

2026/2027 TUT POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS CALL

The Tshwane University of Technology invites suitable applications for the position of Postdoctoral Research Fellow in the Department of Crop Sciences.

Research field/area:

- Postharvest technology

Minimum requirements:

- Doctoral degree in Crop Sciences. The degree must have been obtained within the past five (5) years (a degree awarded in 2024, 2025, and 2026 will receive preference).
- Applicants must have authored/co-authored at least two (2) research outputs in the DHET-accredited journals.

Value of fellowship:

- R320,000 per annum (NRF funding).
- A R50,000 running cost and conference participation.
- A 50,000-incentive bonus would be paid to Postdoctoral Research Fellows who exceeded the research output requirements annually.

Interested candidates may submit the following documentation to RathumbuTO@tut.ac.za

- A detailed CV including a list of all research/creative outputs.
- Certified copies of all relevant qualifications/certificates.
- Certified copy of the SAQA evaluation certificate (for international doctoral qualifications).
- Certified copy of the ID or passport.
- A one-page proposal explaining the project title and details linked to the research interests in the fields/areas indicated, that you wish to pursue during the fellowship.

Enquiries: Mr Owen Rathumbu, Telephone +27 79 052 2420

Closing date for applications: **30 April 2026**

