The Henry Moore Foundation’s Grants Programme supports a small number of two-year Post-doctoral Research Fellowships in the field of sculpture studies. Managed by the Henry Moore Institute, a centre for the study and enjoyment of sculpture based in Leeds, the Fellowships assist scholars who have recently completed doctoral studies to prepare a substantial publication or similar research output. The Foundation awards a grant of up to £21,000 per annum towards the Fellowship.

Applicants must have an affiliation with a British university department, that will act as host to the Fellow from September 2019. Fellows will be expected to present the development of their work quarterly to the Henry Moore Institute. Previous post-doctoral fellows have gained international recognition for their publications, with many now holding senior posts in academia and the arts more widely.

Applications marked ‘Post-doctoral Research Fellowship Grants’ should be sent by Monday 29 April 2019 to:

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Information Sheet for Applicants

Applications should consist of:

1. Curriculum vitae

2. References from applicant’s doctoral supervisor and one other academic referee, preferably an examiner

3. Discursive outline of publication / other research output plans, with expected timetable

4. Description from the host university of the resources, financial and other, to be made available to the candidate

5. Details from the host university of arrangements for teaching, if any, which the candidate may be expected to undertake

Information for Universities

The host department must be asked to provide the following information, to be included with the candidate’s application:

1. The department must confirm that the candidate will be accepted as a Post-doctoral Research Fellow if the award is made, indicating a named academic contact

2. The Foundation welcomes evidence that the department would be a particularly conducive place for the Fellow to pursue the research project, for example, details concerning the supervisor, research interests within the department, libraries, archives etc.

3. The Fellowships are worth up to £21,000 per year, to be paid as a Grant direct to the Fellow. In the normal course of events the Foundation will expect the host department to make a part-contribution. Departments should make clear to the Foundation the contribution they intend to make
4. The department should describe what resources would be made available to the candidate in order to support their research (for example computer facilities, travel grants, conference support etc.)

5. The department should indicate how much (if any) teaching will be expected of the Fellow, the nature of the teaching, and whether the Fellow will be paid for the teaching