## **School of Social Sciences - PhD Studentships**

Number of award: Minimum 6 available

Value of award: Home/EU tuition fee for 2017/18 academic year and a maintenance stipend of

£14,553 per annum and £750 research training support grant per annum.

Start date: January 2018

Duration: 3 years full-time

Eligibility: UK/EU students ONLY

Academic entry

Minimum, UK Master's degree with Merit, including 60% overall average, 60% in

Criteria: dissertation and no mark below 50%, or EU equivalent.

Other criteria: Research proposal must be linked to the SoSS research priorities (see

http://www.socialsciences.manchester.ac.uk/research/themes/)

How to apply: Submit full on-line PhD application via

http://www.manchester.ac.uk/study/postgraduate-research/admissions/how-to-

apply/ Application to include the following supporting documents:

- Two academic references

Research proposal (linked to the School's research themes) – see
 <a href="http://www.socialsciences.manchester.ac.uk/study/postgraduate-research/applying/">http://www.socialsciences.manchester.ac.uk/study/postgraduate-research/applying/</a> for further advice

- Degree certificates and transcripts

- CV

- IELTS or TOEFL certificate (if from a non-native English speaking country). English criteria can be found on the programme details pages on <a href="http://www.socialsciences.manchester.ac.uk/study/postgraduate-research/programmes/list/">http://www.socialsciences.manchester.ac.uk/study/postgraduate-research/programmes/list/</a> English certificates can be submitted at a later date once available.

- Include name of "SoSS January 2018 PhD Studentship" in funding section on the application form

- Include name of two preferred supervisors on application form.

- For monitoring purposes, please complete "marketing information" section on

application form.

Deadline: Friday 1 December 2017 for receipt of FULL application. Only complete applications

will be considered.

Interview: Shortlisted applicants will be interviewed (either in person or Skype or similar).

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