

HUM PGR Hardship Fund

2018-2019 TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Applicants will apply using the current Access to Learning Fund (ALF)/UEA Hardship Fund application form, available at the Student Support Centre or the Student Support Service website: <https://portal.uea.ac.uk/student-support-service/money-matters/hardship-funds>.
2. Students must be registered on a HUM PGR course, either full or part-time, and can be considered for the Fund up to the point they are placed on the pass list.
3. The Fund may be used to cover expenditure not included in ordinary hardship assessments, e.g. non-priority debts, proofreading.
4. The Financial Advice Team in the Student Support Service, which administers the ALF/UEA hardship funds, shall assess applications according to professional (NASMA) hardship guidance in the first instance but can utilise discretion to help applicants close to finishing their degree/thesis.
5. The award will be made as a one-off award, unless it is being paid in instalments.
6. The HUM award is not exclusive and students may receive an ordinary (ALF or UEA) hardship award as well. A cap of £1500 per applicant per year has been placed on awards from the Fund in 2018-19.
7. Fund awards are discretionary and there is no guarantee of an award from an application.
8. If a student withdraws from their course, eligibility for any future instalments (if any) ceases.