

Cumberland Lodge Scholarship Scheme

The Scholarship

This is a two-year programme for doctoral students studying at universities in the UK, designed to fit around their studies. The scholarship offers a unique opportunity for students from any discipline to develop skills in communication, public engagement, and interdisciplinary collaboration. Six scholarships are available each year. This year's successful scholars will join the Lodge from September 2017 to September 2019.

'I think it's incredibly important that as academics we look beyond the narrow confines of our discipline and consider wider social and ethical problems - Cumberland Lodge gives us a chance to do that.'

Sam Fowles, PhD student at Queen Mary, University of London & Cumberland Lodge Scholar 2015 - 2017



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What the Scholarship involves

From the scholar

- Attendance at two conferences per year, an annual Scholars' Retreat in September, and Annual Lecture
- Facilitation at events (see right)
- Submission of a blog and newsletter article on conferences attended

From Cumberland Lodge

- Mentoring in intellectual leadership
- Involvement in cross-disciplinary debates on important social and ethical issues
- Training in communication and public engagement
- Networking opportunities with senior academics and people in public life
- A personal development grant of up to £300
- Free food, accommodation and travel while staying at Cumberland Lodge

'I've been fortunate enough to attend a number of really interesting conferences...[and] to undertake extensive networking and communication training'

Lorna Hardy, PhD student at the University of Exeter & Cumberland Lodge Scholar 2015 - 2017



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exchanging views, inspiring minds



2015-2017 Scholars Rebecca Black and Laura Castells Navarro (far left and left) facilitate reflection at *Ethnic Inequalities at Work: Policy and Institutional Responses*, 3 - 4 November 2016

Application

Applicants must be studying for a doctorate in the UK and be able to commit to a two year programme.

For more information, please visit our website:

www.cumberlandlodge.ac.uk/scholarshipscheme

The deadline for applications is **Friday 31st March** and shortlisted candidates will be interviewed via Skype in the week commencing **Monday 8th May**. Successful applicants will join the Lodge at the Scholars' Induction Retreat from **Friday 8th to Sunday 10th September**.