**Faculty of Arts Global Placement Grant 2023 Guidance**

# Guidance

Please read this guidance document in full prior to applying for the Faculty of Arts Global Placement Grant (GPG), if you require additional information or have questions please contact [arts-placements@nottingham.ac.uk](mailto:arts-placements@nottingham.ac.uk)

Applications for the Faculty of Arts GPG are welcome from University of Nottingham undergraduate students whose home school is within the Faculty of Arts (School of English, School of Humanities, or the School of CLAS) and who wish to apply for a grant to support them in undertaking a placement overseas during the summer vacation which is not required as part of their degree. To apply, students must also meet one of the following eligibility criteria:

* Be in receipt of a University of Nottingham core bursary or Nottingham Potential bursary
* Have a declared disability (If you haven't declared a disability to the university, please contact [arts-placements@nottingham.ac.uk](mailto:arts-placements@nottingham.ac.uk))
* The home address used on your UCAS application is in an area where people are less likely to go to university
* Be a mature student (21 or over at the start of your course)
* Have spent more than three months in local authority care
* Be under 25 and estranged from your family
* Be a carer
* Have refugee status from the Home Office
* Identify as having Black, Asian or Minority Ethnic (BAME) ethnicity

All sections of the application must be completed. Please ensure you also read the Faculty of Arts GPG Terms and Conditions before completing the application form.

Examples of work experience opportunities that are eligible include:

* A paid internship with a private sector business
* A volunteering opportunity
* Work shadowing
* An unpaid internship with a registered charity, voluntary organisation, associated fundraising body or statutory body

The final closing date for applications is midnight on Tuesday 11 April 2023. Late applications will not be accepted. **IN THE EVENT THAT THE GRANT IS OVERSUBSCRIBED THE CLOSING DATE MAY BE BROUGHT FORWARD, SO PLEASE APPLY AS SOON AS YOU CAN.**

# Introduction

The Faculty of Arts Placements Team administers the Faculty of Arts GPG – current undergraduate students can apply for a grant of up to £750 to assist them in undertaking work experience which is beyond the scope of their programme of study, outside of the UK in the summer vacation period.

# International Work Experience Grant (IWEG)

The Careers and Employability Service administer the International Work Experience Grant (IWEG). If you are unsuccessful in securing a Faculty of Arts GPG, your details will automatically be shared with the Careers and Employability Service for consideration for you to receive an IWEG without having to reapply.

The IWEG has different eligibility criteria so if you are not eligible to apply for a Faculty of Arts GPG, you may be able to apply for an IWEG instead. More information about the IWEG can be found on their website: [International Work Experience Grant - The University of Nottingham](https://www.nottingham.ac.uk/careers/students/work-experience/on-offer/funding-for-international-work-experience.aspx)