**This form should be completed electronically and e-mailed to** **valentina.lotti@imperial.ac.uk**

 **Incomplete applications will not be considered**

**Application deadline: Friday, 31st May 2021**

**Suggested PhD Start Date: No later than 1st October 2021**

You will receive a confirmation email within five working days of submitting your application. If you do not, please email valentina.lotti@imperial.ac.uk to enquire about the status.

**Personal Details**

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| **Surname** | **First Name** | **Title (e.g. Mr, Ms, Dr)** |
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| **Home or Permanent Address** | **Address for Correspondence (if different)** | **Email Address** |
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| **Home Telephone Number** |
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**References**

Give the names, addresses (including email) and telephone numbers of **two** academic referees.

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| **Referee 1** | **Referee 2** |
| Name |  | Name |  |
| Title/Position |  | Title/Position |  |
| Address |  | Address |  |
| Telephone |  | Telephone |  |
| Email |  | Email |  |

**Qualifications**

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| **Undergraduate Education** |
| University  | Degree (e.g. BSc) | Subject(s)  | Grade | Award Month and Year |
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| **Masters Education** |
| University  | Degree (e.g. MSc) | Subject(s)  | Grade | Award Month and Year |
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**Prizes and other outstanding achievements**

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| **Award Year** | **Name and details** |
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**Work Experience**

List any relevant posts you have held, including vacation work, starting with the most recent.

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| Employer | Start Date | End Date  | Position Held |
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| **Describe your current activities or position held (Maximum 150 words)** |
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**Eligibility**

UK and non-UK nationals are eligible to apply for these studentships. Please tell us\*:

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| Are you a UK or EU national?\* (Yes/No)  |  |
| How long have you been “Ordinarily Resident” in the UK or European Economic Area? (Years/Months or Not applicable) |  |
| Has your residence in the UK been wholly or mainly for the purpose of attending full time education? (Yes/No or Not applicable) |  |

\* You must answer these questions – if you do not your application will be considered incomplete and will not be processed.

Non-UK nationals or UK nationals who have not been “ordinarily resident” in the UK for the past 3 years should consult Imperial College’s guidance on [**eligibility for Research Council studentships (PhD)**](https://www.imperial.ac.uk/study/pg/fees-and-funding/scholarships/rcuk/) to determine whether they would be eligible for the full or a partial award.

The UK government has confirmed that tuition fee rates for students classified with a Home/EU fee status who start their course before 31st July 2021 will not change for the full duration of the course.

**EU nationals starting their PhD programmes after 31st July 2021 will no longer be eligible for Home fee status** – they will be classified as International students.

International candidates that are successfully awarded one of these studentships will be required to cover the difference between Home and International tuition fees. Please see link below for details:
<https://www.imperial.ac.uk/students/fees-and-funding/tuition-fees/postgraduate-tuition-fees/2020-21/postgraduate-research-programmes/faculty-of-medicine/>

If you are a non-UK national, please tell us how you plan to cover the difference between Home and international tuition fees if you were awarded one of these studentships:

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**Project selection**

Please select **three projects in order of preference from the list of potential projects**:

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**How did you find out about this PhD opportunity?**

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**Personal Statement**

Please insert your personal statement in the box provided in the next page using Arial 11pt font and single space. **You must not exceed the space provided.**

**In your personal statement, you should address the following points:**

* What are your current career plans, including why you would like to do a PhD?
* Why you would like to do a PhD at the MRC Centre for Environment and Health/HPRU in Environmental Exposures and Health/HPRU in Chemical and Radiation Threats and Hazards?
* Which of the research areas or specific topics you are most interested in and why?
* Outline your research experience, detailing how it has prepared you for the projects you have selected.

**Declaration**

I certify that the information given in this application form is complete, up-to-date and correct.

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| **Type your name here to certify. You may be required to sign this form if invited for an interview** | **Date** |
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| Insert your Personal Statement here. |