

King's IoPPN Clinician Investigator Scholarship 2017-18

Important: please read these guidance notes very carefully before completing the form.
If you still require clarification before submitting your application form please contact funding@kcl.ac.uk

What is the King's IoPPN Clinician Investigator Scholarship?

The King's IoPPN Clinician Investigator Scholarship was established in January 2017, through a generous philanthropic donation, to support masters and PhD scholarships in the Institute of Psychiatry, Psychology & Neuroscience (IoPPN). The IoPPN is a leading centre for mental health and related neurosciences research in Europe. It is one of the top 25 higher education institutions in the world, and ranked 1st in Europe for Psychiatry & Psychology.

What does the scholarship offer?

The scholarships are aimed at encouraging current MBBS students and GKT Medical School Alumni to pursue research in the area of mental health and neurosciences. This scholarship will be awarded based on merit.

The scholarships are available for all full-time Home/Eu fee status students undertaking masters and PhD programmes in the IoPPN, starting in Sept 2017.

Each student will receive a £20,000 scholarship, for the duration of their studies, per year.

Am I eligible to apply?

For the Masters' Programmes, applicants must:

- *be planning to undertake a MSc at the IoPPN or have firmly accepted an offer of a place;*
- *be a graduate of GKT School of Medicine or its affiliates, or if an undergraduate, must have completed at least 3 years of their MBBS course, and have undertaken a clinical attachment in either psychiatry or neurology;*
- *provide a written personal statement (up to 1000 words) including:*
 - *why they wish to undertake this course of study;*
 - *an example of a piece of academic work (eg a scientific publication or clinical report) that they have undertaken;*
 - *evidence of strong academic ability.*
- *agree to provide an end of year report and a letter of thanks to the donor and attend events where necessary.*

For the PhD/MD (Res) Programmes, applicants must:

Have firmly accepted an offer of a studentship at the IoPPN or have had a proposal for a PhD or MD(Res) approved by the relevant KCL/IoPPN Higher Degrees committee:

- *be a graduate of GKT School of Medicine, or be about to graduate, or be an intercalating MBBS student at GKT (PhD only)*
- *provide a written personal statement (up to 1500 words) including:*
 - *why they wish to undertake a research degree in the fields of psychiatry/psychology/neuroscience*
 - *an example of a piece of academic work (eg a scientific publication or clinical report) that they have undertaken*
 - *evidence of strong academic ability*
- *provide an outline of their research proposal*
- *agree to provide end of year reports annually during the course of their study and a letter of thanks to the donor on completion of their degree and attend events where necessary.*

How do I complete the application form?

The application form should be completed, scanned and emailed to funding@kcl.ac.uk.

Alternatively it may be posted to [Student Funding Office](#), at Student Funding Office, King's College London, 7th Floor James Clerk Maxwell Building, 57 Waterloo Road, London SE1 8WA.

You must submit a word/pdf version of your supporting statement. This should be emailed to funding@kcl.ac.uk.

The deadline for applications is 30 June 2017.

When will I know the outcome of my application?

Provided your application form has been accurately completed and the appropriate documentary evidence supplied, you will be notified of the decision by 31 July 2017.

Part 1: Personal Details

KCL Student Number	<input type="text"/>
Surname	<input type="text"/>
Forenames (in full)	<input type="text"/>
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	<input type="text"/>
Email address	<input type="text"/>

Part 2: Course Details

Have you accepted an offer for 2017 entry? Yes No

Which course do you plan to undertake – please supply full title and qualification:

What are the conditions, if applicable, of your offer?

Expected Course Completion Date

If the course is a Masters, please confirm the following:

- I am a graduate of GKT School of Medicine or its affiliates
- I am a current undergraduate, and have completed at least 3 years of my MBBS course
- I have undertaken a clinical attachment in either psychiatry or neurology

If the course is a PhD/MD(Res), please confirm the following:

- I am a graduate of / about to graduate from GKT School of Medicine or its affiliates
- I am an intercalating MBBS student at GKT (PhD only)

Part 5: Financial Details

How are you planning to meet the cost of your tuition fees and living costs, if you do not receive this scholarship? Please include details of your/your sponsor's salaries and savings.

Part 6: Supporting Statement

Please provide a supporting statement.

Masters Student to include:

- provide a written personal statement (up to 1000 words) including:
 - why they wish to undertake this course of study;
 - an example of a piece of academic work (eg a scientific publication or clinical report) that they have undertaken;
 - evidence of strong academic ability.

PhD/MD(Res) students to include:

- provide a written personal statement (up to 1500 words) including:
 - why they wish to undertake a research degree in the fields of psychiatry/psychology/neuroscience
 - an example of a piece of academic work (eg a scientific publication or clinical report) that they have undertaken
 - evidence of strong academic ability
- provide an outline of their research proposal

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This should be submitted as a **word document** or **pdf file** and emailed to funding@kcl.ac.uk.

Please ensure you name your file in the following format:

“SURNAME, Forename – IoPPN statement”

Part 7: Declarations

1. I declare that the information that I have given on this form is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge.
2. I understand that giving false information will automatically disqualify my application and disciplinary action may ensue.
3. I understand that my application will be passed to the *Academic Panel* for consideration.
4. I understand that applications are seen only by the committee and Student Funding Office staff. It may be necessary for additional supporting information to be sought from other university staff in order for the committee to reach a decision.

Your Name (*in capitals*)

Your Signature

Date