ROYAL HOLLOWAY PhD Studentship

**Application Form**

Please ensure you have read our eligibility, <https://london-nerc-dtp.org/apply-to-the-london-nerc-dtp/#eligibility> and documentation, <https://london-nerc-dtp.org/apply-to-the-london-nerc-dtp/#documentation> guidelines before completing this application form. Applicants are encouraged to contact referees in advance of submitting their application.

The deadline for applications is **17.00** on **Monday 19th June 2023**, by which time your references also need to have been received by the DTP. Please send your completed application form, cover letter and CV to the lead supervisor.

**PROJECT DETAILS**

**Please state the title of the project and the name of the lead supervisor that you are applying to:**

**Title:**

**Lead Supervisor:**

**APPLICANT DETAILS**

\* **Please attach your cover letter (2 pages maximum) and your CV (2 pages maximum).**

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| First Name |  |
| Surname |  |

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| Mobile number |  |
| Date of birth |  |

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| Address Line 2 |  |
| City |  |
| Postcode |  |
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| Nationality |  |
| Country of birth |  |
| Country of ordinary residence |  |

Is English your first language? YES / NO

Fee status? HOME

Note: Only HOME fee status applicants are eligible to apply. **Overseas students are NOT eligible to apply.** If you are unsure about which fee status category you fall into, please contact the DTP office.

**WIDENING PARTICIPATION OF UNDER-REPRESENTED GROUPS**Please be aware that completing this section is not mandatory, and you should only do so if it is relevant to you, and you feel comfortable sharing the information. As part of our ongoing work to improve Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion within the London NERC DTP, we are committed to improving access to candidates from under-represented groups. In order to address a historical imbalance, it is our ambition to offer interviews for a number of certain under-represented groups of Home-award-eligible students who meet the academic requirements. Please check as many of the below boxes that are applicable to you and provide any further information that you think we should be aware of when we are considering your application. Please be aware that this information will be available to those reviewing your application and may be used to help support it - providing this information will not negatively impact your application. This section is separate to our equal opportunities form, which needs to be filled in separately.

[ ]  I belong to an underrepresented ethnic group (Black or Mixed Black, Asian or Mixed Asian, Arab or Mixed Arab, Mixed/Multiple ethnic groups).

[ ]  I have a disability.

[ ]  I have significant caring responsibilities.

[ ]  I am from a low socio-economic background\*

\*For example, you are from a low-income background or come from a neighbourhood which is classed as ACORN 4 or 5 or POLAR (4) Quintile 1 or 2.

Please provide further information here, should you wish to do so.:

**EDUCATION HISTORY**

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| **Undergraduate** degree type  |  |
| Degree award  |  |
| Course title |  |
| Institution |  |
| Start date and Date awarded / expected |  |
| Source of funding |  |

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| **Masters** level degree type  |  |
| Degree award  |  |
| Course title |  |
| Institution |  |
| Start date and Date awarded / expected |  |
| Source of funding |  |

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| Are you currently registered for an MPhil / PhD? |  |

**FURTHER INFORMATION**

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| Please provide details of any relevant Prizes or Awards: |
| Do you have any work experience that is relevant to your chosen field of study? If yes, please give details. |
| Please provide a brief description of your academic and professional record (250 words max): |
| Do you have any refereed publications resulting from your work?If yes, please give details. |
| Any other dissemination activities? |

**PhD plans**

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| What attracts you to this studentship opportunity? (200 words maximum): |

**REFEREES DETAILS**

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| Referee 1 |  |
| Title and full name |  |
| Email address |  |
| Relationship to you |  |
| Institution / Organisation and Institution  |  |

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| Referee 2 |  |
| Title and full name |  |
| Email address |  |
| Relationship to you |  |
| Institution / Organisation and Institution  |  |

**You MUST contact your 2 academic referees and ask them to submit their referencecomplete and submit their** online **reference forms on your behalf at** <https://london-nerc-dtp.org/apply-to-the-london-nerc-dtp/referee-form/>

Please ensure that each of your referees submit their reference by the deadline of **17.00 on Monday 19th June 2023.** Late references will not be accepted, and your application will not be considered. **Please note that only institutional/organisational email addresses for referees will be accepted. Referee responses received from non-accredited accounts, such as Hotmail or Gmail etc., will not be considered.**

### DECLARATION & EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES

### Please complete the online equal opportunities form here: <https://london-nerc-dtp.org/wp-admin/admin-ajax.php?action=frm_forms_preview&form=equalopps1> – for the ‘Application reference’ section, please contact the DTP office and we will allocate you a number to input.

The London NERC DTP reserves the right to terminate a studentship should it be discovered that the awarded student has made a false statement, omitted significant information or failed to meet any of NERC’s eligibility criteria - <https://nerc.ukri.org>

Signature: To the best of my knowledge, the information provided by me in this application is accurate and complete.

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| Signature: | Date: |