**REP Student Application Form 2024 - home-fee eligible undergraduate students from Minority Ethnic backgrounds**

In order to address a historical imbalance, it is our ambition to offer up to two Research Experience Placements to Minority Ethnic Home applicants who meet the general eligibility requirements for participating undergraduate students.

**Eligibility**

Eligibility for the CENTA-Wide Research Experience Placements is limited to students who identify as being from a Minority Ethnic background and who are classed as Home students. Your application via this route will only be taken forward if you can answer YES to both questions below.

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| **Do you identify as being from a Minority Ethnic background?** | **YES/NO** |
| **Are you classed as a Home student?** | To be eligible for a full (Home) award candidates must meet the following criteria:  • Be a UK National (meeting residency requirements), or  • Have settled status, or  • Have pre-settled status (meeting residency requirement) or,  • Have indefinite leave to remain or enter, or;  • Be an Irish National  (For further information please see Annex B in the following document:  <https://www.ukri.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/UKRI-020424-TrainingGrantTermsConditionsGuidanceApril2024.pdf>  Please indicate whether these criteria apply to you.  **YES/NO** |

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| **Student name** |  |
| **Current institution** |  |
| **Degree course** |  |
| **Year** |  |
| **Please let us know your availability to undertake the placement over summer 2024** |  |
| **EDI Survey Completion Receipt Number**  This can be obtained by going to:  [REP EDI survey](https://app.onlinesurveys.jisc.ac.uk/s/bham/rep-edi-survey-2024) | **Application forms without this number will automatically be rejected.** |

***Students are required to submit a CV alongside their application, CV’s should not be longer than 2 pages.***

Q1. What sort of project do you wish to undertake as a placement and how do you think it will benefit your undergraduate programme? *(300 words maximum)*

Q2, What skills, aptitude and experience will you bring to a placement *(300 words maximum)*

Q3. Is there anything else you would like to tell us in support of your application? *(300 words maximum)*