



MONASH University
Science



GROUP OF EIGHT

PhD Scholarships in X-ray astronomy

School of Physics



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Physics

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Applications are invited for candidates to undertake postgraduate studies in X-ray astronomy, leading to a PhD within the School of Physics at Monash University, Melbourne, Australia. Two top-up scholarships will be awarded in 2009, for work on the following projects:

Thermonuclear bursts, energetics and oscillations
Homing in on new X-ray transients with ROTSE-III

These scholarships are available to citizens and permanent residents of Australia and New Zealand, as well as international students. The scholarships are awarded as a top up for applicants who have successfully obtained one of the following awards:

- Australian Postgraduate Award (APA):
<http://www.mrgs.monash.edu.au/scholarships/stipend/apa.html>
- or
- Monash Graduate Scholarship (MGS):
<http://www.mrgs.monash.edu.au/scholarships/stipend/mgs.html>
(for Australian or New Zealand students),
- or
- Endeavour International Postgraduate Research Scholarship (IPRS):
<http://www.mrgs.monash.edu.au/scholarships/tuition/iprs.html>
- or
- Monash International Postgraduate Research Scholarship (MIPRS):
<http://www.mrgs.monash.edu.au/scholarships/tuition/miprs.html>
- and
- Monash Graduate Scholarship (MGS):
<http://www.mrgs.monash.edu.au/scholarships/stipend/mgs.html>
(for international students).

Although the main selection rounds for the above awards closed in October, the Faculty of Science Dean's Postgraduate Research Scholarships are available for candidates beginning at other times
(see <http://www.sci.monash.edu.au/postgrad/deanschol.html>).

Other arrangements may be possible for sufficiently motivated and experienced candidates.

Each scholarship provides a yearly non-taxable top up which takes the successful applicant's annual stipend to \$A28,000. Outstanding students who have completed, or expect to complete, a four year undergraduate degree at H1 level are encouraged to apply.

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Please forward this application together with your Academic Record, CV, the contact details of Two Referees and any Refereed Publications to Mrs Jean Pettigrew via E-mail at: jean.pettigrew@sci.monash.edu.au or by mail to:
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