

PhD Student Exchange

The CamPo exchange offers a fee-waiver between Cambridge and Sciences Po. As visiting students, CamPo PhD students will have access to all the institutional support. As there is no dedicated funding for PhD students exchanges, participants are advised to contact their institution (College and Department, École de la Recherche and Centre) to enquire about travel funds available.

a. *Funding and Resources*

- In Paris, visiting CamPo PhD students will be affiliated with one of the Sciences Po [research centres](#) and with the École de la Recherche. They will have access to desk space in one of the research centres (whenever possible and usually in a shared open space), a library card and access to Sciences Po online resources. Students will be assigned a member of the faculty as their institutional point of contact at Science Po. The Sciences Po [student handbook](#) includes semesters dates and other relevant information.
- In Cambridge, visiting CamPo PhD students will be affiliated with a host department and provided with desk space (whenever possible and usually in a shared open space), a library card and access to Cambridge online resources. Students will be assigned a member of the faculty as their institutional point of contact. Visiting CamPo PhD students will be encouraged to play a full part in the academic life of the host department, through participation in seminars and interaction with the [POLIS faculty](#). Here are the University of Cambridge [term dates](#), for information. Campo PhD visitors should plan to book a suitable accommodation in reasonable time ahead of their exchange. Cambridge visitors are college affiliated and, subject to availability, may be able to rent accommodation through the college, after confirmation of the award, by contacting the college directly. The University also has an [Accommodation Service](#) which may be able to assist.

b. *Eligibility*

All PhD students active in the arts, humanities and social sciences whose research would benefit from spending a period of time of up to three months in their non-home institution are encouraged to apply to this programme.

Visiting students should arrange their stay so that it coincides with the teaching terms in Cambridge and Paris.

It is essential to seek support from an academic sponsor in the department they wish to visit before applying and a confirm with the department/faculty that they are prepared to support their exchange.

c. *Selection process and criteria*

Applicants should provide the following documentation of up to two A4 pages in PDF format:

- Their CV;
- A short outline of their PhD project;
- A letter of recommendation from their supervisor (aimed at supporting application)
- Their Host department letter of support

Proposals may be submitted via this [online application](#).

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d. Reporting

As a condition of the award, each awardee will be asked to provide a brief report on the about their exchange. A report template will be provided with the letter of award.

Reports are due within thirty days of the end-date proposed in the original application.