

## **2018 Teacher Fellowship Programme: Age of Revolutions**

### **Application guidance and Frequently Asked Questions**

#### **What will be expected of me on the course?**

The course is split into three stages, all of which are compulsory.

1. A four-day residential in Belgium from 8-11 February 2018, covering academic and teaching issues and a visit to the battlefield at Waterloo.
2. An 8-week online course, requiring 3 to 4 hours' reading and discussion per week, which will take place from 26 February-11 May 2018 (excluding Easter holidays).
3. A one-day workshop to explore course outcomes in July 2018 (date TBC).

#### **How will I be assessed?**

You will be awarded a Historical Association Teacher Fellowship on the successful creation of a resource for the benefit of other teachers by the end of summer 2018. This could take the form of a workshop for other teachers beyond your immediate school, an article for *Teaching History* or an online resource. Work will be assessed by members of the Association's committees and editorial boards.

Please note that copyright for any material you produce during this programme will be assigned to the Historical Association.

#### **Am I eligible to apply?**

The programme is open to all Secondary history teachers with a minimum of three to four years' teaching experience. There will be two Secondary streams: one led by Katie Hall focusing on Key Stage Three and the other by Ben Walsh focusing on A-level. There are approximately 10 places available per stream.

Applications are open to all who fit the eligibility criteria but please note that greater weight will be given to those from UK state funded schools.

Applicants must confirm they have support from their SLT. Please supply your head teacher's contact details for references. The selection panel may ask for one other referee.

**You must be able to attend both the residential in February 2018 in Belgium and the resources workshop in July 2018 in the UK. Accommodation and travel will be funded and cover costs provided for Friday 9 February.**

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#### Do I need to demonstrate I am already an expert in the history of the period?

A reasonable background and working knowledge of the period would be beneficial. Most importantly, you need to demonstrate a commitment to study and enthusiasm for your history teaching.

#### How do I apply?

Easy! Just tell us the following in no more than 800 words:

- Why you want to join the programme
- What you and your school hope to gain from your involvement
- How this will fit with your curriculum requirements and what age range you would be considering when teaching this period

Please include within this an indication of the areas of history you have concentrated on in your personal and professional study.

Then, additionally, in no more than 600 words, outline a series of lessons or teaching activities you are particularly proud of, reflecting upon how and why this has been a success. If you are unsure about the kind of thing you might choose, you could refer to [Teaching History's](#) Triumphs Show articles for inspiration.

Finally, please include an example of a scheme of work or other in-school teaching resource that you have written or worked on. This should preferably be linked to the period in consideration.

The application form is available to download on the Historical Association website. Please send completed applications along with supporting documents to the HA Education and Events Officer, Maheema Chanrai, by **Friday 27 October 2017**.

By email: [maheema.chanrai@history.org.uk](mailto:maheema.chanrai@history.org.uk)

By post: The Historical Association, 59a Kennington Park Road, London SE11 4JH. Please mark the envelope clearly with *2018 Teacher Fellowship – Secondary*.

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#### **Dates for your Diary**

##### 2017

Friday 27 October	Application deadline
Friday 17 November	Confirmation of places

##### 2018

Thursday 8 February (evening) – Sunday 11 February 2018 (afternoon)	Residential in Belgium
Monday 26 February – Friday 23 March	Online course weeks 1-4
Monday 16 April – Friday 11 May	Online course weeks 5-8
Saturday 14 July (TBC)	Resource workshop in London
Friday 31 August	Resource submission deadline