



# Research Data Gatekeeper Committee (RDGC) Permission Application Form

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## Applicant Contact Information

Date of Application

Name of Institution

Title

Role in Application

If Other - please complete

First Name

Last Name

E-mail Address

Phone

Title of study

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## Supervisor/Promoter/Researcher Information (if applicable)

Title

First Name

Last Name

E-mail Address

Phone

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Co-Supervisor/Co-Researcher Information (if applicable)

First Name

Last Name

E-mail Address

Phone

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Ethics Approval

Name of the ethics committee that provided the ethics approval.

Ethics approval  
number:

Date of ethics  
approval:

Please provide a proof of ethics approval (note that your application will not be considered without the necessary approval).

Accept this condition by marking this checkbox.

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## Research Proposal

Name of the scientific committee that approved the study.

Date of scientific approval:

Please provide your approved research proposal (note that your application will not be considered without an approved research proposal).

Accept this condition by marking this checkbox.

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## Further Questions

### ***Instructions***

*Please refer to the examples or help text of each question to better understand what information is needed by the RDGC and to ensure that the questions are answered comprehensively.*

*To see the examples or help text, please hover over the text box field of each question.*

1. Provide a full description of your research sample.

2. Motivate why the data must be gathered from the specific NWU stakeholder group.

3. Please explain how the sample of participants in your project will be identified and recruited.

4. Explain how the participant identification and recruitment process of your research adheres to the Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013 (POPI Act).

*Please see <http://www.nwu.ac.za/access-to-information-act> for more information regarding the POPI Act.*

5. Provide a full description of the data that will be gathered.

6. Provide a full description of the data gathering process that will be followed (What will be expected of the research participants and exactly how will the data be collected).

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***Upon completion, please email this application form (completed),  
along with your proof of ethics clearance and  
an approved research proposal to  
the RDGC at [NWU-RDGC@nwu.ac.za](mailto:NWU-RDGC@nwu.ac.za).***

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**RDGC Decision**

RDGC Reference Number

Permission granted

Permission with conditions is granted.

No permission could be granted at this time.

Special Conditions (if any)

Further Comments

Committee Discussion Notes