

## Geography: Geographical Imaginations

### A residential course for A2-level students

This course sets out to inspire and challenge you in a non-competitive environment, mixing with like-minded students from across the UK and tutored by two subject experts. Participation can be acknowledged under *Preparation for HE* on your UCAS application form.

#### Objectives

- To introduce students to the diverse approaches to studying Geography found on university courses
- To develop a critical perspective on geographical processes and methodologies
- To enhance confidence in communication skills

#### Format

Students will be encouraged to actively participate through group discussions, interactive seminars, presentations, debates and practical workshops. Some prior reading and preparation will be required. There will also be a guest speaker and an opportunity to carry out a field exercise.

A central component will be self-directed study orientated towards a final presentation.

Please see the sample programme overleaf although the course content may change.

#### Tutors

Ioanna Tantanasi is an Oceanography graduate who has a PhD in Human Geography from the University of Manchester. Her research focuses on governing carbon emissions and adapting to climate change by empowering stakeholder participation in local networks. She is currently a Teaching Fellow in Geography at the University of Manchester, and conducts separate research in exploring the limitations of resilience through various case studies across the world.

Sarah Brown is in the 3<sup>rd</sup> year of her PhD at the University of Manchester. The focus of her research is to assess the effect of diurnal and seasonal cycles on carbon budgets in order to better predict changes occurring on peatlands which are the largest terrestrial carbon reserve in the UK.

#### Details

Date: **Saturday 23 to Wednesday 27 February 2019**

Venue: **The Cambridge Centre at Villiers Park, Foxton**

Ref: **Geography: Geographical Imaginations – 19S005**

Cost: **£325 to include accommodation, meals, course materials (students at fee paying schools will need to pay the full cost of £739)**

Please complete the application form and return to Villiers Park by **Friday 28 December 2018. PLACES STILL AVAILABLE.**

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