graduate School and has appropriate training in the field of law; and</li> </ul> </li> <li>(b) has carried out the work associated with the candidature for the degree at this University or has otherwise a substantial connection with this University that in the opinion of the Dean, Graduate School the person should be accepted as a candidate.</li> </ul>
Doctor of Economics	<ul> <li>(a) holds—         <ul> <li>(i) a Bachelor of Economics or equivalent economics degree of at least 15 years standing and a Doctor of Philosophy of at least 7 years standing approved for this purpose by the Dean, Graduate School; or</li> <li>(ii) a qualification of at least 15 years standing in a field other than economics approved by the Dean, Graduate School and has adequate scientific training; and</li> </ul> </li> <li>(b) has carried out the work associated with the candidature for the degree at this University or has otherwise a substantial connection with this University that in the opinion of the Dean, Graduate School the person should be accepted as a candidate.</li> </ul>
Doctor of Medicine (Research)	<ul> <li>(a) holds a Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery from this University of at least 7 years standing; or</li> <li>(b) holds a Master of Philosophy or Master of Medical Science from this University of at least 3 years standing; or</li> <li>(c) holds a Doctor of Philosophy from this University (being a doctorate awarded for research in a branch of medicine); or</li> <li>(d) holds a qualification of at least 7 years standing, approved for this purpose by the Dean, Graduate School, and has a substantial connection with this University that, in the opinion of the Dean, Graduate School, the person should be accepted as a candidate.</li> </ul>

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