Joint College Lectureship in Spanish - Further Particulars
Gonville & Caius College and Emmanuel College, Cambridge UK

The Councils of Gonville and Caius & Emmanuel Colleges intend to appoint a College Lecturer in Spanish from 1 October 2021. The College Lecturer will be elected to a Fellowship at Gonville & Caius.

Both colleges have for many years enjoyed excellent reputations in Modern Languages. About 40 undergraduates at Gonville & Caius and 25 undergraduates at Emmanuel are reading the subject at any one time. College teaching in Modern Languages at Gonville & Caius is provided by Dr Anita Bunyan (German), Professor Joachim Whaley (German), Dr Rebecca Sugden (French), Professor Robert Gordon (Italian), Dr Laura McMahon (Screen Media) and by the College lectors, Ms Daniela Dora (German) and Ms Ashwiny Kistnareddy. College teaching in Modern Languages at Emmanuel is provided by Professor Nicholas White (French) and Dr Lucia Ruprecht (German).

The successful candidate will be expected to ‘supervise’ undergraduates. Supervisions are small-group tutorials and College Lecturers in Modern Languages supervise topics from the Cambridge Modern and Medieval Languages Tripos, (see https://www.mml.cam.ac.uk/undergraduates/mml) The successful candidate will be contracted to supervise pairs of students from Gonville & Caius and Emmanuel for ten hours per teaching week (there are 20 teaching weeks per academic year).

Supervision arrangements are co-ordinated by the Directors of Studies in Modern Languages, Dr Anita Bunyan (Gonville & Caius), Dr Rebecca Sugden (Gonville & Caius) and Dr Lucia Ruprecht (Emmanuel). The person appointed might be asked to share these duties. Directors of Studies are responsible for overseeing the academic progress of all College Modern Languages undergraduates (including those taking History & Modern Languages). The successful candidate will be expected to participate in admissions assessments and interviews – these take up about 4 full days during early December of each year.

Teaching Fellows are expected to pursue their own research and to contribute more generally to the academic community at the Colleges. Fellows of Gonville & Caius are expected to undertake the normal administrative duties of a Fellow as may from time to time be requested by the Master or by the College Council. Full-time College Teaching Officers are also encouraged to participate in the teaching, examining and research activities of the Faculty of Modern and Medieval Languages.
The tenure of a College Lectureship is governed by the Statutes of the Colleges. Appointment is made initially for three years with the possibility of renewal for a further two years (these five years constituting together a probationary period) and thereafter of re-appointment to the retiring age.

The current annual stipend of a College Lecturer who does not hold a University or other office is on the University Single Pay Spine - points 45 to 53 (currently in the range £36,914 to £46,718). This salary is pensionable under the University Superannuation Scheme. There is a £3,330 (indexed) residents’ reduction in salary for Fellows occupying residential college accommodation. The successful candidate may be required to undertake Direction of Studies of Modern & Medieval Languages and/or History and Modern Languages students. The successful candidate may also wish to serve as a College Tutor at Gonville & Caius, providing pastoral support for students in a range of subjects. The additional stipend for this is currently £8,787.

Accommodation can be provided depending on individual circumstances; for example, a Fellow without a long-term partner and without a private Cambridge residence is entitled to accommodation in Gonville & Caius College (for which a resident’s deduction of £3,300 is made as set out above). A Fellow not resident in College is given a room for study and teaching. Fellows who are not resident in College are entitled to assistance with the cost of housing in the form of a housing allowance (amount currently under review). An equity-sharing arrangement is currently being considered with a view to offering additional help to newly appointed Fellows. Teaching Fellows receive a book allowance, an allowance for research expenses, and an entertainment allowance. They also receive ten meals each week gratis and other dining privileges. The College provides each Fellow with a personal computer plus peripherals. Provision is made for parental leave.