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| The Royal College of  **Chiropractors** |

**Application for a personal grant to support ongoing PhD studies, 2018/19**

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| 1. Name: |
| 2. Royal College of Chiropractors membership number or first line of usual contact address: |
| 3. Address where you normally practice chiropractic: |
| 4. Email address: |
| 5. Full address of academic institution at which your doctorate is registered: |
| 6. University and Department that will award the doctorate (if different from 5 above): |
| 7. Name, email address and phone number of your main academic supervisor (we may request a reference): |
| 8. Exactly when did you / will you begin your doctoral research programme? |
| 9. When do you expect to finish your doctoral programme? |
| 10. Please give details, including amounts, of any other sources of funding you have received or applied for to support your doctoral studies: |
| 11. Please summarise in approximately 300 words the research you are undertaking/plan to undertake during your doctoral programme during this RCC membership year (01/10/18 to 30/09/19). |

**Declaration**

I have read and understood the terms and conditions attached to this application for funding as stated below, and agree to abide by them.

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| Signature: | Date: |

**Terms and Conditions**

1. The deadline for receipt of applications (by post or scanned into an email) is 12 noon on Friday 18 January 2019.
2. By applying for this grant, the applicant confirms that to the best of their knowledge, the information provided above is true and complete.
3. Applicants must be current Royal College of Chiropractors’ members for the RCC year indicated at the top of the application form.
4. Applicants must already be undertaking or registered to commence part-time research towards a Professional Doctorate or PhD, although those registered for a part-time MPhil and who are on track to upgrade to a PhD before submission may apply.
5. The Royal College of Chiropractors may contact the named academic supervisor to obtain a reference for the applicant.
6. Applicants must be, primarily, clinical practitioners and not employees of an academic institution.
7. The applicant’s doctoral studies must be part-time, not full-time, with the applicant normally engaged in substantive clinical practice.
8. Grants awarded awarded to individuals, not institutions, and may be used for any purpose to help enable the individual in undertaking their studies.
9. Applicants are eligible to receive no more than three annual grants during the course of their doctoral studies.
10. Grant recipients must acknowledge the financial support of the Royal College of Chiropractors in any reports or publications relating to research undertaken during the period of funding.

Please return your completed form, signed and dated, to:

**Personal PhD Grant Applications**

**The Royal College of Chiropractors**

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