



## **International Postgraduate Summer School in Philosophy of Education**

University of Birmingham, UK

19-22 June 2018

**Lead Tutor: Michael Hand, University of Birmingham**

The Philosophy of Education Society of Great Britain and the University of Birmingham will be hosting the 2018 International Postgraduate Summer School in Philosophy of Education from Tuesday 19 - Friday 22 June.

This is an extraordinary opportunity for outstanding postgraduate students from around the world to engage with eminent philosophers of education on a beautiful university campus located in the heart of England. The PESGB International Postgraduate Summer School comprises a week of intensive seminar discussions with internationally acclaimed philosophers. Seminar sessions will be based on thematic readings selected and distributed in advance. Participants will also have opportunities to discuss their own work in progress.

The theme for 2018 is **Moral Education in Plural Societies**. The Lead Tutor is Michael Hand, Professor of Philosophy of Education at the University of Birmingham and author of [\*A Theory of Moral Education\*](#) (Routledge, 2018).

The aims of the Summer School are:

- to advance students' understanding of the nature and aims of education through collaborative and individual learning experiences;
- to further students' appreciation of the philosophical implications of learning, teaching and curricula;
- to help students formulate and address philosophical questions that relate to the concerns of contemporary practitioners and policymakers.

To apply, please send:

- one sample of academic work (max 1500 words) **or** a research outline (PhD students only)
- a CV (maximum 2 sides A4)
- a letter of recommendation from an academic supervisor
- a short covering letter explaining why you would like to attend the Summer School

to Dr Ruth Wareham at [R.Wareham@warwick.ac.uk](mailto:R.Wareham@warwick.ac.uk).

Attendance at the Summer School (including accommodation and all meals) will be funded by the Society, but participants will be responsible for booking and financing their own travel. Travel bursaries may be available for students in (demonstrable) financial hardship.

The PESGB welcomes all participants including those with disabilities. The event will be held in the Arts Building which has wheelchair access via a ramp, a lift to all teaching spaces and accessible toilets. Accessible overnight accommodation is also available. Please email [R.Wareham@warwick.ac.uk](mailto:R.Wareham@warwick.ac.uk) for further details.

**The application deadline is 5pm on Friday 13 April 2018.**