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Government of India
Ministry of Human Resource Development
Department of Higher Education
ES. 4 Section

MS. AGATHA HARRISON MEMORIAL FELLOWSHIP FOR THE YEAR 2017-18

Last date for online application: 15.09.2017

Applications are invited from Indian Nationals for the award of Ms. Agatha Harrison Memorial Fellowship (only one fellowship) which the Government of the India has instituted at St. Antony's College, Oxford (U.K.). The Fellowship is tenable for one year in the first instance, which can be extended for another one year on the basis of performance of the candidate. The fellowship carries an amount of £ 29,944.85/- per annum, the break—up of which is as under:

| Stipend Amount | £ 22,063.00 |
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| Travel Allowance | £ 890.00 |
| College Lunches | £ 2,407.00 |
| 6 High Table Dinner | £ 679.00 |
| Other Administration Charges | £ 3,930.85 |
| Total | £ 29,944.85 |

The candidate is eligible for Economy Class air passage (both ways). Only spouse of the selected candidate will be provided Economy Class Air-fare provided he/she stays in UK with the scholar for a continuous period of one year. (As the fellowship amount is sufficient for only one person, the candidate will have to meet the expenditure on maintenance of spouse).

2. The Fellowship is meant for scholars who have specialized in Modern Indian Studies in the subject fields of History, Economics and Political Science. Candidates should have uniform academic record with 60% (at least) in Post Graduation and with a Ph.D. degree in the subject field chosen or published work of equivalent merit which has received outstanding recognition. Where only grades are awarded, the candidates are required to furnish exact percentage of marks and also indicate the conversion formula. This Fellowship is intended for a young scholar, who is bent on pursuing an academic career and whose status would be comparable to that of a Junior Research Fellow at the University of Oxford.

EXPERIENCE: A minimum of three years teaching experience at Graduate/Postgraduate level after completing Ph.D. as on 15.09.2017.

AGE: Candidates should be between the age of 30 and 40 years, as on 15.09.2017.

3. Mere fulfilment of Minimum requirements as laid down in the advertisement does not qualify a candidate for interview. Shortlisted candidate's name will be displayed on the Ministry's website www.mhrd.gov.in/scholarships and emails will be sent to the shortlisted candidates.

- 4. Self-attested certificates/degrees including birth certificate, mark-sheets in respect of all the examinations passed needs to be uploaded while applying online.
- 5. Equivalent foreign degrees and diplomas are acceptable but the proof of equivalence should be furnished (Certified by the Competent Authority).
- 6. Candidates who have already been abroad for studies/training/specialization either on Scholarship or on their own for a period exceeding 6 months are eligible to apply provided they have been in India for at least 3 consecutive years after returning from abroad. Candidates residing abroad are not eligible.
- 7. While indicating the period of past experience and stay abroad, candidates should mention the specific dates.
- 8. The candidate must have completed tertiary education in English Medium only.
- 9. Candidates must furnish a clear and precise programme of study/research (minimum 500 words) and justification of their study/research to be carried out in the United Kingdom.
- 10. Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidate.
- 11. The decision of the Selection Committee shall be final. No representations in this connection will be entertained.

To apply online please visit the below link

http://proposal.sakshat.ac.in/scholarship

Note: The above link will be active from 25.08.2017.

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