



Application process

1. Eligible and interested postgraduate students registered in the Faculty of Theology should submit the following documentation as part of the application process:

1.1. Based on the formal application process, the following procedure will be adhered to: A motivation letter (1 page maximum) in which you indicate that you apply for the bursary in terms of the following criteria, namely:

- Academic merit;
- Financial needs;
- Assisting students in their final year of study.

The following information should be noted in the letter: initials, surname, name of study leader / promoter (or potential study leader or promoter), the qualification you are enrolled for / plan to enrol for, acknowledgement that the student is enrolled as a full time student, the working title of the MA or PhD project, the year in which the study is and a motivation for the application.

1.2. Your research proposal (the most recent version of the proposal with an indication if the proposal was already accepted by the Committee for Advanced Degrees) or a concept proposal (maximum of 3 pages with information about the working title of the study, a brief paragraph that contextualised the problem of the study, the problem that the study wants to focus on, the research questions and methods you plan to use to get information to answer the research questions and a BRIEF and SELECTED bibliography).

1.3. Applications should be submitted electronically to the Faculty Bursary Administrator via the email address Mandi.Dry@nwu.ac.za before the closing date stipulated.

1.4. Applications that comply with the eligibility criteria will be submitted to the Faculty Bursary Committee

Arrangements for the administration of the bursary

1.5. The bursary is administrated by the Faculty Bursary Administrator.

1.6. You should please submit the following documentation to the Faculty Bursary Administrator if your application is approved and when you accept the bursary:

- Your proof of registration;
- This signed declaration in which you accept the bursary and the bursary terms and conditions

1.7. Ethical protocol requires that once a student has undertaken postgraduate studies and received a faculty bursary, proof of sufficient progress should be provided to the Faculty Bursary Committee. If a student fails to complete the study (e.g. stops his/her studies or do

not register for a new academic year before 30 June), the following procedure will be implemented:

See the similar procedure of the NWU when following the link:

<http://studies.nwu.ac.za/sites/studies.nwu.ac.za/files/files/fsd/PG%202019/Masters-doctoral-instantInfo.pdf>