

**STFC ERNEST RUTHERFORD FELLOWSHIPS 2011
CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**

The School of Physics and Astronomy invites expressions of interest from candidates wishing to apply to STFC for an Ernest Rutherford Fellowship to be held in association with the School of Physics and Astronomy at the University of Manchester.

Informal enquiries may be made to:

Astronomy & Astrophysics

Prof Albert Zijlstra, email: albert.zijlstra@manchester.ac.uk, Tel: 0161 306 3925

Further information: <http://www.ib.man.ac.uk/research/opportunities/>

Nuclear Physics (Experimental)

Prof Jon Billowes, email: jon.billowes@manchester.ac.uk, Tel: 0161 275 4104

Further information: <http://www.nuclear.manchester.ac.uk/>

Nuclear Physics (Theoretical)

Prof Mike Birse, email: mike.birse@manchester.ac.uk, Tel: 0161 275 4206

Further information: <http://www.theory.physics.manchester.ac.uk/>

Particle Physics

Prof Stefan Soldner-Rembold, email: Stefan.Soldner-rembold@manchester.ac.uk,

Tel: 0161 275 4178 Further information: <http://www.hep.man.ac.uk/>

Expressions of interest must be submitted to the School of Physics & Astronomy by **Wednesday 31 August 2011** and should include:

- a full curriculum vitae,
- a brief description of your proposed research project (max 2 sides A4) and
- the names of three referees

Please send your documents to the relevant contact named above by email (preferred) and copied to thomas.wise@manchester.ac.uk, or to the above contact by post to the following address:

School of Physics & Astronomy
The University of Manchester
Oxford Road
Manchester
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You will be contacted by Monday 12 September 2011 as to whether your application will be endorsed by the School and, if you are successful, we will work with you on your proposed research plan and application for the STFC deadline of 12 October 2011.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in the School of Physics & Astronomy.

Further information on the STFC Ernest Rutherford Fellowship scheme is available on the STFC website: <http://www.stfc.ac.uk/Funding+and+Grants/509.aspx>
