

# Ph.D. Scholarships

## Call for Expressions of Interest

### Deakin University, Melbourne, Australia

Deakin University, Melbourne, Australia offers PhD scholarships to international students of outstanding academic merit. The scholarships will be provided in many fields including Economics. Applicants for scholarships must:

- hold a bachelors degree with first class honours or a master's degree (with thesis component);
- **not** be citizens or permanent residents of Australia or New Zealand;
- study full-time on campus at Deakin University;
- satisfy all academic requirements for entry to the PhD program including English proficiency levels.

Deakin University is committed to be the most progressive university in Australia and to provide a stimulating research environment. The Economics discipline at Deakin is academically extremely strong. Publications of the faculty include: *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, *Econometrica*, *Journal of Economic Theory*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, *European Economic Review*, *Journal of International Economics*, *Journal of Public Economics*, *Journal of Health Economics*, *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of International Money and Finance*, *Ecological Economics*, *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics*, and *Economic Record*, among many others. The Economics discipline hosts several visitors from all over the world every year and has extensive links with international organizations such as the World Bank and Asian Development Bank, as well as a number of European, North American and Asian universities.

Deakin academics can provide PhD supervision in a wide range of areas in Economics, including:

- Economic Theory
- Industrial Organization
- Economic Dynamics and Control
- International Trade
- Economic Growth and Development
- Labour Economics and Industrial Relations
- Health Economics
- Political Economy
- Public Choice
- Agricultural, Resource and Forestry Economics
- Financial Econometrics

Scholarships generally include, over the course of three years, tuition fees and some stipend. Several teaching and research assistantships are also available to PhD candidates on a casual basis. Thus, the available financial support should help cover modest living expenses in Melbourne during the study period.

Melbourne is the cultural capital of Australia and is world renowned for its relaxed atmosphere, world scale events and festivities, fantastic restaurants, parks and sports clubs, as well as its close proximity to beautiful landscapes and countryside.

Those who are interested are encouraged to contact Mehmet Ulubasoglu ([mehmet.ulubasoglu@deakin.edu.au](mailto:mehmet.ulubasoglu@deakin.edu.au)) by 25 April 2009 with a CV, two reference letters, a research proposal, and a master (or honours) transcript. Successful candidates will be contacted with further instructions.

Eligible candidates from all over the world are encouraged to express their interest.