



ST EDMUND HALL, OXFORD

STIPENDIARY LECTURESHIP IN POLITICS (POLITICAL THEORY *or* BRITISH POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT)

St Edmund Hall's roots are in the 13th Century, making it one of the oldest educational institutions now within the University of Oxford. It is the only medieval academic Hall to have preserved its identity; the ancient name of "Hall" has been retained to reflect its long history and pre-collegiate university roots. At Oxford, the collegiate university comprises the colleges collectively associated with the academic departments and central offices. However, in legal, financial and organisational terms each college is an independent corporation, self-governing and self-contained. St Edmund Hall, in common with all Oxford colleges, has recently been granted status as a registered charity. Our current Principal, Professor Kathy Willis, joined the Hall in October 2018.

St Edmund Hall occupies a historic site in the middle of Oxford, just off the High Street. The College community has around 55 Fellows (most of whom form the Governing Body), and around 420 undergraduate and 300 graduate students in addition to administrative and domestic staff. The Queen's Lane main site accommodates many of our facilities, including the administration, Fellows' rooms, the Senior, Middle and Junior Common Rooms, Dining Halls and student accommodation. Our library is on this site, occupying the beautiful former church of St Peter-in-the-East, with an Old Library containing the College's Special Collection of rare books. We have further extensive student accommodation properties in north and east Oxford: in Norham Gardens, and on the Iffley Road and Dawson Street.

1. Responsibilities

The College seeks to appoint a Stipendiary Lecturer in Politics from Michaelmas Term 2019 to the end of Trinity Term 2020. This is a fixed-term post pending review of the College's lecturership arrangements.

The duties of the post are as follows:

- (i) To be responsible with Professor Karma Nabulsi, the Politics Fellow, for the organisation of the tuition and pastoral arrangements for students studying Politics. The College currently admits students to study Politics as part of the Schools of Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE), Modern History and Politics (MHP); and one or two Visiting Students. There are Fellows and Lecturers in Philosophy and in Economics.

The successful candidate will be required to provide three hours undergraduate tutorials and classes per week during term for St Edmund Hall. Candidates must be able to offer *either* teaching for the Political Theory component of the PPE Prelims course and the Theory of Politics core paper in the Honour School of PPE and MHP, *or* the Political Institutions (The Practice of Politics) component of the PPE Prelims, and the British Politics and Government core paper. The ability to teach any Politics Further Subjects (optional papers) would be an advantage. The Lecturer will work with the Tutorial Fellows in the organisation of outside tutors, monitoring the progress of students, writing and receiving reports, organising internal College examinations (Collections), writing references and contributing towards the College's framework of pastoral care for students. In addition, the Lecturer

will be expected to take part in undergraduate admissions, including Open Days; assist in assessing the applications of Visiting Students in Politics; and act as a graduate adviser.

- (ii) To cooperate with the Tutorial Fellows in the general organisation of PPE within the college. This includes the organisation of outside tutors, monitoring the progress of students, writing and receiving reports, organising internal College examinations (Collections), writing references and contributing towards the College's framework of pastoral care for students. The Lecturer will be expected to: take part in undergraduate admissions, including Open Days; assist in assessing the applications of Visiting Students in Politics; and act as a graduate adviser.

2. Stipend and Allowances

The stipend will be based on the Senior Tutors' Committee recommended scale for Stipendiary Lecturers in the range £6,756 - £7,599 per annum. The Lecturer will be eligible to join the USS pension scheme.

The successful candidate will be entitled to a research allowance (in 2018-19 at the rate of £750 per annum).

A shared teaching room and IT facilities will be provided.

The Lecturer will be a member of the Senior Common Room and will have the right to take lunch and dinner free of charge during both terms and vacation, save for short periods when the kitchen is closed.

3. Duration

The Stipendiary Lecturership in Politics begins on 1 October 2019 and end on 30 September 2020.

4. Applications

Applications should include a full *curriculum vitae* and a completed application cover sheet (available from the website), and should be submitted by email to the HR Manager via recruitment@seh.ox.ac.uk by noon BST on **Wednesday, 19 June 2019**.

Candidates should request two referees to write to the same email address by that date. It is expected that interviews for shortlisted candidates will take place in the week beginning 24 June 2019.