



Person Specification

This form lists the essential and desirable requirements needed in order to do the job.

Applicants will be shortlisted **solely** on the extent to which they meet these requirements.

Job title: Research Innovation Manager

Department/Division: LSE Research and Innovation **Accountable to:** Head of Innovation

Competency	Criteria	E/D
Education	Educated to honours degree or equivalent qualification, or equivalent experience	E
	Evidence of strong intellectual and analytical skills	E
	A postgraduate degree or equivalent qualification	D
Experience	Industry and/or university experience in knowledge exchange and commercialisation for the social sciences, with specific experience in commercialising software and data-based research outputs via licensing, consultancy and/or new venture formation	E
	Experience of working in a research-intensive university	D
	Experience of translational research in an industry setting	D
	Experience ensuring compliance with GDPR and data protection policies	D
Knowledge	Knowledge of the UK translational funding landscape	D
Skills & Abilities	Demonstrated ability to manage a dynamic and diverse portfolio of activities	E
	Experience of and contacts in venture investment	D
	Excellent interpersonal, relationship management and networking skills, including demonstrated ability to build consensus and effective relationships with a range of	E



	stakeholders	
	Excellent written and oral communication skills	E
	Conscientious and hard-working, demonstrating attention to detail	E
	Adept at problem-solving and the ability to work under pressure to meet deadlines	E
	Experience working successfully within a close-knit team	E

E – Essential: requirements without which the job could not be done.

D – Desirable: requirements that would enable the candidate to perform the job well.