

# Assistant Professor (Teaching & Scholarship) in Politics and International Relations

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## POSITION OVERVIEW

<b>Department</b>	Politics and International Relations
<b>Location</b>	London, Devon House (St Katherines Dock)
<b>Term</b>	Full-time; Fixed term (12 months, potentially renewable)
<b>Salary</b>	£38,000-£45,000 per annum
<b>Benefits</b>	Generous benefits package including 25 days holiday allowance pro rata (excl. Bank holidays), group life assurance, group income protection, pension schemes and private healthcare (optional)
<b>Start</b>	1 August 2022

## The role

The New College of Humanities at Northeastern wishes to appoint a full-time Assistant Professor (Teaching and Scholarship) in Politics and International Relations. The appointee will be an active member of the Politics and International Relations Faculty with responsibility to teach on politics and international relations courses, across both our mobility and degree programmes.

We wish to appoint a specialist in politics and international relations. Preference may be given to candidates with active interests in the relationship of politics and international relations to one or more of the following areas: security studies, international organisations, sustainability, international political economy.

Core duties will include: teaching across a range of courses in the faculty, contributing to the development and enhancement of scholarship in the faculty, liaising with colleagues across the

Northeastern global network, supporting faculty admissions and other functions, as required.

We particularly encourage applications from those with an interest in innovative teaching, learning and assessment; those with experience of supporting a wide variety of students; and those belonging to groups underrepresented in UK higher education. We are open to appointing on a reduced fraction/job-share basis subject to our business needs.

## Department

Politics and International Relations is a large interdisciplinary faculty which reflects the breadth and depth of both our academic discipline and the ethos of New College of the Humanities. The study of Politics and International Relations comprises political theory looking at normative questions, ideas, and ideology; political science looking at the organisation of government and society; and international relations, the only field specifically concerned with 'the international' and related problems of anarchy, security, economy, globalisation, and the conflictual and cooperative engagement between states.

## About the College

Founded in 2012, New College of the Humanities has established itself as a prestigious higher education institution based in the heart of London. After becoming part of Northeastern University's global network in early 2019, the College has undergone a period of rapid growth, having been granted Taught Degree Awarding Powers in February 2020 and moved to a new, state-of-the-art campus in 2021. NCH continues to grow further expanding its student cohort, courses, network and opportunities.

## Additional Information

### Enquiries

Informal enquiries may be made to Dr Pablo Calderon-Martinez ([Pablo.calderon-martinez@nchlondon.ac.uk](mailto:Pablo.calderon-martinez@nchlondon.ac.uk)) and/or Dr Sara Raimondi ([sara.raimondi@nchlondon.ac.uk](mailto:sara.raimondi@nchlondon.ac.uk)). However, all applications must be made in accordance with the application process specified.

### Application Process

Applications should be made via [this link](#) by 20:00 on 24 May 2022 Please reference your application "POLSR231".

Please ensure that your application includes a CV and **dossier** (alternatively, an equivalent cover letter) that sets out concisely and in ways relevant to this role: (a) your achievements and challenges in the last 12-months, and in your career to-date, in education; (b) what your priorities would be in performing the advertised role; (c) what your objectives are for your future career; (d) a statement of your approach to education. You may use bullet points if you wish. You can consult our academic job description [here](#).

Participation in the equal opportunities section is encouraged, but voluntary. Applications are welcome from all sections of the community and will be judged on merit alone. We welcome applications from underrepresented groups. Candidates must be able to demonstrate their eligibility to work in the UK in accordance with the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006. The College can potentially provide sponsorship for this role.

## Person Specification Criteria

### Qualifications

- PhD completed, or near completion (all but dissertation), or equivalent professional experience, in a relevant area.

### Key Criteria

- Demonstrates, through evidence, excellent ability as to be adaptable, innovative, and inclusive in the role as advertised with regards to teaching and service
- Flexibility and capacity to teach across a wide range of courses
- Ability to develop excellent educational provision in areas with significant appeal to students, including at postgraduate level
- Willingness and capacity to undertake continuous professional development in relation to the use of technology, software, and data in relation to the discipline, and to teach on these matters