Northern Bridge Consortium Collaborative Doctoral Awards Competition (Staff-led)





CANDIDATE SPECIFICATION

Successful projects will be advertised on the Northern Bridge Consortium website to aid recruitment: http://www.northernbridge.ac.uk/applyforastudentship/cda/

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

| For further information about this Collaborative Doctoral Award and to submit an Expression of Interest, please contact: | | | |
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| Lead Supervisor (or Alternative Contact): | Prof. Matthew Daniel Eddy m.d.eddy@durham.ac.uk | | |
| Project Title: | Data, Race and Empire: African Health, Scottish Missions and the Information Strategies of Dr Archibald Hewan (1832-1883) | | |
| Expressions of Interest: | To be considered for shortlisting, prospective candidates must submit a full PhD application to Durham University Department of Philosophy no later than 14 February 2025. Applications must be submitted through Durham University's portal: https://studyatdurham.microsoftcrmportals.com/en-US/ Applicants must state in the cover letter that they are applying for the 'Data, Race and Empire' studentship. In addition to submitting their transcripts, CV, and two sample essays (each between 3,000 to 5000 words), applicants must include a 1000 word statement (in lieu of a thesis proposal) explaining how the their training, qualifications, etc. connect with the subject matter of the project. | | |
| Interviews for shortlisted candidates are expected to take place: | March 2025 – date(s) to be confirmed | | |

| CANDIDATE CRITERIA | | | | |
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| Education and Professional Qualifications | Essential Criteria | A 2,1 or better in a bachelors and a masters degree in History, HPS (History and Philosophy of Science), STS (Science and Technology Studies), or subjects such as museology, anthropology, archaeology, etc. that offer significant and | | |

| | | demonstrable training on the history and science and/or medicine. Subjects that address of the pre-digital history of health and communication in the British Empire or on the pre-20th century history of Africa will also be considered. |
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| | Desirable Criteria | Not applicable. |
| Research and Impact Experience and Training | Essential Criteria | None other than that provided by the foregoing bachelors and masters degrees. |
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| Professional Practice and Job-related Experience | Essential Criteria | None other than that provided by the foregoing bachelors and masters degrees. |
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| Interpersonal Skills | Essential Criteria | Experience working with a team on academic projects. |
| | Desirable Criteria | Experience working with a team of researchers. |
| Other Factors | Essential Criteria | Ability to travel to archives in the UK and training in Europe. |
| | Desirable Criteria | Not applicable. |