

Applicants Invited for Split Site Ph.D. Program of Study in Nursing & Midwifery

The Dow University of Health Sciences is seeking an ideal candidates for a split site Ph.D. program between the partner University, University of Manchester, UK and the Dow University of Health Sciences, Karachi. The duration of the PhD program will be 4 years starting in the year 2023. During the program, the Ph.D. scholar will be employed by Dow University at the Institute of Nursing & Midwifery. Degree will be awarded by the Partner University. Multiple candidates will be considered for the scholarship and **should meet the following criteria for to be eligible to apply for the PhD program:**

- Pakistani Nationality, preferably Sindh Domicile.
- Maximum age at the time of application no more than **40 years.**
- Candidate must have completed a Bachelors' in Nursing, Post RN or BSM (Midwifery), and a Masters or Masters in Nursing, equivalent to 18 years of education. This may include a MSN or Masters in relevant subject completed within the last **5 years.**
- Candidate must have completed a good Quality Research Thesis in his/her Master's program.
- Satisfactory work at postgraduate level including research training undertaken.

Procedure for Ph.D. split site process with Partner University:

1. The successful candidate chosen by the selection committee must meet Univ. of Manchester's application requirements for the program of study specified, including achieving an IELTS Score of 7.0 or above within the allotted time period, along with write and present a strong Ph.D. proposal, relevant to the nursing sciences.
2. The candidate will be inducted as contractual faculty/ research assistants for the duration of the program of study and after qualifying as Ph.D., will serve for the period of the surety bond as a faculty member of DUHS.
3. Candidates should fill required information online by the application deadline of DUHS, through the online portal of DUHS and also send mandatory documents (educational certificates/ attested documents and reference letters, proof of Domicile) through TCS/Post in hard copy addressed to **Director HR, Dow University of Health Sciences, Administration Building, BABA E URDU ROAD, Karachi, 74200.**
4. The selected candidates will also be required to submit a PhD proposal of study for assessment and review by DUHS Committee, and the Partner University's Doctoral Academy, supervisory team and Senior Division PG tutor.

Terms & Conditions listed on DUHS website: www.duhs.edu.pk (careers section)

Last date for receipt of application is October 24th, 2022.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Terms and Conditions: Prior to acceptance of PhD scholarship, as part of the Faculty development program, the candidate will be required to accept /sign a surety bond with guarantors named, which will ensure they are willing to serve the DUHS for the period after qualifying as Ph.D., with degree awarded, as specified in the surety bond.

1. Successful Candidate must accept the terms of employment offered by DUHS as faculty for the duration of the surety bond.
2. Further, the candidate must have potential to fulfill all admission requirements for the acceptance of the application and completion of degree requirements of Partner University in the required max. 4 years' program duration.
3. Once selected, DUHS will direct the candidate selected to apply for the Ph.D. program in the relevant discipline of Nursing with the Partner University, as per split site policy and process mutually agreed between both Universities.
4. Candidate will agree to meet all prior set forth completion milestones, degree requirements within the period specified, including travel between the split site University and DUHS, as necessitated by the partner University.
5. Once accepted and inducted, the candidate must complete the requirements of Ph.D. degree within the allowable duration of the program, which is 4 years, with a requirement to spend at least 6 months in the Partner University during the program of study, or as required, after initial mandatory induction and the viva/final examination will also be conducted at the partner University.
6. Successful candidate, if leave the training before its completion of the prescribed period, the University reserves the right to forfeit the amount that will spent during such period and experience certificate will not be issued as well.
7. The candidate, if selected, he / she will be liable to serve Dow University of Health Sciences, for at least five years after completion of the prescribed program.
8. Successful candidates, after induction in the program, must furnish the surety bond signed by the guarantor(s), who will be liable to reimburse the amount that was incurred on the candidate by the DUHS.