**PhD by Distance Applicant Admission Form**

**Moray House School of Education and Sport**

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| **Programme Information** |  |
| Programme to which you are applying | Education/Sport  |
| Full-time or part-time |  |
| Research Hub |  |
| Proposed start date |  |
| First Supervisor (if known) |  |
| Second Supervisor (if known) |  |
| Thesis Subject |  |
| **Previous Study** |  |
| Please provide details of your previous postgraduate level study programme and outcome. |  |
| Was your previous study conducted in English? If so, please provide the date of graduation. |  |
| If your previous study was not conducted in English, have you provided proof of English Language at the required level? Please give details. |  |
| Do you have experience of distance study?  | Yes/No |
| Please detail what, if any, study that have you undertaken at distance. |  |
| Please provide a brief statement detailing what you feel may be the potential risks and characteristics of studying for a research degree at a distance. |  |
| Please provide evidence of research experience and the ability to work independently. |  |
| **Location of study** |  |
| What will be your normal site of study |  |
| Is this a Higher Education institution or similar? |  |
| What access will you have to study facilities, including library facilities? |  |
| Do you have access to the required technology (internet, broadband, skype, etc.)? |  |
| **Facilities at normal site of study** |  |
| Please detail what access you will have to Library facilities at your normal site of study. |  |
| Please detail what access to IT facilities you will have at your normal site of study. |  |
| What research equipment might be needed for your study? Will you have access to this at your normal site of study? |  |
| What additional support might be at the site of study from other researchers/academics? If you are proposing a local advisor please provide their name, job title and contact details. |  |
| What access will you have to any other academic input, such as seminars and research training at your normal site of study? |  |
| **Visa implications** |  |
| If applicable, please confirm that you are aware of any potential visa implications of coming to Edinburgh for study visits. |  |
| **Terms and Conditions** |  |
| Please confirm that you are aware that you will be expected to visit the University of Edinburgh at least once per year of study. The length and timing of these visits are negotiable but students should expect to spend at least two weeks at the University of Edinburgh each year. |  |
| Please confirm that you are aware that you will be expected to be present at the University of Edinburgh for your First Year Progression Board and for your Oral Examination (viva voce). |  |
| Please confirm that you are aware that you will be required to fund visits to the University of Edinburgh in addition to the payment of tuition fees. |  |
| Please confirm that you understand that this is a PhD programme which is studied at a distance and not an online PhD programme, and that it will therefore not provide a like-for-like experience in terms of courses available and engagement with other students. |  |