

## PLACEMENT OFFER FOR CURRICULAR TRAINEESHIP

Faculty of Philology, Translation and Communication

Master's Degree in Creative and Humanistic Translation



### Receiving institution information

**Institution name:** British Council

**Field of business:** Arts

**City/Country:** London/UK

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### Job characteristics

**Work period:** 26 June – 1 September;

**Duration of stay:** 10 weeks

**Financial support:** £15,500 per annum, pro rata

9am – 5pm; Monday – Friday

**Job title:** Literature Internship

### Job description

The Literature team in the UK work with British Council offices in more than 100 countries around the world to create programs that help to build those important connections and increase mutual knowledge and understanding. We work with individuals and organizations from all parts of the UK literature sector and their international counterparts. In all our programs we focus on creating international opportunities for emerging and mid-list writers; building an international network for the next generation of literature producers; and raising awareness of UK literature areas of strength that are less well known abroad. Due to the high profile success of our London Book Fair Market Focus program, there has been a recent significant increase in invitations to the UK to be Guest of Honor at Book Fairs around the world. The core part of the internship will be focused on helping the literature team to support the response to this demand as well as managing other exciting new projects, notably a new children's literature focus and our input into the 'Hull City of Culture 2017'. The ideal candidate will have some digital experience of working on materials for social media, online campaigns and commissioning, writing and uploading content. A proven experience and interest of Literature, particularly contemporary UK writing is a must, as is some experience working on projects with digital communications & social media through professional experiences or other means.

### Requirements

Applications close for our 2017 scheme on Sunday, 26 February at 23:59.

You must currently be a student, in at least your second year at University, and on target for a 2:1 degree (or equivalent), or you may also have graduated from your Bachelor's degree in 2016 achieving a 2:1 or above. You must hold at least a grade C or equivalent in Math's and English at GCSE. You must have the right to

work in the UK without restriction for the duration of the program. You must be available for the whole 10-week period without taking time for holiday. You must be available for a half day assessment center on either the 22 or 24 March 2017.

### Further information

Since we were set up in 1934, the British Council has developed thousands of partnerships with over 100 countries all over the world. It is a job that we take tremendous pride in, but none of it would be possible without the hard work of our teams in the UK. If you are keen to learn more about working for a global organization, and to make a real difference over the summer, then this opportunity is definitely for you. Each year we look to bring fresh ideas to the organization by taking a cohort of interns over the summer. We get to work with new talent and creativity, plus an insight into how we can deliver the best opportunities to young people; you get to learn new skills while on a paid internship and kick start to your international career. This year, we are looking for candidates with digital skills that hold the creative capability to develop impactful solutions to complex, real world problems for a truly global organization. If you are a recent graduate or undergraduate who is passionate about technology and eager to learn in our fast-paced environment then we would love to hear from you.

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