Early Career Developmental awards

Ten awards will help support collaborative working for early career researchers. The Care for the Future Early Career Developmental Awards is the first scheme under the AHRC’s Care for the Future: Thinking Forward through the Past theme specifically for early career researchers.

The call invited researchers who had been awarded a place at a workshop run by the theme to submit applications for 12-month projects which involved three or more attendees from two or more Research Organisations. The new teams formed at the workshop developed successful applications which offer new perspectives on the Care for the Future theme, cross academic disciplines, cover a range of time periods, and involve a diverse mix of partners from beyond the academic sector.

The projects include proposing new ways of thinking about historical apologies, family identity and personal effects, young people’s attitudes to heritage, and the idea of ‘authenticity’ in relation to attitudes towards food.

The successful awards are:

**Troubled Waters, Stormy Futures: heritage in times of accelerated climate change** led by Ms Sara Penrhyn Jones (Aberystwyth University) awarded £44,679

**Agents of future promise: the ideological use of children in culture and politics (Britain and France, c.1880-c.1950)** led by Dr Laura King (University of Leeds) awarded £39,565

**Re-configuring ruins: materialities, processes and mediations** led by Dr Carlos Andres Lopez Galviz (University of London) awarded £43,754.45

**Who Cares? Interventions in 'unloved' museum collections** led by Dr Rhianedd Smith (University of Reading) awarded £34,516

**The Hero Project** led by Dr Abigail Georgina Garrington (Newcastle University) awarded £36,078

**Children of Political Violence: Imagining the Past and the Future from the Present** led by Dr Noa Vaisman (Durham University) awarded £42,934

**Apologies for Historical Wrongs: When, How, Why?** led by Dr Arman Sarvarian (University of Surrey) awarded £43,458.63
'You Can't Move History. You Can Secure the Future': Engaging Youth in Cultural Heritage led by Dr Pollyanna Elizabeth Angela Ruiz (University of Sussex) awarded £43,320

Consuming Authenticities: Time, Place and the Past in the Construction of "Authentic" Foods and Drinks led by Dr Deborah Toner (University of Leicester) awarded £46,583

The Family Archive: Exploring Family Identities, Memories and Stories Through Curated Personal Possessions led by Dr Vicky Crewe (Cardiff University) awarded £43,105