Enquires
Any enquiries relating to NICTA scholarships at The University of Sydney should be directed to katiey@usyd.edu.au
To download Application Form:
Referee Report

Applications Close
15 November for International Students
31 October for Local Students
ALL APPLICATION FORMS AND DOCUMENTATION SHOULD BE SENT TO-
By Mail:
Admin Officer – NICTA
School of IT
The University of Sydney
NSW 2006 Australia
In Person:
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School of IT, Level 2
1 Cleveland St
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By Fax: +61 2 9351 3838
Offer financial support according to student circumstances (through a mix of primary, supplementary and tuition fee scholarships)

May be held in conjunction with other designated scholarships (including APA, EIPRS and university-funded equivalent awards)

Provide prestigious awards to outstanding students

Are available to local and international students

Require a university-approved research training program aligned with NICTA research

Are awarded under merit-ranking processes, typically twice a year

Are university-specific in both value and conditions

Are awarded through the universities for periods up to 4 years, with annual review

Involve intellectual property consideration—including assignment

For more information, please visit the website: www.nicta.com.au/education/scholarships

Research areas

NICTA is Australia’s Centre of Excellence in ICT research. NICTA works closely with its members and partner universities to offer NICTA enhanced PhD programs to selected students. Information relating to NICTA’s current and future research themes, business areas and research programs can be found by referring to its website. For more information, please visit the website: http://www.nicta.com.au/research

Benefits of NICTA Endorsed PhD Candidature

Excellence in ‘use-inspired’ research

Depth and breadth of expertise through complementary coursework programs

Provision for local and global networking

Opportunities for collaboration including research internships and exchanges

Facilitation of pathways in research commercialization

For more information, please contact Katie Yang in the School of IT.

Level of Award

NRPA – $8500 p.a. stipend as top up for all NICTA enhanced PhD students

NLPA – APA-equivalent primary scholarship for selected local students

NIPA – EIPRS-equivalent primary international scholarship, covering USyd tuition fees and primary scholarship at APA rate.

Eligibility

NICTA scholarships are available to local and international students who are:

- Eligible for admission to The University of Sydney as research candidates within SIT, EIE or a school or department that offers ICT research programs linked with SIT or EIE
- Supervised by a university-appointed panel including at least one academic in the school of enrolment and one NICTA-affiliated researcher
- Undertaking or proposing a research project aligned with NICTA’s Research Themes, Business Areas, Research Projects and supervisory capabilities
- Deemed competitive, in the joint NICTA-University of Sydney selection process, as an applicant (or potential applicant) for an APA or EIPRS award, as appropriate.

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Application Procedure

- Make informal contact with a NICTA Project Program Leader for advice on constructing a research proposal that would align with NICTA research.
- Apply for admission to the USyd PhD program within the School of Information Technologies, the School of Electrical and Information Engineering, or another school with an intended supervisor who is engaged in collaborative ICT research in either of these schools and/or with NICTA.
- Apply for any appropriate Government or University scholarship. Local students should apply for an APA and international students should apply for an EIPRS.
- Apply for a NICTA scholarship by completing the Application Form for NICTA enhancement.
- Supply the names and contact details of two referees, and ask them to complete and return the NICTA Referee Report directly to the address indicated.