3 Year PhD Studentship available for January 2019

Department:  Leicester Law School

Eligibility:  UK/EU applicants only

Funding details:  UK/EU Tuition Fee waiver for 3 years (£4,260 in 2018/9)

Overview:
Leicester Law School is a research-led department committed to producing the highest quality scholarship while recognising the important relationship between excellence in research and in teaching.

We invite applications for two, three year full Home/EU fee waivers. The scholarship will pay full-time University UK tuition fees for three years. The scholarship is open to new postgraduate researchers only

Entry requirements:
Applicants must hold a UK undergraduate (Bachelors) degree with at least first class or upper second class honours or an equivalent qualification from a recognised overseas institution, and should normally have completed a Masters course in a similar subject area to your proposed research, with an average mark above 60% in the course and at least 65% in the dissertation.

The University of Leicester English language requirements apply where applicable.

How to apply:
Applications must include a complete set of documentation as listed below at the time the application is submitted:

- a research proposal, normally of 1000-1500 words
- writing sample in which an argument is made for a conclusion, rather than merely describing the facts or the law.
  a personal statement which explains why you are interested in the studentship, and why you would be a good person to appoint
- all supporting documents, including proof that you meet the academic and English language entry requirements. (Supporting documents not in English must be accompanied by a certified English translation.)
  
- two references from referees who are familiar with your academic work and who are able to comment on your ability to conduct research and to complete a PhD programme. We would prefer that you provide us with the names and contact details of these referees as part of your PhD application, so that we may obtain confidential references. In that case, please ensure that your referees submit the reference by the closing date set out above.

You should submit your application using our online application system.

Apply for Law Research /January 2019 In the funding section of the application please indicate you wish to be considered for Law Fee Scholarship

Project / Funding Enquiries:  Informal enquiries should be made to the School’s postgraduate administrator, Teresa Rowe, email: pglaw@le.ac.uk , tel: 0116 252 2370.