

Criteria for Postgraduate Awards in Geography 2021

Academic qualifications	
Essential	Minimum 2:1 honours degree in Geography or a related subject by the time of taking up the position
Desirable (DA) Essential (PGS)	Postgraduate qualification in Geography or a related subject by the time of taking up the position
Essential	Strong academic track record
Knowledge and Experience	
Essential	Knowledge of geography related to the proposed project
Desirable	Undergraduate research in an area related to the proposed project
Skills and Competencies	
Essential	Strong academic writing skills
Essential	Strong IT skills
Essential	Effective communication skills
Essential	Geographic skills and competencies related to the proposed project
Research proposal	
Essential	Specific research question, and proposals to develop the project
Essential	Suitable conceptual and theoretical framework identified, with some relevant literature reviewed
Essential	Appropriate and achievable methodology
Essential	Realistic research schedule/milestones
Additional Criteria	
Essential	Clear ideas for how this proposed project would contribute to future career objectives
Essential (DA)	Strong potential to contribute to teaching in the Department
Essential	Ability to reflect on own skills and knowledge, and to seek opportunities to develop
Essential	Good fit for the Department