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Dear DTP / CDT Management,

**Universal acceptance deadline for NERC DTP and CDT studentships.**

For the 2019/20 intake, the date is **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2019 at 12pm (noon)**.

The purpose of the annual universal acceptance deadline is to ensure that PhD applicants who have applied for multiple studentship opportunities, and may therefore receive multiple offers, do not have to make a decision on the studentship they wish to accept before knowing the outcome of all of their applications.

Applicants who receive a PhD studentship offer from a NERC DTP / CDT for the 2019/20 academic year are therefore not required to accept an offer formally before this date unless they wish to do so.

Kind regards,

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