



CANDIDATE SPECIFICATION

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<http://www.northernbridge.ac.uk/applyforstudentship/cda/>

Please therefore complete the following Candidate Specification so that advertising can begin as soon as possible following the outcome of the competition:

<i>For further information about this Collaborative Doctoral Award and to submit an Expression of Interest, please contact:</i>	
Lead Supervisor (or Alternative Contact):	Dr. Oliver Dunnett
Email:	O.Dunnett@qub.ac.uk
Expressions of Interest must be received no later than:	11 th December 2024
Expressions of Interest must take the following format:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Email to lead supervisor with CV and short personal statement outlining their suitability for the project 	
Interviews for shortlisted candidates are expected to take place:	Week commencing 13 th January 2025

CANDIDATE CRITERIA

Candidates must also meet the criteria for acceptance on a doctoral programme as set out by the host institution's Postgraduate Admissions Service. The successful candidate will be required to submit a postgraduate application to their host institution following notification that they are to be awarded a conditional CDA studentship, and meet the conditions of the offer of a place on the doctoral programme.

Education and Professional Qualifications	Essential Criteria	Master's degree in human geography, geopolitics or related subject
	Desirable Criteria	Master's degree in human geography, geopolitics or related subject, awarded with distinction
Research and Impact Experience and Training	Essential Criteria	Experience of historical / cultural research

	Desirable Criteria	Research experience relating to Armagh Observatory / Planetarium; Experience of conducting archival research
Professional Practice and Job-related Experience	Essential Criteria	-
	Desirable Criteria	Experience of working in a professional environment
Interpersonal Skills	Essential Criteria	Good communication and interpersonal skills; Ability to work to deadlines and self-motivate
	Desirable Criteria	-
Other Factors	Essential Criteria	-
	Desirable Criteria	Interest in the history of astronomy and decolonising science