The Sleep and Circadian Neuroscience Institute (SCNi) at the University of Oxford is hosting a sleep medicine and chronobiology (primarily circadian clock) summer school. The five-day school will consist of a series of shared lectures and seminars as well as separate, subject-specific workshops. The aim is to give attendees a practical understanding of their subject area, from fundamental research to applied science. The school is targeted at PhD/DPhil/MD students and early career researchers.

**Costs**

The registration fee is £150. This covers the costs of lunches and socials but unfortunately cannot cover accommodation. A comprehensive list of accommodation in Oxford will be circulated to all attendees.

A small number of travel bursaries will be available. Please highlight in your covering letter if you would like to be considered for this and your reasons for requesting assistance.

**How to apply**

Please submit the following to scni@ndcn.ox.ac.uk:

1. Covering letter, including confirmation that if offered a place you will be able to attend. Please indicate whether you would like to attend the sleep medicine or the chronobiology workshops.
2. A research abstract of your current work. This should be no more than one page of A4 in Arial font, size 11 (approx. 300 words), to include one table or figure if applicable. If accepted this will form the basis of your poster presentation at the School.
3. A short CV including research interests.

**Further information**

The draft timetable will be posted online soon. Keep an eye on www.eye.ox.ac.uk/research/news-and-events for future updates.

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**Quotes from 2014 participants**

“I thoroughly enjoyed the week. The poster sessions, socials and public debate were an excellent addition to the taught sessions throughout the day.”

“The summer school was excellent. I learnt a lot and was impressed by the diversity of the research I was exposed to. Not knowing much about chronobiology it was certainly an eye-opener.”

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**Important dates**

- **30 January 2015**: closing date for applications
- **2 March 2015**: decisions announced
- **6 March 2015**: online registration opens

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