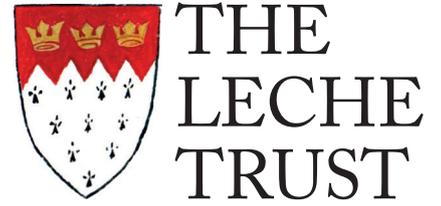


Living Cost Grants for Overseas PhD Students: Application Form



Please read the criteria at www.lechetrust.org/overseas-phd-students.htm and, if you are eligible to apply, complete all sections of Part A.

PART A – To be completed by applicant

1. Family name:	Title: (Mr, Mrs, Ms, Miss, other)
Other names:	Nationality:
Date of birth:	
Are you paying overseas student fees?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Address in UK for correspondence:	
Country of residence for tax purposes:	
Tax Identification Number (if known):	
Contact telephone number(s):	
E-mail address:	

2. Academic qualifications gained since leaving school (give dates):

3. Employment since leaving school (give dates and details):

4. Name and address of institution and department you are currently attending and course of study you are following:

5. Date course began:

Date course ends:

Date you expect to leave the UK:

6. Please give details of your proposed future career, stating what you intend to do and in which country:

7. On starting your course, what financial arrangements were made to cover your living expenses and fees e.g. give details of scholarships or awards and their duration):

8. Please give details of your dependants at home or in UK and the level of financial support you have to provide for them:

9. Please give details of any scholarship or grant awarded to you since the beginning of your course:

10. Please give reasons why the original funding awarded to you is no longer adequate for completing your studies:

11. Please give details of your current financial position:

i) expected income from all sources until the completion of the course;

ii) expected expenditure (fees, living expenses, debts etc) until the completion of the course.

12. Please give details of any other application made to other grant-giving organisations and the result:

13. Please give financial position and occupation of parents/guardian:

Please confirm that all the information you have provided is correct to the best of your knowledge, and that you give consent to the Leche Trust to hold your personal data for the purposes of processing your application*:

Signature:

Date:

** If your application is successful, your information will be held securely for six years for audit purposes. If unsuccessful, your application and the information it contains will be deleted. For full details of the Leche Trustees' privacy policy please see www.lechetrust.org/privacy-policy.htm*

PART B – The following sections should be completed by the applicant’s PhD supervisor or other responsible person who has personal knowledge of the applicant

1. Please comment on the applicant’s academic record, ability, relevance of the subject being studied to their home country (if known) and expected termination date. It will be helpful if you can add anything to the information given in part A regarding the applicant’s financial circumstances.

2. What financial or other help is the university/institution able to give?

Please note that applications will be more favourably considered if the institution where the applicant is studying has in place an appropriate system for helping those international students who find themselves in hardship through no fault of their own. Such help could be, for example, in the form of cash grants or the waiving of tuition fees or accommodation charges. The extent and nature of any help should be indicated above and confirmed in a separate letter from an authorising officer of the institution.

3. I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information given in part A by the applicant are correct and I recommend her/him as both meriting and needed financial assistance.

Signature:

Date:

Name (capital letters):

Position:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:

Official stamp of the institution: