

## Call for Applications

### CREB Research Group: PhD Grant

We offer one **PhD grant**, starting October 2024, and support for applying to **full scholarships** offered by public and private institutions in Autumn 2024. We are looking for candidates interested in enrolling in the **PhD programme in Economics at Universitat de Barcelona**. Prospective candidates should hold a master's degree in economics completed by the summer of 2024 and apply for the PhD programme in Economics at Universitat de Barcelona.

The successful candidate will conduct research in Economics under the supervision of researchers belonging to the **CREB Research Group** (please see fields of interest at [www.creb.ub.edu](http://www.creb.ub.edu)).

The gross amount of the **PhD grant** ranges between **8000-11,000 euros** (salary comes with full security benefits). The **full scholarship**, if granted, is expected to start in May 2025, amounting to approximately 17,600 euros gross annually the first two years and 19,000 euros the third year. The full scholarship covers PhD tuition fees and includes a travel grant for visiting other institutions.

Candidates are required to:

- 1) Apply to the PhD program (<https://www.ub.edu/school-economics/phd-in-economics/>). The deadline for application submission is **March 15, 2024**.
- 2) Send an email to Montse Vilalta ([montsevilalta@ub.edu](mailto:montsevilalta@ub.edu)) before **March 31, 2024**, with the title of the message as '**PhD grant**'. The email should include a research proposal with potential thesis supervisor (maximum 1 page).

Please note that only complete applications will be considered.

The University of Barcelona is a **leading centre in southern Europe**, 1st university in Spain, deeply committed to excellence in research. With a longstanding tradition in teaching, it offers a wide array of undergraduate and postgraduate degree programs in Economics and Business. Within this framework, the [UB School of Economics](#) serves as a pivotal platform for research and graduate education in Economics. [According to IDEAS](#), the UB School of Economics is ranked 107th in the world, making it a top 10% economics department.

The PhD in Economics programme has been awarded the **distinction of Excellence** following a comprehensive and rigorous external evaluation conducted by the Catalan University Quality Assurance Agency (AQU). This recognition acknowledges the quality and impact of the research conducted within the framework of the PhD programme.