

## Education Freelancer Brief (Putting the Magic Back into Medicine)

## Thackray Medical Museum, Leeds

Thackray Medical Museum is looking for an experienced education freelancer to develop and implement plans for an appealing and inspiring, new education led session for Key Stage 3 History Medieval Medicine. Development of the session is part of the Museum's 'Putting the Medicine Back into Magic" project which is funded by Arts Council England under the Renaissance Strategic Support Fund.

The session will be delivered to groups of approx. 30 KS3 students within the Museum, using the setting of the Wilkinson Gallery and its collection of apothecary jars. The accessibility and interpretation of the gallery will be developed during the same period as part of the same project.

The fee for this project is £1,500.

The appointed person will be required to:

- Research the appropriate section of the National Curriculum (Key Stage 3 Medieval Medicine), consult online resources and audiences advocates to specify outline content for the session;
- Produce a draft outline of session content, including object-based learning, for discussion and agreement with Museum staff;
- Undertake detailed consultation on agreed draft outline with at least two KS3 History teachers;
- Produce a second draft outline of session content and agree resources required with Museum staff;
- Source and specify resources for purchase in time for use in trial sessions;
- Arrange and run trial sessions with two schools to be observed by Museum staff;
- Adjust session content based on evaluation and feedback of trial sessions;
- Run second (final) pilot sessions with the same two schools;
- Finalise session content in consultation with Museum staff.

Please apply by CV and covering letter, detailing your suitability for the role, to delphi@thackraymuseum.org or by post to Delphi Tătăruş, Learning and Outreach Manager, Thackray medical Museum, Beckett Street, Leeds, LS9 7LN. Deadline for applications is 09.00 am 26<sup>th</sup> Novemeber 2012. We will be interviewing on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December. We regret that we are unable to cover costs for attending interview.