

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

International course in Epidemiology, Biostatistics & Qualitative Research Methods (EBQ)

- **October 12th –November 20th, 2026**

To apply for EBQ 2026 please submit this and all other required documents via Mobility Online. All questions regarding the application procedure are to be sent to: global.health.institute@uantwerp.be. Submission deadline is 31st March 2026.

Scholarships are available ONLY for partner countries. List of partner countries can be found on page 5 of this application.

1. Personal details

Last name (as indicated on your passport)	
First name	
Current nationality	
Nationality at birth	
Date of birth (in day-month-year order)	
Place of birth (as indicated on your passport)	
Country of birth (as indicated on your passport)	
Gender	
Civil status (single, married, divorced, widowed)	
Dependents (name and age)	
Current residence address	
Phone number(s)	
E-mail address	
Specify highest level of education completed	<input type="radio"/> Master degree <input type="radio"/> Currently enrolled as a PhD student: University: PhD promoter(s): <input type="radio"/> Post-doctoral studies
Highest diploma + issue date	
Passport number	
Issue date	
Issuing authority and place of issue	
Expiration date	

2. Prior knowledge *(Tick as appropriate; you are allowed to tick several options)*

- ☐ Quantitative study design
- ☐ Data analysis / Biostatistics
- ☐ Qualitative study design
- ☐ Other:

3. Software knowledge *(Tick as appropriate; you are allowed to tick several options)*

- ☐ SPSS
- ☐ R
- ☐ STATA
- ☐ SAS
- ☐ ATLAS
- ☐ NVIVO
- ☐ Other:

4. Current job

Name of the organisation	
Employer's address	
Supervisor's name	
Supervisor's e-mail address	

Provide information about your current educational activities (max 200 words)

Provide information about your current research activities (max 200 words)

Provide information about your current professional activities other than the ones mentioned under educational and research activities (max 200 words)

5. Research topic for EBQ

Research question:

Description of your research topic: (200 words)

Dataset:

- ☐ I do NOT have my own dataset available during the course
- ☐ I HAVE my own dataset available during the course (please specify below):
- ☐ Qualitative research
 - ☐ Quantitative research

Dataset description:

6. Relevance of and motivation for the EBQ course

Describe the relevance of the course 1) for your career, and 2) for the institute with which you are affiliated (max 200 words).

7. Additional information

How did you learn about this International Training Programme?

8. Declarations by the Applicant

I,..... (name and surname), do hereby declare that what is stated above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event I receive a scholarship, I declare to mention Global Health Institute as (co)sponsor of the generated output, such as scientific articles, poster, interview, oral presentation, etc.

Signature of applicant

Date and place

A scanned signature is allowed.

To be completed by the person granting permission to the applicant to travel (i.e. employer, promoter, professor, etc.).

9. Declarations by the Supervisor

I, (name and surname) hereby certify that applicant (name and surname) is granted permission to attend the EBQ course from 21 October to 29 November 2024.

I will provide a support letter* as to support his/her candidacy.

Signature of supervisor

Date and place

A scanned signature is allowed.

*** In the letter of support, the following issues need to be addressed: 1) the relevance of the EBQ course for the applicant and the institute, 2) confirmation that the applicant will return to his/her current position within the institute after completion of the course.**

10. Funding options *(Tick as appropriate)*

- ☐ I am NOT applying for a scholarship and will be;
- ☐ self-funding the course
 - ☐ supported by a VLIR-UOS project (TEAM or IUC):
 - ☐ receiving a support grant from
- ☐ I am applying for a scholarship and I have checked the eligibility criteria as indicated below.

Scholarships

Please read carefully the eligibility criteria below to check whether you qualify for a Scholarship. Only if you can tick all of the boxes below you can continue to complete the form. If you have any questions related to these criteria, kindly contact global.health.institute@uantwerp.be.

- ☐ I currently **LIVE** in and have the **NATIONALITY** of one of the **Low- and Middle-Income Countries (LMIC)**.
- ☐ I am officially registered as PhD student and actively working on a research project with a clear empirical component
- ☐ I am employed by a public academic institution, public research institute, public service, social economy or NGO.
- ☐ This is the only Scholarship I am applying for this year (2026).
- ☐ I have never before received a scholarship to participate in an ITP
- ☐ I am not involved in a sponsored IUS, TEAM or SI project or any other funded program.

ONLY applicants from Low- and Middle-Income Countries (LMICs) who are officially registered as PhD students and are actively working on a research project with a clear empirical component are eligible for Scholarship.

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