



International Summer School in Forced Migration

5–17 July 2020

Refugee Studies Centre, Oxford

The Summer School offers an intensive, interdisciplinary and global approach to the study of forced migration. It enables people working with refugees and other forced migrants to reflect critically on the forces and institutions that dominate the world of the displaced.

The School, which has been running for over three decades, offers a two-week intensive course, combining the very best of Oxford University's academic excellence with a stimulating and participatory method of critical learning and reflection.

This course is suitable for policymakers and practitioners working on refugee protection and related issues, normally with several (usually at least five) years of work experience. Participants typically include staff of the main refugee, migration and humanitarian international organisations; staff from refugee, human rights and humanitarian NGOs; and government officials working on refugee protection and related issues. We are particularly keen to include those from a refugee background who work for refugee advocacy and community groups.

Participants also include scholars and researchers working directly on refugee and forced migration issues; practicing lawyers and advocates working in refugee and human rights law pertaining to forced migrants; journalists, commentators and activists working on refugee protection and the human rights of forced migrants.

Previous tutors and speakers include:

Dr Catherine Briddick, Professor Cathryn Costello, Professor Matthew J Gibney, Dr Maryanne Loughry, Liesbeth Schockaert, Professor Tom Scott-Smith

Dr Maher Abdulaziz, Professor Susan M. Akram, Professor Chris Bertram, Professor Alexander Betts, Dr Chaloka Beyani, Professor Dawn Chatty, Madeline Garlick, Dr Lee Jones, Professor Gaim Kibreab, Professor Chandran Kukathas, Professor Alessandro Monsutti, Professor Alison Phipps, Dr Jason Pobjoy, Dr Jessica Reinisch, Tawona Sithole.

How to apply

Please apply via the online application form:

www.rsc.ox.ac.uk/summer-school-apply

For all enquiries, please contact: summer.school@qeh.ox.ac.uk

Fees

Fee for 2020: £3,500.

This covers 13 nights' bed and breakfast accommodation; all tuition; all course materials, including reading materials; 3 lunches each week; and a range of social activities including welcome and farewell dinners. Evening and weekend meals are not included in the course fee. Participants will need to meet their own travel costs and arrange any country entry requirements.

Details of bursary funding can be found on our website:

www.rsc.ox.ac.uk/summer-school

Deadlines

Closing date for bursary applications: 21 February 2020.

Closing date for all other applications: 30 April 2020.

As there are a limited number of places available and the Summer School is typically oversubscribed, we recommend that you apply early and, if successful, confirm your place as soon as possible.

Find full information at: www.rsc.ox.ac.uk/summer-school

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