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| **General Information** | | | |
| This form is to be completed by the applicant and then submitted to Elizabeth Crean at elizabeth.crean@ucd.ie. ***Please return this form in .doc or .docx format. Do not pdf, jpeg etc this form. Hand written forms will not be accepted.*** | | | |
| **Closing Date:** | **Monday 6th October 2025** | | **NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED** |
| Receipt of your application will be acknowledged by email. If you have not received an e-mail acknowledgement by Tuesday 7th Oct, please contact Elizabeth Crean at the above email address.  Applicants will be notified of the outcome to their application the week of Monday 13th October. | | | |
| **Dates and times:** | | Day One: Monday Nov 10th 10-6pm  Day Two: Tuesday Nov 11th 10-6pm  Day Three: Wednesday Nov 12th 10-6pm | |
| **Venue:** | | **Virtual/Online** | |

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| **Applicant Details** | | | | | | | | |
| **Title:** |  | **First Name:** |  | | | **Family Name:** |  | |
| **Email address:** | |  | | | | **Phone Number:** |  | |
| **School/Area:** | |  | | | **Student Number:** | |  | |
| **Please indicate if you are:** | | | **Part Time** |  | | | **Full Time** |  |

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| **Your Thesis** | | | | | | | |
| **If applicable to your thesis, have you collected all your data?** | **Yes** |  | | **No** | |  | |
| **Are you completing work for your PhD?** | **Yes** |  | | **No** | |  | |
| **How many words of your thesis have you already drafted?** | |  | | | | | |
| **How many chapters does this constitute?** | |  | | | | | |
| **When did you commence your degree?** | | **Month:** |  | | **Year:** | |  |
| **When do you expect to submit your thesis?** | | **Month:** |  | | **Year:** | |  |

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| **Applicant Research Profile** |
| 1. **Please provide a description of your research area** (max. 150 words). |
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| 1. **Brief Motivational Statement: Why would you like to participate in Thesis Boot Camp?** (max. 150 words) |
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| **What do you hope to achieve during Thesis Boot Camp? (max. 150 words).** Please be specific. For example, you may wish to complete a draft of one or more results chapters. Bear in mind that chapters such as findings, results, discussions and conclusions are better suited to Thesis Boot Camp than heavily referenced sections of your thesis such as the Literature Review. Remember, Thesis Boot Camp is for writing. It’s ***not*** for coding, editing, proofreading, preparing presentations or grant applications etc. |
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| **English Capabilities (please tick)** | | | | | |
| **Do you need assistance with your academic English?** | | **Yes** |  | **No** |  |
| **If so, can you tell us why?** |  | | | | |

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| **Applicant Statement and Signature (please tick)** | | | | |
| I would like to participate in Thesis Boot Camp, which I acknowledge is an intensive and dedicated writing environment. | | | |  |
| I agree to attend **all** three days of the programme (timings listed on page 1 of this form). | | | |  |
| I agree to complete prescribed preparatory tasks to gain the most benefit from Thesis Boot Camp. I acknowledge that failing to complete preparatory tasks may result in the cancellation of my place at Thesis Boot Camp. | | | |  |
| **Applicant signature:** |  | Date: |  | |

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| **Academic Referee** | | | |
| There are a maximum of 35 places available at Thesis Boot Camp. Your academic referee may be consulted if there are not enough places for all eligible applicants and a selection process is required.  Please provide details of an academic referee who can support your Thesis Boot Camp application. For example, this may be your supervisor or a member of your Research Studies Panel, your School/Area’s Graduate Coordinator (or equivalent), or a more senior colleague in your research group. | | | |
| **Referee Name:** |  | **Position:** |  |
| **Phone:** |  | **Email:** |  |