Role Profile

Role Title | Data entry volunteer
Department / Institution | Archive Centre, St John’s College

Why we want you

We need someone who likes names and dates to enter information into a database for us.

What you will gain from this role

You will get to work in a 13th century building – completely modernised – and learn some of what it takes to be an Archivist (or what an Archivist does!)

Skills required: the ability to read English, bad handwriting and dates. Some of the files are dusty and there is some lifting involved. Training will be giving on the database (which is based on Microsoft Access).

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<th>When</th>
<th>One morning a week, either Monday or Tuesday from 10.00-1.00</th>
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<td>Time commitment</td>
<td>3-4hrs/week</td>
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<td>Duration</td>
<td>Until the project is completed</td>
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<td>Responsible to</td>
<td>The Archivist</td>
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<td>Training and support</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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Legal check requirements for this role

We have a legal responsibility to ensure that you have the right to volunteer in the UK before you can start volunteering for us. If you do not have the right to volunteer in the UK already we will not be able to progress your interest any further.

DBS Check required? NO

How to apply for this volunteer role

To submit an expression of interest in this role email: archivist@joh.cam.ac.uk

Should you have any questions that are not covered by the Role Profile sheet then please email: archivist@joh.cam.ac.uk

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