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| * Supervisor involvement in the development of the Statement of Research Intent is strongly advised.
* If you wish to be considered by the Liggins Institute for a University of Auckland Doctoral Scholarship you should contact your proposed supervisor(s) well in advance of the closing date for applications.
* Further information about scholarship opportunities for study at the Liggins Institute can be found at [Funding your doctoral study at the Liggins Institute](https://www.auckland.ac.nz/en/liggins/study-with-us/scholarships-and-awards.html).
* In addition to the Statement of Research Intent, students must provide a Preliminary Thesis Proposal which will be requested later during the admissions process.
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**SECTION A**

**Your details**

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| Name of applicant: |  |
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| Student ID (if known): |  |
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| Department/s (if known): |  |
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| Proposed supervisor/s (if known):\* |  |
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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](https://profiles.auckland.ac.nz/).Those unable to do so 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:

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Description of the proposed research (maximum of 500 words):

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[ ]  I confirm that my proposed main supervisor has seen and endorsed the description of proposed research given above.

**Relevant research or professional background of the applicant**

Briefly summarise your previous research or professional experience relevant to your area of interest (maximum of 200 words).

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