



# HARTPURY HIGH PERFORMANCE STUDENT-ATHLETE

## NETBALL POSTGRADUATE STUDENTSHIP

*The Hartpury Senior Netball Academy are looking for high-performance netballers to join their British Universities & Colleges Sport (BUCS) team for the upcoming 2026-27 academic year.*



*The Postgraduate Studentship offers a part-funded place on one of Hartpury University's postgraduate degrees studied over one or two years to enable the candidate to combine performance with postgraduate study.*

## STUDENTSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES

- Assisting with Hartpury University Women's Netball programme in your area of expertise / specialism.
- Attend and drive standards in training, strength & conditioning sessions, performance analysis and fixtures for BUCS commitments.
- Contribute to the Netball Academy experience building relationships with both staff and students to develop and improve yourself and the programme.
- Promote and represent Hartpury University and Hartpury Netball in a professional manner.
- Maximise your opportunity with the programme to develop yourself and reach your potential.
- Completing your postgraduate research project alongside our university strategic direction with the aim of actively contributing to our evolving postgraduate research and knowledge exchange community and impacting our applied Sports Academy provision.

## PERSON SPECIFICATION

- 2:2 undergraduate degree in Sports Science or related field (although this is open to discussion based on application).
- Previous playing experience in an NPL or other high performance environment.
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills and the motivation to contribute and better yourself.



## BENEFITS

- Partial funded tuition on one of our postgraduate degrees (i.e., MSc Sports Coaching, MSc Applied Performance Analysis in Sport, MSc Sports Management, MSc Strength & Conditioning, MRes Sport & Exercise Science, MSc Sport & Exercise Nutrition).
- Play in one of the most successful educational netball programmes in the UK in a professional environment.
- Access to qualified coaches and world-leading sports science facilities to aid in your development as a player.
- Opportunity to network with professional and semi-professional clubs, players and coaches both nationally and internationally.
- Access to professional facilities and resources including Hudl's online video analysis platform.
- Gym membership for the Sports Academy and athlete kit/resources.
- Membership to our PG Studentship Group who meet regularly for CPD, sharing of good practice and reflection sessions



To apply for the Postgraduate Studentship: Please scan the QR Code and complete the application form

To enquire further into this Studentship: [Holly.Duerden@hartpury.ac.uk](mailto:Holly.Duerden@hartpury.ac.uk)

Closing date: Monday 27th April 2026

