

2026 TUT POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS CALL

The Tshwane University of Technology invites suitable applications for the position of Postdoctoral Research Fellow who will be based in the Department of Animal Sciences, Faculty of Science.

Research field/area:

The applicant should have an interest and experience in the field of: Animal Breeding, Genetics and Genomics.

Minimum requirements:

- Doctoral degree with a research focus in the relevant field of study in Animal Breeding, Genetics and Genomics or related qualification. The degree must have been obtained within five (5) years of applying (a PhD awarded in 2023, 2024 or 2025 will receive preference).
- Applicants must have authored/co-authored at least two (2) research outputs in the DHETaccredited journals.

Value of fellowship:

- R320 000 per annum (NRF funding).
- A R50 000 incentive bonus would be paid to Postdoctoral Research Fellows who exceeded the research outputs requirements annually.

Interested candidates may submit the following documentation to MpofuTJ@tut.ac.za

- A detailed CV including a list of all research/creative outputs.
- Certified copies of all relevant qualifications/certificates.
- Certified copy of the SAQA evaluation certificate (for international PhD qualifications).
- Certified copy of the ID or passport.
- A one-page proposal explaining the project title and details linked to the research interests in the fields/areas indicated, that you wish to pursue during the fellowship.

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Closing date for applications: 31 November 2025