StudentShapers Recruitment: Calling all Year 2, 3 and 4 students

Being a Student in the Digital Age

Bursary:	**£50 per half day (approximately 17.5 half days)**
Who should apply:	**Year 2, 3 and 4 students**
Campus/Location:	**Imperial College London campuses**
Deadline:	**30th September 2019, 5 pm**
Contact details:	**m.pazio@imperial.ac.uk**

Project details

"Being a Student in the Digital Age" is a research project that investigates student experiences of learning at a university and what role technology plays in it. It uses digital storytelling methodology to collect students' individual experiences of what it means to be a student. A similar project has been run before at the London School of Economics and is currently conducted at the University of Sydney. We will be adding the Imperial voice to those already existing data sets to look for similarities and differences. We are looking for six students (in their 2nd/ 3rd/final year) to partner in the research project from October 2019 to February 2020 (approximately 3 hours per week). Understanding student experience is crucial for a successful execution of the Teaching and Learning strategy and improving learning at Imperial.

Your role:

You will:

- recruit students for short individual and group interviews,
- conduct the interviews and video record them,
- participate in the analysis and creation of digital stories that will represent the data

Application criteria:

We are looking for someone who:

- has excellent verbal (and written) communication skills,
- is willing to share knowledge and ideas
- is able to work independently and in a team to support project goals
- able to organise work to meet deadlines
- is able to use own device to record video/ audio footage (being able to edit video footage is a desirable skill)

Expected skill development/outcomes:

You will gain a first hand experience of conducting qualitative research. You will gain better understanding of the ethics of qualitative research. You will play an important role in creating the output – a series of digital stories that depict the student experience. This output will be shown at conferences and used for staff training purposes. You will also have an opportunity to connect with students working at this project at the University of Sydney.

How to apply:

Please apply with your CV and a short video (up to 5 minutes). In the video you will demonstrate how you have the skills necessary to collaborate on the project. If you do not feel comfortable being on camera you can use images with audio file. Please email your application (CV and the video) to Dr Monika Pazio (m.pazio@imperial.ac.uk) and contact her if you have any further questions. Please share your files via OneDrive or a free service such as We Transfer (https://wetransfer.com) to send the video file.