Robinson College invites applications for a Fellowship and College Lectureship in Law for a fixed term of two years with effect from October 2021. The successful candidate will complement the work of the existing Law Fellows, Professor C F Forsyth, Dr E A O Freer, Dr B D Sloan and Professor A L Young and will be expected to play a full part in the teaching and administration of Law within the College. The appointment is subject to the Statutes and Ordinances of the College.

It is envisaged that the successful candidate will be an outstanding researcher with an infectious enthusiasm for the teaching of their subject. They should hold a PhD in Law or be close to submitting their PhD by September 2021.

The duties of the Lecturer will be:

1. To teach undergraduates for the Law Tripos in at least two subject areas. At least one should be from among the following: tort, contract, international or EU. Further subjects should come from the same list or any other full Tripos paper, as here: https://www.ba.law.cam.ac.uk/studying-law-cambridge/tripos-papers (except constitutional, criminal, administrative, criminal procedure and evidence, criminology, sentencing and the penal system, and family).

2. To engage in independent research in their specialist subject.

3. To direct studies for one part of the Tripos, and to take the lead in the organisation of the annual Forsyth Revision Week.

4. To participate in undergraduate admissions, the annual mooting competition and other related activities.

5. The Official Fellowship associated with the College Lectureship entails membership of the Governing Body of Robinson College and the rights and responsibilities associated therewith.

The stipend of a College Lecturer, which is pensionable under USS, is of the range £32,816 – £34,804, being steps 41-3 on the University scale. In return for this stipend, the Lecturer will be required to provide twelve hours teaching weekly during term time. Any teaching in excess of twelve hours will be paid for at the standard teaching rate for University supervisions. Increases in College stipends are made at the same time and at the same rate as comparable increases in University stipends. The Fellowship carries with it a number of associated benefits, including funds for research and teaching expenses.

A College Lecturer appointed to a University teaching office will cease to hold a stipendiary College Lectureship, but can expect to be considered for election to a non-stipendiary Fellowship of the College.
A Fellow of the College who is single may be offered residential accommodation in the College, at present free of charge, if it is available.

Informal enquiries about the post can be addressed to Dr Brian Sloan (bds26@cam.ac.uk).

Applications should be sent via email to the Senior Tutor, Robinson College, Cambridge CB3 9AN, using the address ks610@cam.ac.uk, no later than 25 June 2021. Applicants should send a completed application form, a covering letter (which should include an outline of current research interests and teaching experience), a detailed curriculum vitae and the names of two referees who may be contacted at the interview stage.

At interview, applicants will be asked to give a 10-minute presentation on their research as if they were addressing an audience of undergraduate students. Shortlisting will take place in early July and interviews will be held on 22 July 2021.

Robinson College and the University of Cambridge actively support equality, diversity and inclusion and encourage applications from all sections of society.

Candidates are responsible for checking their eligibility to take up the post under UK immigration rules. Unfortunately, the College can only accept applications from candidates who are already eligible to work in the UK, as the College does not hold a sponsor licence.