



GW4 Crucible – ‘Resilience, Environment & Sustainability’ Application guidelines

GW4 Crucible is aimed at talented early- to mid-career researchers from all disciplines who have already begun to demonstrate success within their field and have an ongoing commitment to a career in research within GW4.

We are looking for researchers who are prepared to embrace new and challenging thinking and have an interest in research and society beyond their own field.

We welcome applicants from the Universities of Bath, Bristol, Cardiff and Exeter. The theme of this year’s programme is ‘Resilience, Environment & Sustainability’ and we encourage applications from **all** backgrounds within this broad theme. To be eligible, you must be employed by one of the participating institutions until May 2018. In addition, we expect you to have a minimum of three years’ postdoctoral experience or equivalent. **If your job title does not directly match the description below but you think you would be a good candidate for this programme, please contact us to discuss your circumstance further.**

At the University of Bath, applicants are expected to be Research Associates, Research Fellows, Prize Fellows or Lecturers.

At the University of Bristol, applicants are expected to be on Profile levels b or c, i.e. Lecturers, Senior Research Associates or Research Fellows.

At Cardiff University, applicants are expected to be experienced Research Staff, Research Fellows and Lecturers on a Teaching and Research Career Pathway.

At the University of Exeter, applicants are expected to be experienced Research Staff, Research Fellows, Senior Research Fellows or Lecturers on the Education and Research Career Pathway.

Applicants must demonstrate:

- Excellence in their research
- Interest and/or experience in interdisciplinary research (including relevant experience to the Resilience, Environment, and Sustainability theme)
- Creative and innovative thinking
- Interests outside basic research
- Excellent communication skills
- Ability to communicate their commitment and understanding of Crucible’s mission

To receive an application pack, contact the GW4 Officers, Claudia Gumm and Pam Lock, on people-gw4@bristol.ac.uk. Please include a little information on your current role, your line of research and one or two lines on why you are interested in applying. **The deadline for expressions of interest is Friday 10 November 2017.** The final deadline for completed applications is midday on Monday 20th November 2017.