

Archives By-Fellowships

Archives By-Fellowships are open to researchers engaged in academic projects at a post-doctoral level or at a more senior level.

- ✓ Elected for **one full term** (eight weeks) and on the basis that their **research demands extensive use of papers in the Churchill Archives Centre**.
- ✓ Encouraged to **give a talk** and contribute to Archives Centre events.
- ✓ Able to **rent accommodation on site** and to **exercise defined dining rights**.
- ✓ **Entitled to make use of all college facilities available to Fellows**, and will have membership of the Senior Combination Room during their time in the College and will be encouraged to take part in college social activities.
- ✓ Apply for either the **John Antcliffe Archives By-Fellowship** to support research on the political, economic or social history of the 'Thatcher era' or the **Churchill Fellowship Annual Grant** (UK citizens only) **to receive £3,000 in each case**.



APPLY



Applications are made to the Archives Committee, which then makes recommendations to the Fellowship Electors of Churchill College. Applications will be **judged on the quality and promise** of the research project.

Applicants must:

submit a summary of their research project, a full CV, and publication list

nominate two referees and ask them to forward references to the Director of the Churchill Archives Centre.

The **deadline** for applications for the next academic year is **31 December** this year.

By-Fellowship Testimonials



"The byfellowship has been a good experience for me to 'tie loose ends' that my PhD had left open. In particular, I was able to get a broader sense of the audiences that the nuclear industry wanted to communicate to and include a greater in-depth study of the relationship between the nuclear industry and the Royal Society's Public Understanding of Science initiative in the mid-1980s."

Dr Josh McMullan, University of Leicester

"The By-Fellowship has changed everything, as I knew it would! Thanks to the expert insights of the brilliant archive team, I was able to look at how social scientists helped imagine the future of work in the 1950s and 60s. I now have plans to follow up with research at LSE and Imperial College archives, where much early industrial sociology was conducted. Being a By-Fellow has been a fantastic, enriching experience and I'd encourage anyone with relevant interests to consider applying. Just keep an open mind as you never know what connections the archivists might make for you!"

Dr Alix Green, University of Essex



"The By-Fellowship was of tremendous benefit to my research – which is for a biography of the diplomat Sir Frank Kenyon Roberts – as it allowed me to explore the rich archival and library resources available in a depth that otherwise would not have been possible. The collegiality, encouragement and helpfulness of the staff and fellows at Churchill made my time there memorable and special in every respect. I am most grateful for the opportunity provided by the By-Fellowship."

Dr Jonathan Colman, University of Central Lancashire