

## The Manchester Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence

Call for PhD Bursaries

The Manchester Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence, a partnership between the University of Manchester and Manchester Metropolitan University, aims to support the intellectual community in European Studies (broadly defined), while also facilitating local and regional links with practitioners, researchers and students interested in European affairs. For more details on the Centre's activities please visit: <u>http://www.manchesterjmce.ac.uk/</u>

The Manchester JMCE is now inviting proposals for PhD bursaries which aim to support short research visits of doctoral students from and to the three partner institutions (UoM, MMU and UoS).

The bursary aims to support two categories of activities:

- For students from the three partner institutions: to conduct short research visits to Europe;
- For students studying outside the UK: to conduct short research visits to the UK, in association with one of the three partner institutions. The bursary does not automatically entitle visiting students to an office facility and a library card, although the three partner institutions will try to accommodate such requests (depending on the length of stay)

The bursaries will be up to £500. Eligible activities may include:

- Visiting from/to the UK for fieldwork purposes (interviews, archival and library searches etc).
- Visiting from/to the UK for attending conferences.
- Visiting from/to the UK to facilitate research collaborations.

Activities supported by a bursary should take place between January 2016 and June 2017.

Proposals should not exceed 1000 words and should be structured as follows:

• Title of project;

- Name of the applicant, their Department and university affiliation, and contact details;
- The nature and purpose of the short research stay abroad;
- Detailed budget;

The deadline for receipt of proposals in response to this call is **Friday 5 December 2015**. Applications should be sent to Dr. Tilman Frasch (<u>T.Frasch@mmu.ac.uk</u>).

The Manchester Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence expects to award their bursaries within two weeks after the deadline. Only successful applicants will be notified.