



## **Application Form for PhD**

### **Your Personal Information**

Title:

First Name:

Last Name:

Email Address:

Telephone:

DOB:

Nationality:

Ethnicity:

### **Permanent Address**

Address 1

Address 2

Address 3

Town

County

Post Code

Country

Do you wish to use a separate address for correspondence purposes?

(If applicable) Correspondence Address

Address 1

Address 2

City

County/state/region

Post Code

Country

**Do you have any disabilities or learning difficulties for which you may require additional support?** (providing this information will not adversely affect your application)            Yes            No

If yes please provide details

### **Intended Research Project**

Please give the proposed title of your research.

Have you completed a Research statement and had that approved?

Yes            No

(If no, do not complete or submit the rest of this application form until you have done so.)

Will you study full-time or part-time?

Full Time            Part Time

Date of proposed start of research programme.

**International Students only should complete this section**

You may be required to take an IELTS test. See <https://www.ust.ac.uk/admissions/apply> for requirements.

Is an IELTS Test required?      Yes      No

If yes please give IELTS Score:

Please supply proof that you have reached the required IELTS overall score required for admittance. If you haven't already reached this score but have booked to take a test, please indicate the date of the test.

Test date or comments:

IELTS Certificate, (description) Please attach a scanned copy of your IELTS certificate here

**General Information**

Do you belong to a local church?      Yes      No

If you belong to a church please give its name and denomination or affiliation:

What knowledge, skills, and experience are you able to bring to your planned theological research studies?

What expectations do you have for your time of theological research study at Union School of Theology?

List some theological books which you have recently read, and which relate to your research project:

What are you planning to do once you have completed your PhD studies?

Why have you chosen to apply to Union School of Theology for this programme of study?

How did you hear about Union School of Theology and this programme?

**Qualifications**

Please provide details of your most relevant qualifications

Qualification and Awarding Body:	Subject:	Grade:	Date:	Educational Institution:

Please attach a scan of your highest qualification certificate

**Employment**

Employment since leaving school/university to present:

Details of Employment:	Start Date:	End Date:	Reason for leaving:

### **Doctrinal Basis**

Have you read and understood the Union School of Theology's doctrinal basis?

Yes                  No

Do you have any questions about the School's doctrinal basis?

Yes                  No

If yes, please outline the questions here.

### **Criminal Convictions**

Do you have any criminal convictions, spent or unspent?

Yes                  No

If yes, please give details.

### **Funding**

How do you propose to finance your tuition / accommodation fees and maintain yourself financially during your period of study?

(eg. church support, private income, grant, scholarship, etc.)

## **Union School of Theology Declaration**

If you are accepted by Union School of Theology for your chosen course of study:

You will be required to sign the Student Contract Agreement and Enrolment form indicating your agreement with Union School of Theology's policies and procedures for your programme of study (see [Union School of Theology Handbook of Policies and Procedures \(Procedures\)](#));

You will have to agree to pay the required Fees for your programme of study (see [www.ust.ac.uk](http://www.ust.ac.uk) Fees and Funding pages), and accept the terms and conditions of the payment for that programme.

### **Declaration**

I certify that the information provided in this application is correct and, if accepted as a student at Union, I shall abide by its Policies and Procedures. Please sign:

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### **Right of complaint and appeal:**

For full details of the UST admissions policy see the [Union School of Theology Admissions Policy](#). We hope that your process of application is smooth and satisfactory. However, if you wish to complain about, or appeal against, a decision relating to admissions please go to the [Union School of Theology Complaints Against An Admissions Decision Policy](#) These can be found on the [UST website apply page](#).

## **Data Protection Statement**

Information supplied on this form will be stored and used in accordance with GDPR. It will be used for UST purposes only, including; processing your application, information you provide will become part of your student record if you are accepted onto a programme of study. If you are not offered a place, or if you decline the offer of a place information will be held for the Current Academic Year + 1 year in case you wish to reactivate your application.

## **Authorisation**

I hereby authorise Union School of Theology to hold my personal details on a database. Please sign:

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## **Equality and Diversity**

UST will make every effort to ensure that applicants are treated solely on the basis of their merit, abilities and potential. UST is committed to ensuring that unlawful direct or indirect discrimination is avoided. (see UST Equal Opportunities Policy.)<sup>1</sup>. For this reason we ask applicants to complete a question about their ethnicity on the application form.

## **Privacy Statement**

UST's Privacy Statement can be found at <https://www.ust.ac.uk/page/privacy-statement>

*Once completed send your application form to [applications@ust.ac.uk](mailto:applications@ust.ac.uk)*

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<sup>1</sup> See UST Equality and Diversity Policy