

# *Work, Employment and Society* Editorship 2011 - 2013

## CALL FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST TO EDIT BSA JOURNAL *WORK, EMPLOYMENT AND SOCIETY*



DEADLINE FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST: **Friday 11 September 2009.**

The BSA invites expressions of interest to edit the BSA's journal *Work, Employment and Society* (WES) for January 2011 to end of December 2013. WES is currently in its 23<sup>rd</sup> successful year and is a highly respected journal with an international profile. The journal draws upon disciplines adjacent to sociology to make an original contribution to issues and debates in the sociology of work and employment in all countries.

Editing the journal is an excellent contribution to academic assessment and to a well-rounded career in sociology. Editorial teams are able to shape the journal and make an invaluable contribution to the British Sociological Association and the wider discipline.

**The new editorial team will consist of at least two editors, a debates and controversies editor and a reviews editor.** The BSA invites proposals for teams including members from one or more universities. Teams including senior academics and those at an earlier stage of career are also encouraged.

Duties of the editorial team include:

- Maintaining and further developing the national and international reputation of the journal as a leader in the field of the sociology of work, broadly defined
- Editing and reviewing submissions and determining contents for each issue
- Liaising with the BSA Publications Officer and journal publisher (SAGE) on production
- Representing the journal on the BSA Council
- Representing and promoting the journal at the BSA annual conference and the triennial WES conference
- Attending twice-yearly meetings of the editorial board

The BSA office provides full administrative and technical support for the editorial team, including induction, technical training, production administration, and more. WES is managed using Manuscript Central for the electronic submission and peer reviewing. Prospective teams will be fully briefed on the system in advance of their appointment. The BSA also reimburses expenses incurred on journal business.

Prospective applicants should email Judith Mudd at [Judith.Mudd@britsoc.org.uk](mailto:Judith.Mudd@britsoc.org.uk) to register interest and to request an information pack. Please note that applicants must be based at UK institutions. You may also like to speak informally to Professor Stephen Ackroyd, (University of Lancaster, [s.ackroyd@lancaster.ac.uk](mailto:s.ackroyd@lancaster.ac.uk)) who is the chair the *Work, Employment and Society* editorial board.

