

Subject **Re: RA Post in Economics and Finance of the Built Environment**
From Coffman, D'Maris <d.coffman@ucl.ac.uk>
To Kumar Aniket <ka323@cam.ac.uk>
Date 2017-08-14 15:06



Hi Kumar

Sorry for the delay here. I'm out in Colorado with my family.

1) Adrian and I are the organisers. Alix is the events person for History and Policy. Niamh is our comms officer. Helen does comms for one of the trade unions.

2) Target audience is press, policy circles, and some senior industry people. Niamh can share the guest list.

I suspect some of this has been overtaken by your conversations with Adrian.

And finally, I've sent another SCED article to review. To be honest, I probably would have desk-rejected it if the editor had not asked me to d/r fewer of them. It's on health care, economic growth, and Turkey. So please don't spend too much time over it unless you see something really interesting.

Best wishes

D'Maris

On 2 Aug 2017, at 10:14, Kumar Aniket <ka323@cam.ac.uk> wrote:

Dear D'Maris,

I have had a close look at the draft programme of the conference and I think I have got the hang of it. Before I write to Adrian, I just have a couple of quick queries if I may.

1) Who are the main conference organisers. You, Adrian, Alix? Is there someone else.

1a) Who is Helen Hague? You copied her into your email. I think I have figured out the rest. Alix is the History person and Ryan is the Communication person.

2) Who is the target audience for the conference? Is it for the construction industry or is for a wider audience. It might help in writing the brochure.

I just wanted to check these things before I jump right in.

Best wishes,
Kumar

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On 1 August 2017 at 22:36, Kumar Aniket <ka323@cam.ac.uk> wrote:

Hi D'Maris,

Sure, will look at the SCED paper and get back on it.

Re:referees, I did hear back from one referee today to say that he had got the email, so it should be fine hopefully. Will check with the other two.

Best wishes,
K.A.

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On 1 August 2017 at 22:25, Coffman, D'Maris <d.coffman@ucl.ac.uk> wrote:

Hi Kumar

I am told that we contacted your referees last Friday. Have you heard from any of them?

Also I'm about to send you a macro/labour paper from SCED that needs a brief look. I think it's probably a clear rejection but I promised to stop desk rejecting so much stuff, so please do have a look. You might see something I missed.

Best wishes

D'Maris

On 25 Jul 2017, at 19:24, Kumar Aniket <ka323@cam.ac.uk> wrote:

Dear D'Maris,

Thank you very much for offering me the second job. I am absolutely delighted. I will write to my referees and let them know that they would be hearing from the CPM. It would be great if we could have a chat about the starting date and the other details of the job whenever it is convenient for you.

I would again like to thank you profusely for making the second offer to me. I am really looking forward to working at the CPM.

Best wishes,
Kumar

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On 25 July 2017 at 14:58, Coffman, D'Maris <d.coffman@ucl.ac.uk> wrote:

Dear Kumar

As we discussed yesterday on the phone, you finished 2nd in yesterday's round of interviews. Happily, we've obtained financial approval to make a second appointment of a Research Associate in Economics and Finance of the Built Environment, which we would like to offer to you. The salary would start at Salary Point 33 on the universal salary spine, which is £34,956 (or £37,936 inclusive of the London allowance). The position has a 9-month probationary period and upon satisfactory completion of the probationary period is permanent. From October, the position would also be retitled Research Fellow, but you can continue to use Research Associate if you prefer.

We also offer a £9k one-off payment to assist with relocation if you move to Greater London from Cambridge and will pay (on top of that) all residential and office moving expenses using our suppliers. We hope that you could start as soon as possible. This offer is contingent upon satisfactory references, so please do alert your referees that we will be contacting them.

Thank you again for giving such a compelling interview. I look forward to welcoming you to CPM.

Best wishes

D'Maris

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