

Guidelines for referees

Culham Centre for Fusion Energy Culham Fusion Research Fellowship

INFORMATION FOR REFEREES

CCFE intends to appoint a promising researcher in the early stages of a research career to a fixed-term post. The successful candidate will be required to work as an independent researcher within a wider team in the area of magnetic confinement fusion. This can be in theoretical or experimental physics (including materials), engineering or technology.

Applicants are asked to arrange for not fewer than two referees to write directly to

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References need to be received by the closing date, **28 February 2012**. E-mail references are not acceptable.

Referees should be aware that the appointee should be able to demonstrate:

- (i) For UK students a good Honours degree, or for EU / International students a qualification equivalent to a good Honours degree.
- (ii) Achievement (commensurate with the candidate's career level) in a field of research in physics, applied mathematics, engineering or materials science at a standard which will contribute to and enhance the national and international profile of CCFE, as demonstrated by
 - a doctoral thesis and/or published or forthcoming articles in refereed journals demonstrating research achievements (the thesis need not be complete at time of application, but should be submitted before employment);
 - evidence of future research plans;
 - evidence of exceptional achievement in the form of reference letters from internationally recognised researchers.
- (iii) A strong interest in working in an area related to magnetic confinement fusion, and intention to pursue research in this area.

CCFE is grateful to referees for their assistance, and hopes that they will understand the impracticability of acknowledging receipt of referees' letters.