# National Army Museum

## Royal Hospital Road, Chelsea, London SW3 4HT

# Post:Assistant Conservator

#### Post No: NAM XXX

## Person Specification

CRITERIA	STANDARD	E/D	EVIDENCE
Qualifications and Training	Achieved or working towards recognised conservation qualification in specialist area or	E	Certificate
	equivalent (degree level).		
	Willingness to keep up to date with the latest collections care	E	Application and Interview
	practices, and build expertise through research and formal training.		Interview
	An awareness of Health and Safety Regulations & COSHH.	E	Application and Interview
	Understanding of environmental monitoring-radio telemetry systems and software, specifically Hanwell and hand- held equipment.	D	Application and Interview
	Understanding of comparative data analysis and report writing.	D	Application and Interview
	Understanding of materials testing and monitoring objects while on display and in storage.	D	Application and Interview
	Willingness to prepare and installing collections for display and exhibition .	D	Application and Interview
Knowledge	Knowledge of preventive conservation of a collection comprising composite material, as well as storage, packing and transportation of objects.	D	Application and Interview
	An understanding of conservation theory and ethical decision-making.	E	Application and Interview
	An interest in and/or knowledge of British military history would be advantageous.	D	Application and Interview
Skills	Experience of core Microsoft packages and databases.	E	Application and Interview
	Proficient in the use of Mac OS X.	D	Application and Interview
	Excellent interpersonal and communication skills.	E	Application and Interview
	Strong organisational skills.	E	Application and Interview
Aptitudes/Abilities	A team player with an outward looking, creative, enthusiastic and collaborative approach.	E	Application and Interview
	The ability to work independently and make decisions.	E	Application and Interview

An analytical, accurate and deadline-focused approach.	E	Application and Interview
A strong networker with good communication skills and the ability to offer specialist advice.	D	Application and Interview

KEY: E = Essential

D = Desirable

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