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| **Please attach the following documents to this application form** |

1. Detailed CV, including – if applicable – relevant publications;
2. Academic transcript (grades obtained) of bachelor’s and master’s;
3. If the dissertation will be written in English, evidence on the English language level (having completed a master in the English language, a IELTS score of 6.5 with no less than 6.5 in writing or an internet-based TOEFL score of 90 with no less than 23 in writing is sufficient);
4. A letter of motivation;
5. A letter of recommendation from two academic referees;
6. The (draft) master thesis or, if not available in English or Dutch, another substantial piece of writing.

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| **Registration form** |

**1a. Details of PhD candidate**

-Name, title(s):

-Male/female:

-Graduation date:

-University, Department (or Institute):

-Address for correspondence:

-Telephone:

-E-mail:

**1b. Title of research proposal**

**1c.** **Abstract**

*Max. 100 words*

**1d. Dissertation supervisor at the Maastricht Faculty of Law**

*Please state the name of the envisaged main supervisor for the proposed PhD research.*

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| **Research proposal** |

**2a.** **Background to the research proposal, objectives and main research question**

*Max. 500 words (excl. references, including footnotes).*

**2b. Description of the proposed research**

*Max. 1,000 words (excl. references, including footnotes).*

**2c. Literature references**

Max. 10 references.

**2d. Innovative character of the proposal**

*Max. 200 words*

**2e. Methodology and time plan**

*Max. 200 words*

**2f. Academic setting within the Maastricht Faculty of Law**

*Please note that research proposals should fit within one of the faculty research clusters and research programmes*

*Please identify the research programme which links to your proposal and describe how your proposal fits within that programme.*

**2g. Societal Relevance**

*How can results be applied in other research areas? How can results be applied in society, business, etc.*

*Max. 200 Words*