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2 PhD studentships, University of Exeter

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Exeter's College of Humanities is offering up to 2 PhD studentships (open to UK/EU students only) for candidates aiming to begin studying in September 2019.

Exeter is a centre for world-leading research across the Humanities. Our departments are consistently placed at the top of national and international rankings.

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- Victorian Studies
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- Experimental Archaeology
- Environmental Arts and Humanities
- Digital Humanities
- War, State and Society Studies
- Connectivity in the Roman World
- Hellenistic and Romano-Greek Culture and Society
- Interdisciplinary Film
- Theatre and Performance Histories, Cultures and Practices
- Socially-Engaged, Participatory and Community Theatre and Performance
- Biblical Studies, Early Judaism and Early Christian History
- Religion in Public Life, Ethics, Practical, Systematic and Constructive Theology
- Translation Studies and Translating Cultures
- Creative Writing
- Intermedia and Creative Technology
- Global China and South Asia Studies)

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- Latin American Studies and Archaeology of the Americas
- Cornish Studies
- Maritime Historical Studies

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Exeter offers PhD students exceptional support:

- A teamed approach to supervision combining research expertise from across our disciplines and access to a pastoral tutor
- A dedicated Doctoral College, a single point-of-contact for all programme and practical needs
- Access to a newly built Humanities Digital Lab
- Research and career development opportunities within the College and across the University
- Dedicated study space for Humanities postgraduates
- A well-established postgraduate research culture including annual conferences and journals
- Funding opportunities for individual research needs

Awards will be granted to the strongest applicants based on an assessment of the applicant's

- Academic excellence
- Research potential
- Research proposal

Duration and value of award

The studentships will be for a period of up to 3 years (36 months), dependent on satisfactory progress, and will cover full tuition fees and an annual maintenance grant of £14,777 (2018/19 rate).

For further information on research opportunities in Humanities please contact Professor Gert Vonhoff, College Director of Postgraduate Research: g.vonhoff@exeter.ac.uk.

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