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Why you should choose this programme

1

You will have access to supervision from a range of world-class researchers, drawn from within and beyond the discipline of architecture.

2

We actively promote interdisciplinary approaches and encourage research that challenges conventional modes of practice and thought.

3

You will benefit from leading research training methodologies and seminar events, including distinguished visiting professors, all within a lively, research-driven environment.

4

You will have access to world-class computing, library and workshop facilities, all located in a European capital city with good transport links.

5

The programme provides exciting opportunities for cross-disciplinary exploration and research with the Schools of Art, Design, History of Art, and Music.



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Code of Practice for Supervisors and Research Students



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How to apply and entry requirements

If you'd like to study on a postgraduate research programme at Edinburgh College of Art, you must apply through EUCLID, our online application system. You can find out how to do this on the University of Edinburgh website, where you'll also be able to:

- See detailed entrance requirements for each programme on the Degree Finder
- Get information on what to expect after you apply
- Find out about study modes, start dates and fees
- Find out if, and how, you need to submit a portfolio, showreel or research proposal
- Find out where to go for further advice and guidance.



Application process

Before you apply

Students are assigned two research supervisors, the second of which may be from another discipline within ECA, or from somewhere else within the College of Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences (CAHSS) or wider University. For any of these programmes, supervision and support may be provided by any of the teaching staff in the School of Architecture and Landscape Architecture (ESALA) and beyond.

Please ensure that at least one member of staff (see below) maintains an active research programme that aligns with the themes of your proposed project.

Prospective students are strongly encouraged to make contact with the relevant member(s) of staff via email to explain your research interests prior to submitting an application. Please note that we only accept applications and review application materials submitted through the official **EUCLID application portal.**



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AHRC

AHRC Doctoral Landscape Awards

Value

PhD tuition fees and stipend at the UKRI level for a minimum of 3.5 years

Deadline

27 November 2025

ECA

ECA PhD Scholarship

Value

Tuition fees plus stipend at the UKRI level for 3 years

Deadline

2 February 2026

UoE

Edinburgh Doctoral College Scholarship

Value

Tuition fees plus stipend at the UKRI level for 3.5 years

Deadline

2 February 2026



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After you apply

Once your application has been submitted for consideration, it will be sent to a team of academic reviewers for their attention. They will then make a decision about your application and research topic, and decide whether it is possible to make an offer of a place to study with us. You may be asked to attend a brief online interview but if this is the case, you will be notified in advance.

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Contact details for follow-up questions

- We apologise if we did not get through all of your questions in the time allotted for this session. If you have further questions that have not been answered, please email: futurestudents@ed.ac.uk
- Alternatively, provide Programme/Department/Service/School/College contact details as appropriate





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Thank you

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