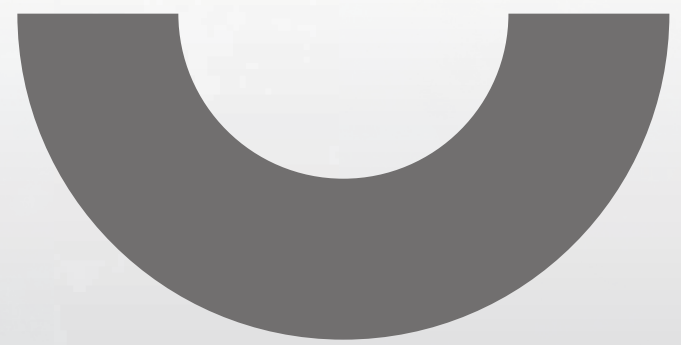


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CALL FOR RESEARCH FUND APPLICATIONS

REF: RFC01/2025

CLOSING DATE: 28 FEBRUARY 2025

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BACKGROUND:

The Moses Kotane Research Institute (MKRI) offers research and development, economic data, and statistical services to the provincial government. The institute leverages research recommendations to inform policy development and enhance service delivery interventions. Postgraduate students interested in conducting research for MKRI are invited to apply for assistance.

In 2025, the research fund will support NQF Level 8 students registered in the following areas:

- Information and Communication Technology (ICT)
- Manufacturing
- Maritime
- Transport and Logistics
- Energy
- Tourism
- Construction
- Trade
- Finance
- Education

YOU CAN APPLY IF:

- You have been accepted as a student at a DHET accredited university in KZN for 2025.
- Your research offers solutions to challenges faced in the KZN Province.
- You are a South African citizen residing in the KZN province.
- You must be unemployed and a full-time student.
- You are required to have a minimum of 60% pass in your undergraduate qualification to qualify.
- You should not be receiving financial assistance from another sponsor for the same academic period

RESEARCH FUND COVERS:

- Funding period for full time studies will be according to the university's handbook.
- Financial: Tuition and stationery.
- Non-financial: Mentorship, developmental support, eligibility for research experiential learning should there be opportunities, and should you qualify

COMPULSORY DOCUMENTS:

- Application Form.
- Fee statement/ Proforma issued by the institution.
- Certified copies of Identity Document.
- Copies of academic qualifications and / or letter of completion of your recent qualification.
- Academic record/transcript.
- Proof of registration from the University.
- Proof of residence.

HOW TO APPLY:

- Send your applications to researchfund@moseskotane.com
- Quote the reference number: REF: RFC01/2025 on the subject line.
- MKRI reserves the right to disqualify submissions from applicants who have not provided all necessary required documentation.
- The completed research will be considered the intellectual property of MKRI.
- Students who fail to complete their studies within the designated full-time period will be required to reimburse the allocated funds.
- MKRI reserves the right not to award the bursary should the research be deemed non- beneficial or superficial.
- Research fund is subject to availability of funds.
- MKRI reserves the right not to award funding.
- Please note that only successful applicants will receive a response within one month of the closing date.
- Regrettably, due to the anticipated high volume of applications, we are unable to respond to all applicants.

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