

Information for PhD candidates (other than CSC applicants)

Given the large number of applicants, our department follows a strict procedure for reviewing the applications of prospective PhD students. Only applications for a 4 year Ghent University PhD will be taken in consideration. Due to a capacity problem, we do not accept exchange PhD students that want to stay at Ghent University for 1 year. We do not have paid PhD positions, so we only accept candidates that have a PhD grant from their home country (or other funding).

All applicants have to fill in a form: <https://forms.gle/1JbGGZwd3Ah5JDaE8> (a Google account is needed, you can create one for free if you don't have one yet) in which we ask for information such as home university, publications, motivation etc. They also have to upload some documents (like the research proposal). From the list of applicants, we select the best candidates who are then invited for a short interview with their future supervisor and some other professors of the department. Online applications can be submitted anytime, but will be evaluated at the end of each month. Applications that are submitted before the 20th of a specific month, will be evaluated at the end of that month. Applications that are submitted later than the 20th, will be evaluated at the end of the next month.

If you are interested in becoming a PhD student at the Department of Geography of Ghent University, please fill in this form: <https://forms.gle/1JbGGZwd3Ah5JDaE8>