

# Role Description

## Researchers



<b>Date posted:</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> November 2019
<b>Date ending:</b>	Ongoing opportunities
<b>Number of hours required:</b>	This is a flexible role, so you can choose how much time you dedicate to research and when you do the work. We have shorter and longer research projects to suit your availability and experience.
<b>Description:</b>	<p>The heritage squad is looking for researchers to help find and collate information and images about the heritage of the Jewellery Quarter. This includes; buildings and streets, people who worked, lived or died in the Jewellery Quarter and historical events.</p> <p>Your research may be used as online, as part of future exhibitions and displays, as a learning resource for schools, families or to inspire and inform other kinds of public events.</p>
<b>Skills required:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Enthusiasm for heritage and the Jewellery Quarter.</li> <li>● A love of research and/or a willingness to learn new research skills</li> <li>● Attention to detail.</li> <li>● Willingness to share your findings with others and enjoy working as part of a team.</li> </ul>
<b>Support provided:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● We will help you get familiar with our partner organisations and other JQ venues so you can talk to people about them with confidence – we'll have a familiarisation film and arrange opportunities to visit with the rest of the Squad.</li> <li>● You will develop a connection with the area and learn about the history of the Jewellery Quarter</li> <li>● We will support your research, giving you a dedicated person to contact and discuss your work with, regular check ins and opportunities to share your progress.</li> <li>● We will also provide specific research training e.g. archival and/or oral history training.</li> <li>● Access to resources which might be helpful e.g. Ancestry, Newspapers archives etc.</li> <li>● Travel expenses can be paid if required.</li> </ul>