

Masters and PhD Funding call for 2023



The South African Research Chair in Spatial Analysis and City Planning (SA&CP) is a National Research Foundation (NRF) funded research unit situated in the Wits University, School of Architecture and Planning. Its primary concern is to produce research that supports improved urban planning and governance globally, with a focus on the global South, and Africa in particular. The SA&CP sits at the nexus of applied and scholarly research and has now entered its third funding cycle and is focusing on a number of key areas of interest, including: urban spatial change, urban governance, comparative urban research, city-regions and other forms of extended urbanisation, urban Africa, large scale urban investments, urban infrastructure, child-friendly cities, pandemic governance, and the use of spatial data (or urban analytics)

(Please see our website for further details of our projects and areas of interest: <https://www.wits.ac.za/sacp/>).

With these in mind, the Chair is looking to support three Masters students, and three PhD students whose work falls broadly within our interests.

All applicants must meet NRF requirements, and be willing to spend substantive time in person at Wits. Enquiries regarding the Chair should be addressed to Thammy Jezile at Thammy.jezile@wits.ac.za

ALL applicants must apply to the NRF using the link below – The UID/Grant number for this particular Chair 71194 is required for the application. The UID number will link your application directly to this Chair.

<https://nrfsubmission.nrf.ac.za/>