



Application for PhD scholarship at the Department of Economics University of Copenhagen

Deadline

The form must be received by the PhD secretariat no later than the date in the call (Danish time)

Further information

Further information may be found at <http://samf.ku.dk/phd-skolen/english>

Applicants are also urged to contact the secretariat if they have questions about the application process. Questions may be directed to:

- Ditte Wachs, dih@samf.ku.dk
- Bigitte Boas Hein: bibh@samf.ku.dk or

Requirements

This form must be filled out and correspond to the required project description in the call. It should be in English using **12-point Times New Roman font, with single line spacing**. Please pay attention to the space limits specified below. Figures may be included. One figure counts for 750 characters. You should upload this form as the “project description” when you apply for the position as PhD student.

1. Name of the applicant

2. Are you applying for the 5+3 or the 4+4 PhD study program?

5+3

4+4

3. Supervisor / suggested supervisor

- Please, state the name(s) of any potential supervisor (s) at the Department of Economics. There is no guarantee that the supervisor will be able to supervisor your project if the project is granted funding.

4. A short summary of the proposed research project (maximum: 1,200 characters incl. spaces)

- Give a short summary of the project, which highlights the general theme and the research methods that you plan to use.
- The summary will be used at the initial screening and to distribute the applications according to their main topics among the evaluators.

5. Purpose of the research project (maximum: 1,200 characters incl. spaces).

- What is the general purpose of the project?
- What kind of new insights and results may the project produce?

6. Background (maximum: 6,000 characters incl. spaces).

- Describe the background of the research project.
- Give a summary of the research already published relating to the proposed research project.

7. Project description (maximum: 16,000 characters incl. spaces).

- Give a detailed description of your research project, i.e. an account of the research questions that you will pursue and what theory and methodology that you will adopt.
- What kind of new insights and results may the project produce? What does your project add to the already accumulated knowledge?
- Are there any ethical considerations in relation to the methods used in the project? How will you address these considerations?
- Are there any limitations of the project?

8. Preliminary study plan and organization (maximum: 2,400 characters incl. spaces).

- Provide a short outline of your study plan stating the activities in the project for every semester (6 months period), i.e. thesis work, studies at other educational institutions (preferably abroad), participation in courses etc.
- How does the project relate to the research at the Department of Economics, UCPH? Describe the researchers and research group(s) at the Department of Economics, UCPH that you plan to collaborate with during the PhD study.
- Do you plan to collaborate with researchers at other departments?
- Are you planning to apply for external funding and if so from which sources?

9. Estimated budget (in DKK or EUR).

- Provide a summary budget of any major expenses incurred in connection with field work, experimental studies, travel expenses, studies abroad, conferences, equipment etc.
- You should NOT include living expenses or expenditure on accommodation, food, office equipment and/or books.

10. References/literature (maximum: 2,400 characters incl. spaces).