# Applications for Professor and Associate Professor Progression 2020/21

The University is now inviting applications for Professorship and Associate Professorship through the annual progression process for 2020/21.

**Applications are particularly welcome from BAME colleagues and/or women, who are under-represented at Professor and Associate Professor/Reader level.**

I must emphasise the importance of reading the [application guidance](https://sheffieldhallam.sharepoint.com/sites/3005/pay/acprog/SitePages/professor-associate.aspx) in full as a first step. It details the process you will need to follow. Importantly, this includes submitting a Statement of Intent to Apply, the deadline for which is 4th December 2020. If you do not submit this by the deadline, any application you subsequently submit will not be considered.

Before submitting this, you should have a provisional discussion with your HoD/HoRC if you are based in an academic department or research centre, followed by a discussion with a relevant Associate Dean depending on the basis of your application.

If you are considering applying during this round you are strongly encouraged to attend the [Applying for Professor or Associate Professor](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/applying-for-professor-or-associate-professor-tickets-128561413649) workshop on 16th December between 11:00-13:00.

Colleagues aspiring to become professors, based on an outstanding contribution to Teaching and Learning specifically, are also invited to attend the [Professors in Preparation](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/professors-in-preparation-tickets-128558896119) workshop on 3rd December, 10:45-15:00. You don’t have to have submitted your Statement of Intent to Apply in order to attend this workshop and you are welcome to attend even if you don’t intend to apply for professorship this year.

You are welcome to attend both workshops if relevant.

The deadline for full applications is 28th February 2021, after which date all eligible applications will be considered by the College Academic Progression Panel (CAPP), chaired by myself. If the CAPP decide to support your application it will then be considered by the Professoriate Committee (July) who are responsible for making awards.

Successful applicants will take up their new post and/or title with effect from 1 September 2021.