



# Pathways to **PROFESSIONAL SERVICES IN HIGHER EDUCATION**

## Application Form Questions

*Please note, when completing the application form, you cannot save your progress and return at a later date. To enable you to prepare your responses before beginning the form, we have provided the 4 questions you will be scored on, below:*

- 1** Why are you interested in the Professional Services sector in Higher Education? You may wish to draw on any personal life experiences, your degree background and/or work/volunteering opportunities you've undertaken. (250 word limit)
- 2** What do you think you will gain from completing the programme? (250 word limit)
- 3** What skills and qualities do you possess that demonstrate your suitability for working in the Professional Services within the Higher Education sector? (350 word limit)
- 4** One of our key themes in Strategy 2030 is 'Our Education & Student Experience'. This demonstrates that we will challenge and inspire our community of learners from every background to thrive, develop the skills they will need for the future and lead the change the world needs. What ideas would you suggest to deliver this theme? What factors need to be taken into consideration? (350 word limit)

*To apply for the Pathways to Professional Services in Higher Education programme, please complete the Microsoft application form [here](#) with your prepared answers to the above questions. Please note, this is the only way to apply for the programme.*

**Applications close at 12 noon on  
Tuesday 13th January 2026.**