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## **OUR CONTRACT: POSTGRADUATE**

You must sign this contract in order for the application form to be complete. It is Stellenbosch University's agreement with you. All communication will be sent to you (the student). The contract takes effect when the University provisionally accepts your application.

1. Your application	This is only an application. Even if you submit a correctly completed form and meet the admission requirements you will not necessarily qualify for admission.	
<b>2. Your information</b> You must provide correct information.	2.1	You must ensure that the information you have given is correct. If the information is incorrect the University is entitled to reject your application or cancel your registration immediately.
	2.2	We have the right to verify the information that you give us.
Your information is confidential.	2.3	We agree to keep the information you have given in this form and any information about you that we receive from third parties confidential.
	2.4	Your information will only be disclosed if the University is legally required to do so, if we must do so in order to fulfil our agreement with you or if you have given your consent.
	2.5	Parents/guardians do not have a right to a student's information (including their academic results). The student must give permission.

## 3. Stellenbosch University's responsibility and where it ends

The following terms are very important, because they limit your ability to claim for any harm to you, your property or the loss of your property while you are on University property. If you do not understand these terms, please ask for an explanation.

These terms apply to claims from students, their parents/guardians, and any dependants.

There are limits to Stellenbosch University's responsibility for harm to you or your property.	3.1	You must follow the policies, rules and regulations of the University, the particular faculty to which you will be admitted and University housing. These rules are published, for example, in the University Calendar, on the website and in your residence.
	3.2	In legal terms, the University is only liable if your claim falls within section 61 of the Consumer Protect Act 68 of 2008.
	3.3	Aside from the claims referred to in paragraph 3.1, Stellenbosch University will not be responsible for any harm to you or your property (including any damages flowing from the harm and all claims by dependants).
	3.4	<ul> <li>This limitation applies even when you are:</li> <li>3.4.1 on University property;</li> <li>3.4.2 participating in an activity relating to your studies or training;</li> <li>3.4.3 participating in sport or any other recreational activities;</li> <li>3.4.4 using any of our premises, buildings, equipment or facilities; or</li> <li>3.4.5 staying in or visiting any of our residences or any of our other accommodation.</li> </ul>

## 4. The student's responsibilities

You must follow Stellenbosch University's rules.	4.1	You must follow the policies, rules and regulations of the University, the particular faculty to which you will be admitted and University housing. These rules are published, for example, in the University Calendar, on the website and in your residence.
	4.2	Not following the policies, rules and regulations can lead to disciplinary action and even expulsion.

The University owns any IP you develop.	4.3	The University will own any intellectual property (IP) you develop as part of your studies or research at the University. Your rights and responsibilities with regard to IP are described in our Intellectual Property Policy. IP includes copyright, patent rights, design rights, plant breeder's rights and all related know-how.
Make sure that your fees are paid on time.	4.4	You must pay your registration, class, residence and any other fees on time. Read more in Part 3 (Student Fees) of the University Calendar and at <u>www.maties.com</u> . You are responsible for ensuring that all fees are paid in full and on time even if your fees are being paid by someone else (e.g. a parent/guardian or bursary).
	4.5	If you do not pay your fees on time you will be charged interest at the prime rate from the date when the fees were due.
	4.6	The University may refuse you entry to examinations, withhold your results, refuse to register you for any further modules or programmes, or withhold your qualification certificate if your account is not paid in full.
	4.7	If the University has to take legal action against you, you must also pay all our legal costs.
Get immediate treatment for infectious or contagious disease.	4.8	If you suspect that you have an infectious or contagious disease you must get medical assistance immediately, you must withdraw yourself from all University activities and accommodation and you must take all other steps to make sure that you do not infect other students or staff. If you do not take these steps you will be held responsible for any claims that are made against the University. In legal terms, you indemnify the University against these claims. If legal action is taken against the University you must also pay all the actual legal costs.
You must pay for medical treatment.	4.9	If you require medical treatment and the University arranges for medical assistance you must pay all costs relating to the treatment.

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