



Candidate Information

Position: Lecturer in Ancient History
School/Department: School of History, Anthropology, Philosophy and Politics
Reference: 26/113345
Closing Date: Monday 8 June 2026
Salary: £45,349 - £49,536 per annum.
Anticipated Interview Date: Tuesday 23 June 2026

JOB PURPOSE:

This is a permanent fulltime post to teach and supervise at undergraduate and postgraduate level in Ancient History, to deliver high-quality research appropriate to stage of career, and to contribute to the School's administration activity.

MAJOR DUTIES:

Teaching:

1. To design, convene, and teach Ancient History UG modules, including a Level 3 module based on the postholder's research expertise.
2. To contribute to other UG modules as required.
3. To contribute teaching to MA modules as required.
4. To supervise UG and postgraduate dissertations as required.
5. Develop approaches to teaching and learning which are appropriate for the subject area and reflect developing practice.
6. Contribute to the enhancement of quality teaching within the subject, school and university.
7. Develop and advise others on learning and teaching tasks and methods.
8. Contribute to the design of innovative teaching programmes.

Research:

1. Pursue research in Ancient History that is internationally excellent/world leading.
2. Produce publications that are internationally excellent/world-leading with quality peer-reviewed journals and publishers.
3. Deliver competitive and substantive research grant applications, and impact/engagement activities in Ancient History.
4. Contribute to the School's research culture. This will include contributing to research seminars, organizing and delivering to conferences, and other events as opportunities arise.

Administration/Contribution to the Community:

1. Carry out designated School administrative duties, including for example, committee work, course administration, etc.
2. Provide pastoral care for students in the School and ensure that all issues are dealt with in a timely, sympathetic and effective manner.
3. Contribute to the School's outreach strategy by developing external links.

ESSENTIAL CRITERIA:

1. Completed Ph.D. in Ancient History or cognate subject.
2. Evidence of research outputs of international academic quality in Ancient History appropriate to stage of career.
3. Evidence of ability to design, teach, and convene modules in Ancient History.
4. Evidence of ability to carry out administrative duties appropriate to post.
5. Excellent interpersonal and communication (written and oral) skills, including the ability to work as an effective team member.
6. Excellent oral communication and presentation skills, with sufficiently developed English language skills to deliver undergraduate and postgraduate education.
7. High level of analytical capability.

DESIRABLE CRITERIA:

1. PGCHET (or equivalent) and/or Associate Fellow/Fellow of the Higher Education Academy status, or equivalent.
2. Evidence of research output in the history of the Greek world, including late antiquity / the early Byzantine period.
3. Excellent knowledge of Ancient Greek.
4. Clear potential to contribute teaching across a range of Ancient History courses.
5. Evidence of engagement with research grant capture.
6. Evidence of effective and innovative teaching at University level appropriate to stage of career, including successful delivery of modules.
7. Clear potential to contribute to teaching at Masters level.
8. Clear potential to supervise undergraduate and postgraduate projects and dissertations.
9. Evidence of active international research collaboration or participation in international research networks.
10. Evidence of experience in the use of digital learning environments.
11. Evidence of experience in pastoral care and student support.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Informal enquiries can be directed to: Dr Ian Campbell - i.campbell@qub.ac.uk.