

## Expressions of Interest invited for Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellowships Competition 2017

### WARWICK SCHOOL OF MODERN LANGUAGES AND CULTURES

The **School of Modern Languages and Cultures** at the **University of Warwick** invites expressions of interest for individual Marie Skłodowska-Curie fellowships ([https://ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/about/individual-fellowships\\_en](https://ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/about/individual-fellowships_en)), to be held in one or more of its constituent departments (French Studies, German Studies, Hispanic Studies, Italian Studies). Warwick's School of Modern Languages and Cultures has expertise in all periods from the High Middle Ages up to the twenty-first century. It has close relationships with interdisciplinary research centres such as the Centre for the Study of the Renaissance, the Yves Persaud Centre for Caribbean Studies, and the Centre for Research in Philosophy, Literature and the Arts. Please note that proposals crossing individual languages are warmly welcomed, as are those intersecting fields such as literature, film, cultural studies, philosophy, history, and public policy. With around twelve postdoctoral fellows and around fifty postgraduate students currently working within the School, the environment for early-career researchers is a vibrant and welcoming one. Research fellows play a vital role in the research community, alongside academic staff of national and international renown. For more about research in Modern Languages at Warwick, see <http://www2.warwick.ac.uk/fac/arts/modernlanguages/research/>

#### Eligibility

Marie Skłodowska-Curie fellowships, lasting up to three years, are meant for the most promising researchers, typically coming from outside the UK, or who will have been in the UK for less than 12 months by the application deadline in September. Applicants need not be EU citizens or resident in the EU. Fellows will find a stay at the host institution key to developing their research and skills and, where relevant, finding a permanent position. Warwick SMLC invites suitably qualified candidates to submit an expression of interest. Successful applicants have typically published a monograph and are working on a new project, fitting into a particular research theme or cluster of excellence at the host institution.

#### Applications

Candidates should put an application together with a prospective mentor, typically a permanent member of staff who has a strong record in the proposed area of research. Given the September deadline, prospective applicants are encouraged to contact the proposed mentor **no later than Monday, 5 June**. Inquiries should include an **academic CV** (including list of publications) and a **clear research proposal** of up to 1500 words.

Questions may be addressed to the following:

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