

CENTRE FOR URBAN AND REGIONAL STUDIES

2009 PhD SCHOLARSHIP IN URBAN GEOGRAPHY

The Centre for Urban and Regional Studies at the University of Newcastle is seeking a PhD Scholar in the field of urban geography.

The PhD project should focus on one of the following topic areas:

- Transnational urbanism and urban policy
- Cities as translocal spaces
- Geographies and politics of the new inner city
- Sustainability and competitiveness in urban governance and policy
- Strategies, practices and governance for inclusive, adaptive cities

The successful candidate will have a first class honours degree in human geography or in a related relevant discipline such as urban studies, social sciences or urban planning.

The scholarship will carry a stipend of A\$20 007 p.a. (indexed annually) for three years full time, subject to satisfactory progress. **The Scholarship is available to Domestic Candidates only.**

Research in the Centre for Urban and Regional Studies is focused on the socio-cultural, political and economic processes that are reshaping the geographies of cities and regions, and their environments, in Australia and internationally. We aim to build knowledge about the processes and dynamics through which urban and regional spaces are transformed, at scales ranging from the neighbourhood to the metropolitan, and from the local to the global. (<http://www.newcastle.edu.au/centre/curs/index.html>)

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How to Apply:

Applications for candidature and scholarship should be made via the application form available at:

http://www.newcastle.edu.au/research/rhd/docs/Domestic_application_form_2009.pdf

Applications should be clearly marked Urban Geography Scholarship

Closing date for applications: Friday 31st October