



THE LONDON SCHOOL  
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## LSE PhD Studentship in Demography/Population Studies at the London School of Economics

We are now accepting applications for the LSE PhD studentship scheme which will support students from the UK, EU and overseas for four years, covering full fees with an annual stipend of £18,000 and are for direct MPhil/PhD entry.

Awards will be made on the basis of academic merit and research potential.

**Career prospects:** Recent graduates from Demography/Population Studies PhD programmes have gone on to pursue academic careers, postdoctoral fellowships, senior consultancy roles and government jobs in the UK and overseas.

**Research environment:** The Department of Social Policy is the longest established in the UK and has received the highest possible rating in all Research Assessment Exercises carried out in the UK. Academic staff come from a range of disciplines and include an expanding group of demographers and population scientists. PhD students in Demography/Population Studies will join a thriving cohort of research students, with an excellent research environment, including fortnightly research seminars organised by PhD students.

**Entry requirements:** For those wishing to apply for an LSE studentship a relevant master's degree (or equivalent) with marks equivalent to the LSE high merit grade of marks of over 65% for both overall average and dissertation is required; any conditional offer for a place on the MPhil/PhD programme will be subject to obtaining such marks.

Part-time registration is available to students who need to spread their studies over a longer period because of outside commitments and can provide documentary evidence of this need.

### Are you interested?

1. Send an email to Dr Arjan Gjonça ([a.gjonca@lse.ac.uk](mailto:a.gjonca@lse.ac.uk)) to register your interest.
2. Send an email to a potential supervisor (see [Population@LSE](mailto:Population@LSE) for a list of potential supervisors  
<http://www.lse.ac.uk/socialPolicy/Researchcentresandgroups/populationAtLSE/Introduction.aspx>) with your CV and draft research proposal.
3. Applicants wishing to be considered for LSE funding should send their 1500 word research proposal and a brief CV to Dr. Arjan Gjonça by the **17th of February 2014**.

Final nominations to the school will be made by the Population@LSE group the week beginning the **3rd of March**.

4. If your research interests are a suitable match to those of population cluster members and your academic achievements are considered to be suitable, you will then be asked to submit a complete PhD application to the LSE. For more information on graduate application at the LSE see: <http://www.lse.ac.uk/study/graduate/home.aspx>
5. Decisions from the School are expected to be made at the beginning of May.

For more information on applications please the [Social Policy webpages](#)