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Application Form

**Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) in Climate Change and Human Habitat
Federal University of Technology, Minna (FUT Minna), Niger State, Nigeria**

1. Personal data

Last Name (Family):

First Name:

Other Names:

Gender (indicate by ticking): Female Male

Date and Place of Birth (dd/mm/yy):

Nationality:

Marital Status: Number and Age of Children:

Country of Residence:

Permanent Home Address (compulsory; preferably with street name and house number):

Telephone Numbers (compulsory):

Primary Email Address (compulsory):

Name of Parent/ Guardian:

GSM Number(s):

Email address:

Name of Contact Person in Nigeria (if any):

GSM Number(s):

Email address:

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2. Secondary/Post Primary Education and Certificates Obtained (e.g. WASSCE, SSCE, Baccalaureate C or D)

Secondary/Post Primary School attended	Period of Attendance in Years	Title and Grade of Certificate obtained	Date Qualification was obtained

Details of Secondary/High School Result e.g. WASSCE, SSCE, Others (for Anglophone Countries only)

The candidate must have, at least, five credits in relevant “O” level Science subjects (e.g. Physics, Mathematics, Chemistry and Biology or Agricultural Sciences) including English Language in not more than two sittings.

Examination Type (WASSCE or SSCE):		
Subject	Grade	Year of Examination

Details of Releve du Notes {Baccalaureat D'enseignement Secondaire} (For Francophone Countries Only)

Only candidates with Baccalaureat C or D are suitable for consideration.

Épreuves	Notes	Coeff	Points Obtanus	Sur
Total				
Décision Du Jury:				

3. University Education

Universities Attended	Year of Attendance	Qualification Obtained	Date of Qualification Obtained Title of Degree Awarded and Grade

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NAME OF FIRST DEGREE (BACHELORS):

Subject (Course) Studied:

Institution:

Title of Dissertation:

Period of Study: From:

To:

NAME OF SECOND DEGREE (MASTERS):

Subject (Course) Studied:

Institution:

Title of Dissertation:

Period of Study: From:

To:

4. Language Skills

Please indicate using abbreviation **L, I or A** (L=Low; I=Intermediate; A=Advanced). For Applicants from Francophone Countries, possessing TOEFL Certificate is an added advantage.

Language \ Notation	Reading			Writing			Speaking		
	L	I	A	L	I	A	L	M	A
English									
French									
Others									

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5. Computer Skills

	MS Word	MS Excel	MS Power Point	SPSS	GIS Application	Remote Sensing Application	Others, please specify		
Beginner									
Working knowledge									
Advanced									

6. Employment Record

Name and Address of two previous employers (Please start with your most recent employment)	Dates of Employment	Position held

7. Letter of Motivation

Personal statement should include the student's academic and personal qualities as well as his/her research interests in the area of *Climate Change and Human Habitat*.

8. Contact Details of Referees

Full Name, Address and Rank	Institutional or Organisational Email Address	Phone Number

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9. Application supporting documents

(All relevant documents must be sent for the applicant to be considered for admission)

- ✓ Completed application form (Partially completed forms will be discarded)
- ✓ Candidates must submit B.Sc. or B.Tech Certificate or equivalent
- ✓ Candidates must submit M.Sc. or M.Tech Certificate or equivalent
- ✓ Candidates must submit M.Sc. or M.Tech Official Transcript or equivalent
- ✓ Detailed Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- ✓ WASSCE or SSCE Certificate (Anglophone Countries)
- ✓ Baccalaureat Certificate (Francophone countries)
- ✓ Baccalaureat (Releve du Notes)
- ✓ Letter of motivation
- ✓ Two (2) recent passport photographs
- ✓ Letter of attestation of good behaviour from the applicant's parents/ guardian with detailed contact address and phone numbers (s)
- ✓ Support Letter from employer (if employed) granting study leave for the duration of the programme, excluding the period for the language *course*.
- ✓ Copy of Certificate of Nationality or State of Origin
- ✓ Soft copy of the applicant's research pre-proposal/research interest as indicated in item 7 above. Note that the Centre reserves the right to accept or reject this, should you be admitted.
- ✓ Applicants should provide detailed, functional and valid institutional or organisational contact addresses (e-mail and postal) and telephone numbers of three (3) referees. Please note, that we are **unable** to accept e-mails from Hotmail, Yahoo, Gmail, MSN or other free e-mail accounts for referees. **All reference letters will be verified for authenticity.** The three (3) referees should include the following:
 - (a) Head of the Department where the applicant obtained his/her Second Degree (Download the academic reference form);
 - (b) His/her Master Degree Supervisor (Download academic reference form);
 - (c) If employed, the second letter must come from the immediate supervisor/boss in his/her work (Download professional reference form); and
 - (d) For applicants who are ALUMNI of WASCAL MRPs, ONE of the referees MUST be the Director of the MRP (Download academic reference form).

The referees should download the appropriate online reference forms from wascal.futminna.edu.ng, fill and send directly to wascal_cchh@futminna.edu.ng and copy capacitybp@wascal.org. Download the appropriate reference form from the website of PhD CCHH.

The webpage for downloading the Application Form has two types of reference forms:

- (i) **The academic reference form** should be filled by someone who you have interacted with in an academic setting (e.g. your Head of Department, Master Degree Thesis Supervisor or a Professor of a course in which you were enrolled).
- (ii) **The professional reference form** should be filled by someone who you have interacted with in a professional setting (e.g. your supervisor at work, who is your senior in rank/position)

Female candidates are encouraged to apply.

I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this form is true.

Date (dd/mm/yy): / / 2025 **Signature:**

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APPLICATION DEADLINE : January 31st 2025

- **Application is online. Applicants are to download, fill and send the form as well as ALL necessary credentials saved as pdf files to wascal_cchh@futminna.edu.ng and copy capacitybp@wascal.org;**
- **The applicant should type in the details because ineligible or incomplete application forms WILL NOT be processed**
- **ONLY successful applicants will be contacted**

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