

Commented application form



The following screen-saves give instruction on how to fill in the application form.

Several parts of the application form are optional. If you open this part by clicking an “Add ...” button, most information in this field becomes mandatory.

Add Test

But if you click on the [remove] link at the end,

[Remove Test]

you can remove the respective field as a whole (e.g. MSc, BSc, Stay Abroad, language test, ...)

Personal

Please enter your current place of residence and your contact details.

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Personal Academic Language Research Publications Groups Motivation Documents

Current residence

Country Germany	State/Province Rhineland-Palatinate
City Mainz	Postal code 55128
Street and house number Ackermannweg 4	
Phone1 0049 6131 39 21454	Phone2

Grade Point Average

Please proceed as described below for better comparability of the different grading systems.

Grade Average (percent)

Please enter here the Grade Point Average (GPA) in percent for your current studies (or, if not applicable, your most recent degree) based on the average of so far available grades. Please use a percent scale based on interpolation between the best possible (100%) and worst possible (0%) grade.

Please interpolate from the lowest and highest possible grade and indicate the maximum (and ideally in brackets) pass grade in the MSc/BSc form. Examples from some countries.

India: 0 – 100%

Germany: Convert to a linear scale 1 (5-) to 15 (1+) and then multiply by 100/15

Spain: 0 – 10, multiply by 10

Italy: 0 – 30, multiply by 100/30

US American: Transfer A+, A, A- 90-100%, B grades 80-89%, C grades 70-79%, D grades 60-69%

Master's / Bachelor's Degree

Please note that the default requirement for admission for PhD studies is a Master's degree, or an equivalent degree including at least 4 years of university studies (equivalent are e.g. Diploma, licenciatura, ...). Please specify your degree in the field "complete title of official degree".

Based on a 3-year Bachelor's degree, you are not eligible.

Based on a 4-year Bachelor's degree and very good grades (1.5 on the German scale, corresponding to approx. 85-90%) you may be eligible for a fast-track PhD at Mainz University. This is an individual decision taken by the university, independent of the IPP selection. Details can be clarified once you have successfully passed the IPP selection.

Master's Degree (MSc)

Degree	
Complete title of official degree	
Master of Science in Biomedical Chemistry	
Institution/University	
University of Padua	
Country	City
Italy	Padua
Major fields of study	
Biology	
only general, not specific title of your degree course	
Date attended from (dd/mm/yyyy)	Date attended to (dd/mm/yyyy)
02/10/2017	10/12/2019
Degree obtained or expected	
Grade format	
Number of years	
2	Grade point average
28	As displayed on your transcript
Maximum possible grade	
30 (pass 18)	
Normal duration of study towards this degree, full time and with no failures or interruptions	
If you are/were not studying for a Master's degree or equivalent [Remove Degree]	

If you apply only with a Bachelor's degree, close the field "Master's degree". If you apply with a combined degree formally not including a Bachelor's degree, then close the field "Bachelor's degree" [remove degree].

University

If your university is not found by the autofill tool when entering its name, please select "Other ..." at the top. Then fill it in manually in the field "Institution specified".

Institution/University	Institution specified
Other ...	University of the Sunshine Coast
Country	City
Australia	Sippy Downs

Further degree

In the optional field “Further degree” you can list further studies that may, but do not have to be related to the PhD studies applied for.

Further degrees

Further Degree

Complete title of official degree
Bachelor in Business administration

Institution/University
Boğaziçi University

Country
Turkey

City
Istanbul

Major fields of study
Other ...

Major field of study specified
Economics

only general, not specific title of your degree course

Date attended from (dd/mm/yyyy)
Date attended to (dd/mm/yyyy)

Stay Abroad

Please tick the box “Stay Abroad” and fill in the respective fields if you have been abroad for a research stay/scientific exchange during your studies. Please do not tick this box if you completed your Bachelor’s or Master’s studies abroad. This is already taken into account in the respective forms.

Stay Abroad

I have been staying abroad during my university studies for complementary studies, internships or research purposes. If yes, please tick the box and fill in details below (if more than one stay abroad, please list shorter stays in the field “positions” on the next page)

Purpose of stay abroad
Other ...

Purpose of stay abroad specified
Erasmus exchange

Country
Spain

City
Barcelona

Institution/University
Institute for Research in Biomedicine

Project title/topic (if applicable)
Genomic views of protein-RNA interaction

Major fields of study
Biology

only general, not specific title of your degree course

Date attended from (dd/mm/yyyy)
18/02/2019

Date attended to (dd/mm/yyyy)
28/06/2019

[Remove Stay Abroad]

Other qualifications and awards

You may mention here: awards from your university, fellowships received, university entrance tests and their results, e.g. for India: CSIR (include all India rank) or GATE (include percentile score), but also other unusual qualifications that could be relevant in the context of your application.

Other post-graduate degrees, awards, honours and distinctions (maximum of 250 words)

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Remaining words: 206

Language

We expect a self-assessment of your language skills here. If a language test has been taken, please provide the result as additional information and include proof in your academic records. If not, this will not be a disadvantage for your application. For shortlisted applicants, we rely on impressions from the personal interview.

Level
Language level
Advanced

Language Tests		
Language Test		
Name	Points	Max points
IELTS	7.5	9
[Remove Test]		

Research Positions

In this section, please list research positions that are relevant in the context of your application. This can primarily be your Master's project, but also positions as a research assistant afterwards or longer internships. Please do not list minor projects that only lasted a few weeks.

Please list any relevant practical research experience/research projects (e.g. Master's project, summer project) incl. your present position (if applicable)

Research Positions	
Research Position	
Project title/topic	
Investigation of the equilibrium in human mitochondrial tRNA (Master thesis)	
From (mm/yyyy)	To (mm/yyyy)
02/2019	08/2019
Country	City
India	Chennai
Institution	Supervisor(s)
Anna University	Dr Kumar Example
[Remove Position]	

Research Position

Project title/topic
Epigenetic control in a mouse model of multiple sclerosis (research assistant)

From (mm/yyyy)
09/2019

To (mm/yyyy)
04/2020

Country
India

City
Mumbai

Institution
Indian Institute of Technology Bombay

Supervisor(s)
Dr Saanvi Example

[Remove Position]

Publications

Please strictly adhere to the instruction to list in the first field only publications in peer-reviewed international journals with a valid PubMed ID. Please note that PubMed ID and DOI are not the same!

Publications

Publication

Full reference
Simonsson S, Gurdon J (2004). DNA demethylation is necessary for t

PubMedID
15448701

[Remove Publication]

There is space for other types of publication in the following field:

Other Publications

Please list other relevant publications (maximum of 300 words)

Publications not having a PubMed ID (always 8 digits) or not published in an International (English) journal can be listed here.

Presentations

Please list presentations at scientific conferences here (open to a wider/international scientific audience).

Presentations

Presentation	
Title of presentation	Title of conference
Stem cell heterogeneity in the adult brain	EMBO Conference: Neural development
Country	City
Taiwan	Taipei
Date (mm/yyyy)	Presentation Style
12/2015	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oral <input type="checkbox"/> Poster

Lab skills

Please list lab skills here that you can perform independently and that are relevant to your application.

Lab Skills

List your skills

Molecular Biology: DNA/RNA extraction; Electrophoresis: Agarose/SDS-Gel/Urea-PAGE, Western Blotting; Molecular cloning; Protein purification; Quantitative RT-PCR; Fluorescence and Confocal microscopy; CRISPR/Cas9 yeast transformation; Mass spec analysis

Group preference

Please select group leaders whose projects are of interest to you. One is mandatory. If more than 5 projects are of interest, please select the most relevant ones. You can revise your decision if you are invited for personal interviews.

Group Preference

Group within the PhD Programme that you are interested in #1

Group within the PhD Programme that you are interested in #2 (optional)

Group within the PhD Programme that you are interested in #3 (optional)

Group within the PhD Programme that you are interested in #4 (optional)

Group within the PhD Programme that you are interested in #5 (optional)

Motivation letter

Please explain here in short statements why GenEvo and the selected projects are of interest to you. No letter format is expected, but a brief summary of the reasons.

Motivation Letter

Describe your interest in this PhD programme and your chosen group(s) (maximum of 300 words")

Additional information and comments

Additional Information and comments	
Additional information and comments (if any, maximum of 100 words)	
I discontinued an already started PhD thesis. [...]	

Here you can inform us if there is anything unusual in your case that we should know about. In the case of a typical application, the field does not need to be filled in.

Curriculum vitae and academic records

Please upload here

- a) in one PDF your curriculum vitae (in English)
- b) in one PDF scans of your degrees and grade sheets.

Please note: Many students apply during their Master's studies. We therefore do not expect a Master's certificate but an overview of the grades achieved so far, as often available in the online database of universities.

It is not necessary to submit translations of university documents if there are not in English. Scans of the originals are fine.

CV Upload	
Please upload your CV in PDF format with a maximum size of 4 MB.	
<input type="file"/>	Browse

Official Degrees and Records Upload	
Please upload a single PDF containing scanned copies of your official academic degree certificates/transcripts (overview of courses and grades). The maximum size of this file is 4 MB (scan the documents in black-and-white and in a low-medium resolution if necessary).	
<input type="file"/>	Browse

After submission

You will receive an automated email after submitting your application.

There is no further possibility to access the application or change the content.