Call for Editor Position at *Exchanges* (Warwick University)

*Exchanges: the Warwick Research Journal*

**About Exchanges**
*Exchanges: The Interdisciplinary Research Journal* is a peer-reviewed, fully open access journal, dedicated to the publication of high-quality interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary research by scholars in any field. Published since 2013 by the Institute of Advanced Study at the University of Warwick, the title particularly attracts and provides a venue for innovative research articles from emerging domain experts and early career researchers (ECRs). The title is currently published twice annually, and increasingly attracts submissions from ECRs globally. The title’s mission is to encourage intellectual exchange and debate across research communities, achieved through providing a quality-assured publication platform with articles suitable for a cross-disciplinary audience. *Exchanges* is also committed to providing a readily accessible and supportive environment through which first-time authors and editors can develop superior academic writing and publishing skills.

**Editorial Board Opportunity**
Exchanges is managed by a Senior Editor based at the University of Warwick, UK, and edited by an international Editorial Board (editors), comprised of early career researchers from Warwick and its global research partners. As part of its increasing global reach, an exciting opportunity has arisen for an additional ECR or late-stage PhD candidate to join as an editor from Monash University. Applications hailing from emerging scholars in the arts, humanities or social sciences would be especially welcomed. No prior experience in editing is required, although some familiarity with the process of scholarly publishing would be desirable. The successful candidate will be provided with support, advice and mentoring through their initial editing experiences.

**Role Requirements**
Editors are assigned responsibility by the Senior Editor for initially reviewing and then guiding submitted articles within their broad disciplinary area (e.g. social sciences) through the peer review and copyediting process. Throughout this process, editors communicate with authors and reviewers, before reaching an informed decision, in collaboration with the Senior Editor, on whether to accept or decline each assigned submission for publication. Editors also contribute to encouraging potential author submissions alongside promoting the journal within their professional networks. All work is managed using the Open Journal System (OJS) online platform.
Additionally, editors contribute insight and support to the Senior Editor with regards to the journal’s development, and will benefit from joining an engaged community of emerging scholars alongside gaining career advantageous experience in publishing. Applicants can expect to be responsible for editing between 3-6 articles annually, depending on the range of submissions to Exchanges.

**Next Steps**

Potential applicants are encouraged to contact the Senior Editor, Dr Gareth J Johnson (exchangesjournal@warwick.ac.uk) directly for more details, or to speak to the current Monash based editors Roy Rozario (roy.rozario@monash.edu) or Natasha Abrahams (nbabr1@student.monash.edu) for information on the practical experience of being an Exchanges editor.

The closing date for applications is **Sunday 30th September 2018**. Exchanges reserves the right to close the call sooner if a suitable applicant is found, hence prospective candidates are encouraged to approach the Senior Editor as soon as is practical.