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Hi, my name is Abbas Mousavi, I'm from Iran and I'm doing a PHD degree in Applied Linguistics and Languages at Griffith University. I'm holding a Bachelor Degree in English Literature and a Masters degree in Applied Linguistics and TESOL from Shiraz University.

For my PHD research I'm developing and validating a multi-media package for the assessment of oral English proficiency of non-native speakers of English, who come to Australia to study at Australian Universities.

At Griffith University I've been extremely fortunate to be able to use the professional advice and services of my supervisors, colleagues as well as other co-workers. Griffith University Library has given me the opportunity to use the resources and facilities in conducting my research both related to my PHD and other programs. For example, at Griffith University Library, I have been able to develop the world's most comprehensive encyclopaedia of language testing. This encyclopaedia of language testing is currently available in a third edition and brings together most of the terminology in language testing, language assessment, evaluation, measurement as well as the basic terminology and statistics related to languages studies and language testing.

My PHD studies at Griffith University have brought me a lot of opportunities in terms of employment and career. Now I can work as a test developer, lecturer or researcher in higher education institutions.

If you are planning to do a PHD degree in language studies, I would strongly recommend the School of Languages and Linguistics at Griffith University.