

NUI Post-Doctoral Fellowships in Humanities & Social Sciences 2025

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Please complete all sections.
Please write in block capitals.

Section 1 – Candidate Details

Candidate Surname	_____
Candidate First Name(s)	_____
Title of Research	_____ _____ _____ _____

Section 2 – Academic Referee Details

Referee Surname	_____
Referee First Name(s)	_____
Referee Title	_____
Institution	_____
Institution Address	_____ _____ _____
Mobile/Phone	_____
Email	_____

Section 3 – Evaluation of Candidate

I have known the candidate	<input type="checkbox"/> Well	<input type="checkbox"/> Slightly
From	_____	to _____
As their	<input type="checkbox"/> Professor	<input type="checkbox"/> Tutor
	<input type="checkbox"/> Research Advisor	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Capacity

Please complete all sections.

Academic Evaluation

Intellectual Ability	<input type="checkbox"/> Outstanding	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good
Knowledge of Subject	<input type="checkbox"/> Outstanding	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good
Research Capability	<input type="checkbox"/> Outstanding	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good
Motivation for Study & Research	<input type="checkbox"/> Outstanding	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good
Written Expression	<input type="checkbox"/> Outstanding	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good
Oral Expression	<input type="checkbox"/> Outstanding	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good

How would you rank the candidate in comparison with other graduates in the same field whom you have taught over the past three years?

Outstanding Better than Average Very Good Good

Do you recommend that this candidate should be supported in their pursuit of a career in post-doctoral research?

Yes No

Statement

Submit statement as a separate document, if necessary.

Please provide a confidential appreciation (max. 500 words) of the candidate’s intellectual and personal qualities for the proposed research.

Your statement can be emailed to awards@nui.ie as a separate document.

REFEREE CHECKLIST

Please ensure your full reference, including both form and statement, is emailed directly to awards@nui.ie by **28 March 2025**

Data Protection

NUI processes all personal data transparently and lawfully.
Please refer to NUI’s general Data Protection Policy, available at www.nui.ie

I declare that the information set out in this reference is correct.

I have informed the candidate that their personal data will be shared with NUI.

Signature

Date of signature

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