Human Rights Challenges in the 21st Century
An Inter-Disciplinary Postgraduate Research Conference
Birmingham City University
10 May 2017

Midlands3Cities Doctoral Training Partnership and Birmingham City University are pleased to invite Postgraduate Researchers to our ‘Human Rights Challenges in the 21st Century’ conference. The conference will engage with contemporary challenges for human rights and we welcome presentations from a broad range of Postgraduate Researchers to showcase how their research links to human rights.

The conference will highlight the areas that deal with and are affected by challenges facing the promotion and protection of the rights of all globally.

Postgraduate Researchers from all disciplines with research links to human rights are invited to submit a paper for the conference. We welcome proposals for papers and posters which fall into the general theme of ‘Human Rights Challenges in the 21st Century’ with topics including, but not limited to, the following:

- Sovereignty and the Responsibility to Protect
- Climate Change
- Post-Truth Politics
- Global Health
- Corporate Social Responsibility
- Depicting Human Rights Challenges through the Arts
- Protecting the Vulnerable
- The Rights of Migrants & Refugees
- Workers’ Rights
- Positioning the Human Rights Movement in History

Abstracts of 300 words for papers and 150 words for posters should be emailed to Alice Storey (alice.storey@bcu.ac.uk) by Friday 10 March 2017.

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