

## Are you interested in being a BSA Postgraduate Forum Co-convenor?

The BSA Postgraduate Forum (PGF) is looking for enthusiastic new convenors to join the team. Convenors work together to make sure that student members of the Association are kept up-to-date with matters of specific interest to them.

Running a BSA Special Interest Group is a great opportunity and as a co-convenor you will have an important role within the BSA. As well as being one of the main officers and a named contact for the Forum, you will also get the chance to spearhead new initiatives that will benefit the PGF community, connecting and collaborating with those who share your passion. Activities conveners have been involved in include organising publication workshops for PGRs with leading BSA journals and editors, organising welcome events at conference, supporting regional PGR events, and securing membership reductions for all PGRs for the BSA. All in all this is a very rewarding experience, giving you the opportunity to become more involved with your Association and the discipline.

Ideally, the candidate would have experience in creating social media content and managing platforms, particularly LinkedIn and preferably be in the early/middle stage of their PhD rather than near completion, to ensure they can commit to the role for a longer period.

The successful applicant will receive complimentary registration and travel expenses will be covered for the **BSA 2027 Annual Conference.** 

Life as a Convenor does require a time commitment and, while this can be flexible and shared between Convenors, we would recommend discussing this with your supervisor before applying. However, we feel the depth it can add to the whole PhD experience – providing the opportunity to engage and collaborate with postgraduates and senior academics nationally - unquestionably makes up for that.

<u>Read more</u> about the role of a PGF Convenor. To apply, please email the <u>BSA Membership Team</u> an expression of interest that includes what you could bring to, and how you could benefit from, the role by (around 200 words) **1**<sup>st</sup> **February 2026.**