**MPhil/PhD Studentship: MOSTYN Digital**

School of Creative Arts

Wrexham Glyndŵr University

MOSTYN Wales Cymru

**Graduate Teaching Assistant – Digital Curator of Media and Content**

Qualification type: MPhil/PhD

Location: Wrexham and Llandudno

Funding for: UK/EU Students

Funding Amount: 80% FTE for 3 years, FT fees and 20% FTE GTA (I day/week) salary

Hours: Full-time

Closing date: 20th December 2016, close of day

**The project:**

Applicants are invited for an MPhil/PhD studentship, co-funded by MOSTYN and the ‘School of Creative Arts’ Research Centre at Wrexham Glyndŵr University.

The MPhil/PhD studentship is designed to investigate and identify the existing digital content and design a methodology for construction of new platforms for the development and curation of future digital outputs. The MPhil/PhD is funded 80% FTE for 3 years, FT fees and 20% FTE GTA (I day/week) salary made available by the University and MOSTYN.

The aim of the project is to:

* identify ways in which digital technology is transcending conventional structures of programming, display and engagement
* re-assess approaches to the digital e.g. as an ‘add on’, making it instead the core of the institution’s operations and programmes.
* identify the impact on the way the gallery institution and audiences are adapting to the above phenomena
* develop an understanding of existing digital content from the institution’s perspective and an audience perspective
* implement a digital programme strand of activities and experiments e.g. initiating digital residencies for artists and technologists
* establish the foundation of a searchable digital archive and resource to serve as a basis for future research
* integrate relations and evidence audience engagement/reaction

This research will build upon MOSTYN’s existing digital footprint and the evidence based currently available from its programme of activities in order to reshape perception and understanding.

The project will provide training in all relevant aspects of the research process.

For further information about the project, contact Professor Alec Shepley alec.shepley@glyndwr.ac.uk

For information about Wrexham Glyndwr University and how to apply, see vacancies at www.glyndwr.ac.uk

For information about MOSTYN, see www.mostyn.org

**Candidate requirements:**

You will need:

* A covering letter stating that you are applying.
* A personal statement (100 words max).
* A summary of why you are applying and an indication of your approach to the project (250 words max).
* A CV, including full details of skills (especially digital), university course grades, research experience, exhibitions, projects, curatorial activities, publications and conference presentations and employment.
* A copy of your degree certificates and transcripts.
* A copy of English Language training certificates (e.g. IELTS) for candidates who aren't native English or Welsh language users and who don't have a degree from a British University, or equivalent proof of language knowledge at the appropriate standard.
* A summary of a research project to which the candidate contributed.
* Names and full contact details of 2 referees.

**(All as one single pdf)**

**Ysgoloriaeth MPhil/PhD: MOSTYN Digidol**

Ysgol y Celfyddydau Creadigol

Prifysgol Glyndŵr Wrecsam

**Cynorthwy-ydd Dysgu Graddedig (CDG) - Curadur Digidol: Cyfryngau a Chynnwys**

Y math o gymhwyster: MPhil/PhD

Lleoliad: Wrecsam

Cyllid ar gyfer: Myfyrwyr y DU/UE

Maint y Cyllid: 80% CALl (cyfwerth ag amser llawn) am 3 blynedd, ffioedd LlA a 20% cyflog CDG CALl (I diwrnod/wythnos)

Oriau: Amser llawn

Dyddiad cau: 20fed Rhagfyr 2016, ddiwedd y dydd

**Y prosiect:**

Gwahoddir ymgeiswyr am ysgoloriaeth ymchwil MPhil/PhD, a ariennir ar y cyd gan MOSTYN a Chanolfan Ymchwil Ysgol y Celfyddydau ym Mhrifysgol Glyndŵr Wrecsam.

Mae'r ysgoloriaeth ymchwil MPhil/PhD wedi ei chynllunio i ymchwilio a nodi’r cynnwys digidol sy'n bodoli eisoes a dylunio methodoleg i adeiladu llwyfannau newydd i ddatblygu a churadu allbynnau digidol yn y dyfodol. Mae’r MPhil/PhD wedi’i ariannu’n 80% CALl (cyfwerth ag amser llawn) am 3 blynedd, ffioedd LlA a 20% cyflog CDG CALl (I diwrnod/wythnos) ar gael gan y Brifysgol a MOSTYN.

Nod y prosiect yw:

* nodi ffyrdd y mae technoleg ddigidol yn mynd y tu hwnt i strwythurau confensiynol arddangos ac ymgysylltu
* ail-asesu ymagweddau at y digidol e.e. fel rhywbeth 'ychwanegol at y brif peth'
* canfod yr effaith ar y ffordd y mae sefydliad a chynulleidfaoedd yr oriel yn ymaddasu i'r ffenomena uchod
* datblygu dealltwriaeth o gynnwys digidol sy'n bodoli eisoes o safbwynt y sefydliad a safbwynt cynulleidfa
* rhoi llinyn rhaglen ddigidol o weithgareddau ac arbrofion ar waith e.e. cychwyn preswyliadau digidol ar gyfer artistiaid a thechnolegwyr
* sefydlu sylfaen archif ac adnoddau digidol chwiliadwy a fydd yn gweithredu fel sylfaen ar gyfer ymchwil yn y dyfodol
* integreiddio cysylltiadau a dangos ymgysylltu/ymateb y gynulleidfa

Bydd yr ymchwil hwn yn adeiladu ar ôl-troed digidol presennol MOSTYN a’r sylfaen tystiolaeth sydd ar gael ar hyn o bryd o’i rhaglen o weithgareddau er mwyn ailffurfio canfyddiad a dealltwriaeth.

Bydd y prosiect yn darparu hyfforddiant ym mhob agwedd berthnasol ar y broses ymchwil.

I gael rhagor o wybodaeth am y prosiect, cysylltwch â’r Athro Alec Shepley

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I gael gwybodaeth am Brifysgol Glyndŵr Wrecsam a sut i wneud cais, gweler [www. Blah blah blah](http://www.bristol.ac.uk/study/postgraduate/apply)

Gofynion Ymgeiswyr:

Bydd arnoch angen:

* Llythyr eglurhaol yn nodi eich bod yn gwneud cais.
* Datganiad personol (100 gair ar y mwyaf).
* Crynodeb yn nodi pam yr ydych yn gwneud cais ac awgrym o'ch ymagwedd at y prosiect (250 gair ar y mwyaf).
* CV, gan gynnwys manylion llawn eich sgiliau (yn enwedig rhai digidol), graddau eich cwrs prifysgol, profiad ymchwil, arddangosfeydd, prosiectau, gweithgareddau curadurol, cyhoeddiadau a chyflwyniadau cynhadledd a chyflogaeth.
* Copi o dystysgrifau a thrawsgrifiadau eich gradd.
* Copi o dystysgrifau hyfforddiant iaith Saesneg (e.e. IELTS) yn achos ymgeiswyr nad ydynt yn ddefnyddwyr iaith Saesneg brodorol a sydd heb radd gan Brifysgol Brydeinig.
* Crynodeb o brosiect ymchwil y mae'r ymgeisydd wedi cyfrannu ato.
* Enwau a manylion cyswllt llawn 2 ganolwr.

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