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THE PHYLLIS AND EILEEN GIBBS
TRAVELLING RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP
2012-2013

This Travelling Fellowship has been endowed with the object of assisting women graduates who have considerable experience of research (at least and often beyond the doctoral level) and who intend to undertake fieldwork projects outside the British Isles (and normally not within their own countries of residence or citizenship) in **Biology, Archaeology, Social Anthropology or Sociology**, with preference for Archaeology or Biology. The Travelling Fellowship is open to women who are or have been members of any College or Approved Foundation or Approved Society in, or University Officers in, the University of Cambridge, but preference will be given to present or former members of Newnham College. The Travelling Fellowship will be available for all or part of the year 2012-2013 and the fund will pay research, travel and subsistence expenses normally up to £18,000 for the year; these conditions may be modified according to the nature of the project. The proposed research must be post-doctoral, although students currently finishing PhD research are eligible to apply. Any award must be used for expenses in the field; proposed projects may be entirely field-based or may be for fieldwork with associated (separately-funded) laboratory components.

Applications should be made on-line at https://app.casc.cam.ac.uk/fas_live/gibbs2012.aspx by **Monday 9 January 2012**.

The application will comprise:

- A curriculum vitae (PDF only) to be uploaded to the system.
- A statement of the scheme of research and the nature of the fieldwork proposed, including objectives, research context, and methodology (maximum length of the statement to be 2000 words). This should be in PDF format to be uploaded to the system.
- A detailed budget, with justification (may include estimates), which should be in PDF format, to be uploaded to the system.
- The names and addresses (postal and email) of two persons to whom reference may be made as to the candidate's academic qualifications and suitability for the Fellowship. **Candidates should give each referee a copy of their application, including the research proposal and costing.** Two emails will be sent to each referee from the on-line system. Candidates should inform their referees that their application will not be considered until their references have been received. Referees should submit their references by **Monday 16 January 2012**.
- A sample of the candidate's written work, whether already published or not. Candidates are invited to submit whichever of their writings they think are appropriate; articles or dissertation chapters are appropriate, rather than an entire dissertation. This should be in PDF format, to be uploaded to the system.

It is hoped that a decision will be made by the end of February 2012.

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