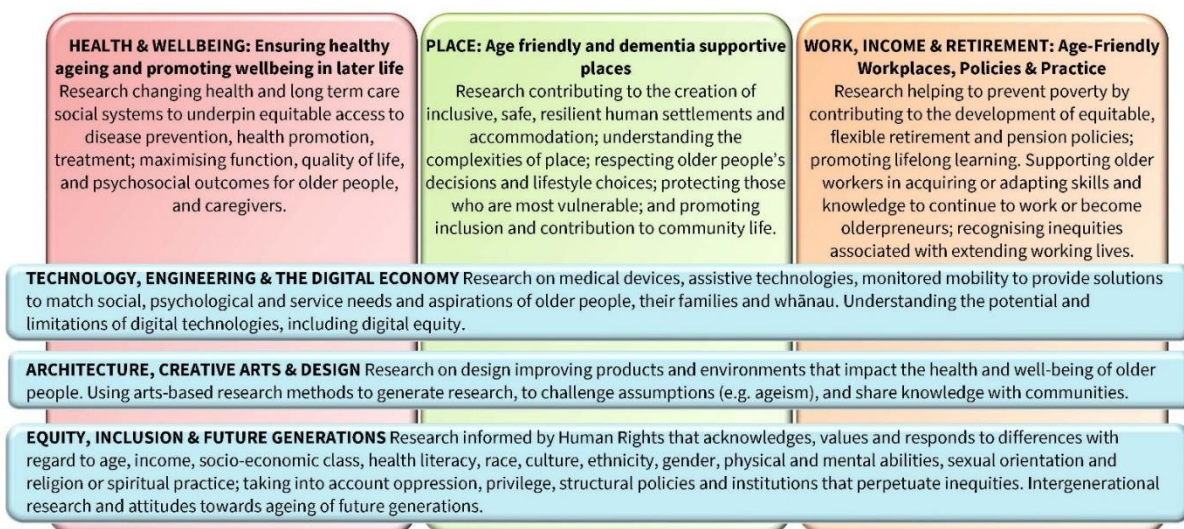


CCREATE-AGE University of Auckland Doctoral Scholarships (UoADS)

Scholarship for Timeline 3: 1 JUNE: Applications close for 1 September+ start

The Centre for Co-Created Ageing Research (CCREATE-AGE) is a new University Research Centre. CCREATE-AGE addresses research questions that are informed by communities, to co-create innovative and robust research that delivers practical solutions that work in the real world, in the communities they were designed for and with.

Two University of Auckland Doctoral Scholarships will provide support to PhD candidates that wish to undertake co-created ageing research spanning more than one discipline and aligned to one or more of the three research themes and three cross cutting themes: research that will meet the self-identified needs and aspirations of older people, researchers, stakeholders and funders.



Selection criteria

In addition to meeting the Doctoral Entry Requirements, potential Candidates will be selected based on the extent to which their statement of research intent describes

- Co-created research: actively **involving** older people
- Transdisciplinary research: spanning more than one discipline and aligned to one or more of research themes
- Research that embeds equity, diversity or inclusion

We aim to support at least one scholarship per year from Māori or Pacific applicants to reflect our strategic goal to encourage the growth of Indigenous knowledge and research capacity.

We will prioritise applicants who

- are already engaged with the communities that they propose to work with and/or
- have experience in co-creation or community-based work

The Strategic Management Team for CCREATE-AGE comprises representatives from all faculties in the University of Auckland (Medical and Health Sciences, Science, Engineering, Arts, Creative Arts and Industries, Education and Social Work, Law, Business School, Liggins Institute and Auckland Bioengineering Institute) and representatives of business and industry; government and public sector; and civil society. We strongly encourage PhD candidates to contact CCREATE-AGE so that the Strategic Management Team can facilitate the identification of a potential transdisciplinary supervisory team to support the candidate to write a Statement of Research Intent, on occasions when the PhD candidate has not already identified potential supervisors.

The Strategic Management Team will rank statements of research intent based on the quality of the applications and the criteria above.

Successful PhD scholars will join a vibrant community of co-creators and will be supported in a safe and innovative place to learn. Your research will have an influential impact on health, environment, society and science.

Notes to the applicant:

- Supervisor involvement in the development of the Statement of Research Intent is strongly advised. Contact your proposed supervisor(s) well in advance of the closing date for applications. Applicants may email CCREATEAGE@auckland.ac.nz for advice about finding appropriate supervisors.
- You **must** get endorsement of the Statement of Research Intent from your proposed supervisor if you wish to be considered for a CCREATE-AGE University of Auckland Doctoral Scholarship. Further information about scholarship opportunities for study with CCREATE-AGE can be found at [Doctoral Scholarships](#).
- In addition to endorsing the Statement of Research Intent, your proposed supervisors must provide a letter briefly detailing the quality of the supervisory environment, including:
 - The training, background, and track record of each member of the supervisory team.
 - The role of each member in the supervisory team.
 - The approximate percentage workload (out of 100%) that each member will contribute to the candidate's supervision, in accordance with [the allowed supervision models](#).
 - The frequency with which candidate and supervisor(s) will meet and the mode of meeting.
 - The transdisciplinary nature of the supervisory team.
- Please ask your proposed supervisor(s) to provide this information by the closing date. Supervisors can contact CCREATEAGE@auckland.ac.nz for more information.

Applicant details

Name of applicant:

Student ID (if known):

School or Department/s in which proposed research will be conducted:

Proposed supervisor/s:*

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* Applicants can find academics who are accredited to undertake doctoral supervision on the University Website and are expected to contact potential supervisors. For more information, please see [Discovery profiles](#). Contact CCREATEAGE@auckland.ac.nz if you need help identifying a suitable lead supervisor and a transdisciplinary supervisory team.

Those unable to find a supervisor will be supported, but the application process may be delayed. If no appropriate supervisor can be identified, the application will be declined.

Area of research interest

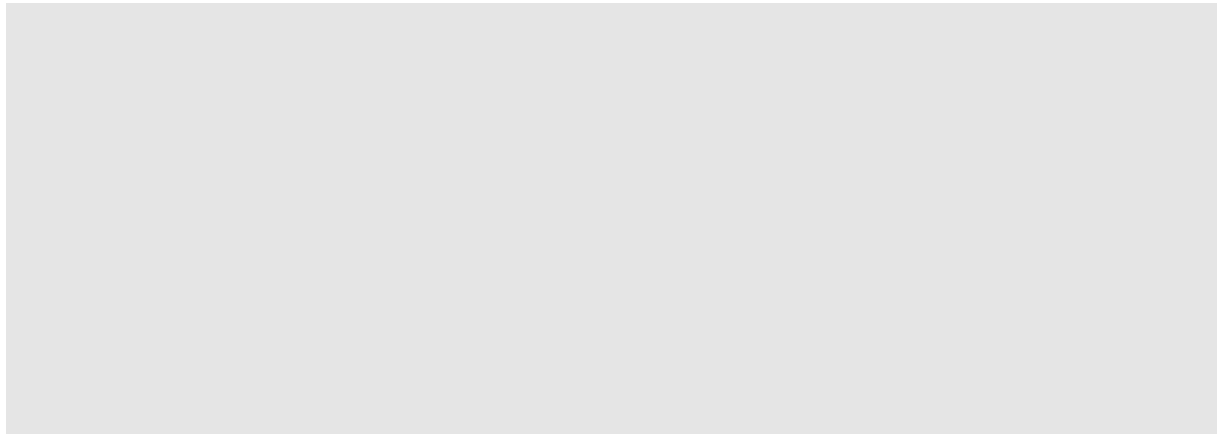
Provisional title of thesis or area of research interest (maximum of 20 words).

Description of the proposed research (maximum of 600 words). Include the scientific rationale for the project, the main research questions or knowledge gaps to be addressed, and an indication of the intended methodology. Ensure that your rationale and methodology describes co-creation, transdisciplinarity and embeds equity, diversity or inclusion.

I confirm that my proposed main supervisor has seen and endorsed the description of proposed research given above and a letter detailing the quality of the supervisory environment is attached.

Relevant research or professional background of the applicant

Briefly summarise your previous research or professional experience relevant to your area of interest, in particular, engagement with communities that you propose to work with, and/or experience in co-creation or community-based work (maximum of 200 words).



Other relevant information

Please provide any other information relevant to your application or your eligibility for a scholarship that you wish to share (maximum of 200 words). For instance, if there have been any circumstances that have limited your opportunities, including but not limited to caring responsibilities, periods away from academic study, disabilities, you can include an explanation of these circumstances here. This is entirely optional and it is fine to leave this section blank.

