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| **EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES MONITORING**  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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The Grand Union Doctoral Partnership is proud to support a diverse group of students and post-doctoral fellows. It is our policy and practice that funding will be determined only by criteria which are related to an ESRC studentship or fellowship, and no applicant will be treated less favourably than another because of his or her age, disability, ethnicity, marital or civil partnership status, parental status, religion or belief, sex or sexual orientation.

We collect equal opportunities monitoring data to monitor our progress in promoting equality and to inform any changes that may be needed to our policies, practices and services, as well as for statutory monitoring purposes.

All personal information will be treated in accordance with the Data Protection Act (1998), and the data used for statistical monitoring will be anonymised and published in a way that does not allow individuals to be identified. Your equal opportunities information will not form part of any selection or promotion process and will not be disclosed to the selection panel or your department.

Please answer the questions below. If completing electronically, please enter an X in the relevant box.

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| **Sex** (this refers to your legal sex)  |
| Are you: | ☐ Male  | ☐ Female  | ☐ Prefer not to say |
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| **Age:** |
| ☐ 24 or under | ☐ 45-49 |
| ☐ 25-29 | ☐ 50-59 |
| ☐ 30-34 | ☐ 60 and over |
| ☐ 35-40 | ☐ Prefer not to say |
| ☐ 41-45 |  |
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| **Ethnicity**. Please describe your ethnic originThis question is not about nationality, place of birth or country of citizenship. Ethnic origin is a self-defined concept encompassing common ancestry and elements of culture, identity, religion, language and physical characteristics such as colour. The categories identical to those requested by the ESRC for reporting purposes. |
| ☐ Asian (to include any Asian background, for example Bangladeshi, Chinese, Indian, Pakistani) | ☐ Black (to include any Black background, for example Caribbean, African) |
| ☐ Mixed (to include any mixed background/multiple ethnic group) | ☐ White (to include any White background) |
| ☐ Other. Please provide details if you are happy to: | ☐ Prefer not to say |
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| **Disability**. Do you have a disability or long-term medical condition (i.e. a physical or mental impairment that has a substantial and long-term adverse effect on your ability to carry out normal day-to-day activities)? |
| ☐ Known disability | ☐ No known disability |
| ☐ Prefer not to say |  |
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| **Sexual Orientation**:"Sexual orientation" means a person's emotional and sexual attraction towards people of the same sex, opposite sex, both sexes, or neither. It is not related to gender identity. |
| ☐ Bisexual | ☐ Gay / Lesbian |
| ☐ Heterosexual/Straight | ☐ Other sexual orientation. Please provide details if you are happy to: |
| ☐ Prefer not to say |  |