UCL Institute of cardiovascular Science



**Application Form**

**UCL British Heart Foundation 4-year Cardiovascular Biomedicine PhD studentships: 2024 intake**

**Application deadline: 5pm (GMT) 8th January 2024**

## Guidance Notes on Completing the Application Form

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| Please complete **all** relevant fields on this application form, even if to enter N/A for ‘not applicable’. Please read the programme description and keep it in mind when completing this application.  Ensure that all information is **typed** if possible. The presentation and legibility of your application does matter. If you are unable to complete the form electronically, please explain why, and make sure you write legibly (print in **black** ink). Send **complete** applications (i.e. applications including all required documents) only. All applications received by the relevant application date are treated equally: sending your application early will not increase your chances.  Enclose any additional documentation required for your application to be valid. Please do not enclose any documents **not** requested.  Please make sure you include a **valid** email addressand phone number on the form.  Before sending your application to us, please **re-read** it carefully for accuracy and make sure you **keep a copy** of your application for your files.  **Only applicants invited for interview will be contacted beyond the submission deadline.** |

# Submission Checklist

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| Please ensure that you have:   * Attached the most recent version of your CV * Attached degree transcripts (if applicable) * Please provide contact details for two academic referees. Applicants that are shortlisted will be expected to ask their referees to send their formal references before the interview (email or postal address listed within this application). |

**PERSONAL DETAILS: Please give all details as they would appear on your passport**

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| **Surname/Family Name** |  |
| **First Name/s** |  |
| **Title** |  |
| **Gender** |  |
| **Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY)** |  |
| **Nationality** |  |
| **Country of Domicile (where you currently reside)** |  |

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| **Fees Status (please select)** | **UK** | **Other** |

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| **Tuition fees are funded at the home UK rate set by UCL (£6,035 for 2024/25). Non UK applicants must show evidence of their ability to cover the difference between home fees (£6,035) and overseas fees (£31,000 for 2024/25) for the duration of study, and will also need to satisfy**[**UKBA visa requirements**](https://www.ucl.ac.uk/students/immigration-and-visas/tier-4-visas)**. If you have chosen ‘Other’ in Fees Status, comment below on how you will fund your fees payments for the length of the 4-year studentship and attach relevant financial documentation to your application (enter N/A if not applicable).** |
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**CONTACT DETAILS: If you are selected for interview, we will contact you via e-mail in the first instance**

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| **Email Address** |  |
| **Mobile Phone No.** |  |

**ACADEMIC REFEREES: Provide contact details of two referees who are able to comment on your academic ability, character and your suitability for research work**

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| **Referee 1** | | **Referee 2** | |
| **Name** | Click here to enter text. | **Name** |  |
| **Position** |  | **Position** |  |
| **Institution** |  | **Institution** |  |
| **Email Address** |  | **Email Address** |  |
| **Telephone Number** |  | **Telephone Number** |  |

**EDUCATION/QUALIFICATIONS: Start with current or most recent and include professional qualifications where appropriate**

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| **Institute/College/School 1** | | | | |
| **Institute Name** |  | | | |
| **Dates of Attendance** | **From** (mm/yyyy) |  | **To** (mm/yyyy) |  |
| **Qualification achieved** (e.g. BSc/MSc/Baccalaureate) |  | | | |
| **Classification/Grade** (e.g. Distinction/2:1) |  | | | |
| **Subject Area** |  | | | |
| **A brief description of key achievements, skills and experience gained (maximum 200 words)** | | | | |
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| **Institute/College/School 2** | | | | |
| **Institute Name** |  | | | |
| **Dates of Attendance** | **From** (mm/yyyy) |  | **To** (mm/yyyy) |  |
| **Qualification achieved** (e.g. BSc/MSc/Baccalaureate) |  | | | |
| **Classification/Grade** (e.g. Distinction/2:1) |  | | | |
| **Subject Area** |  | | | |
| **A brief description of key achievements, skills and experience gained (maximum 200 words)** | | | | |
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**PERSONAL STATEMENT: Please provide a summary of the reasons why you wish to pursue this research studentship at UCL. Please include in *separate sections*:**

**1. Your research area/s of interest.**

**2. Why you think you are a suitable candidate for this interdisciplinary programme.**

**3. Your long-term career and study plans.**

**4. Details of any research experience/ volunteering & work that you have undertaken.**

**5. Any other information that you feel is relevant to this application**

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| **Personal Statement (maximum 600 words)** |
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**Please return this application form and all relevant documents to:**

**Email:** [bhf4yr@ucl.ac.uk](mailto:bhf4yr@ucl.ac.uk)

**NOTE: please do not apply via central UCL Admissions. Applications must be submitted via UCL Institute of Cardiovascular Science administrators in the first instance.**