

StudentShapers Recruitment: Calling all STEMM students

Academic Integrity Research

Bursary: £325 a week for 10 weeks

Who should apply: This is open to students on STEMM courses across Imperial. Two places are available and it would help to recruit students from different disciplines.

Campus/Location: The project will be conducted remotely

Project details:

This is a full-time opportunity for two students for 10 weeks over the summer period, with the exact dates to be agreed by the project team.

The objective is to develop some small-scale academic integrity research case studies, which can be used in the I-Explore STEMM module, Academic Integrity in STEMM. We will also be working to publish these externally, so some experience with academic writing and simple research methods would be useful, as would a willingness to present the results to future students.

Here is an example of a published academic paper I wrote with a student partner on a related project last year:

<https://edintegrity.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1007/s40979-021-00070-0>.

I hope to use the project to extend on the range of research examples that are already available for the module. The exact research topic or topics are open to discussion. Your ideas are welcome. Academic integrity is a relatively small field of research, but this is an opportunity to engage beyond the normal Imperial course curriculum, to contribute to an area with impact and to collaborate with an internationally recognised researcher in the field.

To participate you are not expected to have studied academic integrity itself, but you are expected to have a commitment to core ethical values and a desire to make a positive change to educational practice.

How to apply:

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To apply, please send an email expression of interest to Dr Thomas Lancaster (t.lancaster@imperial.ac.uk) of 300 to 500 words detailing your interest in academic integrity, any research experience you bring to the role, any ideas for areas to investigate and why you would like to engage with this partnership.

Informal interviews or meetings may be used as part of the selection process.

Deadline: Wednesday 21 April at 12 noon.

Contact details: Please apply by email to Dr Thomas Lancaster (t.lancaster@imperial.ac.uk)