

Senior Lecturer/Reader History of Art, University of Aberdeen

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Application deadline: Oct 18, 2019

Paula Sweeney

Reader/Senior Lecturer in History of Art

The University of Aberdeen is looking to recruit an individual who is well placed to take on the role of the Head of History of Art and to lead the process of reinvestment in the discipline at the University of Aberdeen. The individual will work with the Head of School to ensure that the discipline is well placed to contribute to the strategic aims of the School, in line with the University's emerging 2040 strategy around the workstreams: Inclusive, Interdisciplinary, Sustainable and International.

In addition to being central to strategic development, the successful candidate will contribute to the excellent teaching and high-quality research of the discipline.

The successful candidate will have an excellent personal research record and a wide-ranging teaching background in the discipline and, importantly, will have the vision and leadership skills to set the future course for History of Art at Aberdeen.

We imagine that the successful candidate will currently be in a mid-career appointment with ambition to drive change. The AOE is open but will likely fall within areas of disciplinary importance for Aberdeen, such as Scottish Art, Early Modern Studies and New Connoisseurship and Material Culture. The candidate will be outward-looking, drawing connections with other disciplines, with University of Aberdeen Special Collections, with galleries and the cultural organisations within the surrounding area.

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Salary will be at the appropriate point on the Grade 8 salary scale (£52,559 - £59,135 per annum) and negotiable with placement according to qualifications and experience.

Any appointment will be made subject to satisfactory references and a 12 month probation period.

For further information on various staff benefits and policies please visit www.abdn.ac.uk/staffnet/working-here

Should you require a visa to undertake paid employment in the UK you will be required to fulfil the

minimum points criteria to be granted a Certificate of Sponsorship and Tier 2 visa. As appropriate, at the time an offer of appointment is made you will be asked to demonstrate that you fulfil the criteria in respect of financial maintenance and competency in English. Please do not hesitate to contact Heather Clark, HR Adviser on +44 (0)1224 273244 or email h.m.clark@abdn.ac.uk for further information.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 18 October 2019

Please apply online:

<https://www.abdnjobs.co.uk/vacancy/reader-senior-lecturer-in-history-of-art-395841.html>

Should you wish to make an informal enquiry please contact

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Please do not send application forms or CVs to Dr Sweeney

Please quote reference number DHP083A on all correspondence

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