

Dublin City University - School of Theology, Philosophy, and Music

Qualification type:	PhD in Theology
Location:	Dublin
Funding for:	UK Students, EU Students, International Students
Funding amount:	€16,000, plus fees £13,401.60 converted salary per annum for up to four years, subject to satisfactory annual progression. See below
Hours:	Full Time

The School of Theology, Philosophy, and Music is a dynamic and creative learning and research environment with a strong commitment to social and cultural engagement, and world-class research. The academic study of religion in DCU takes place within a pluralist, multi-religious, secular, and interdisciplinary context, with internationally-recognised staff who have distinguished records in research and teaching. We place an emphasis on ecumenical perspectives on theological themes and questions, on the study of sacred texts and languages, and on interreligious dialogue, particularly the dialogue between Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. We are offering a Doctoral Scholarship in Theology. Applications are welcome in the areas of Systematic Theology, Theological Ethics, and Interreligious Theology.

Eligibility: Applicants must have an undergraduate degree at first-class honours level or at least 2.1 level in Theology, Religious Studies, or a related discipline, and a Master's Degree in Theology, Religious Studies, or a related discipline. Candidates who are currently completing a Master's qualification are welcome to apply.

Topics:

The School of Theology, Philosophy, and Music is particularly interested in receiving research proposals in the following areas:

- Systematic Theology
- Theological Ethics
- Interreligious Theology

Application Procedure:

See Graduate Studies Office on application

process: http://www4.dcu.ie/graduatestudies/how_to_apply.shtml

Interested candidates must first agree a research proposal with a School of Theology, Philosophy, and Music staff member. Candidates will be directed to potential supervisors on application.

Email applications to Dr. Ethna Regan, Head of School: ethna.regan@dcu.ie, indicating *Theology PhD scholarships* in the subject line. Applications should include the following:

- A CV including names and contact details of two academic referees.
- A copy of undergraduate and postgraduate degree certificates.
- Copies of transcripts from undergraduate and postgraduate programmes.
- A letter outlining the candidate's suitability for the scholarship.
- A research proposal c.3000 words accompanied by a bibliography (which is not included in the word count).

Inquiries:

Inquiries to Dr. Ethna Regan, Head of the School of Theology, Philosophy, and Music or Dr Patricia Flynn, Director of Research in the School of Theology, Philosophy, and Music at: ethna.regan@dcu.ie or patricia.flynn@dcu.ie

Other useful resources:

DCU Graduate Studies Office: <http://dcu.ie/graduatestudies/index.shtml>.

Closing date for applications is 17:00 (Irish time) on Wednesday, 14 June 2017.