



# THE AWARDS 2020

## Outstanding Research Supervisor of the Year

<b>Institution name</b>	Dan Stone, <i>Royal Holloway, University of London</i>
<b>Submission title or project name</b>	
<b>Nominee/key personnel</b>	Dan Stone, Professor of Modern History and Director of the Holocaust Research Institute at RHUL
<b>URL</b>	
<b>Submission</b>	<p>Doctoral supervision is the highlight of my academic career. I have supervised 26 PhD students, 18 successfully to completion so far, with three of my current students about to submit.</p> <p>Four of my students submitted their theses in 2018-19, including one who won the German Historical Institute's dissertation prize.</p> <p>PhD supervision is an enormous pleasure: not just in helping the students to achieve their aims and going beyond them in terms of publishing, building networks and everything that contributes to their future careers, but in terms of my own development.</p> <p>The real pleasure of PhD supervision is how much I learn from my students and the ways in which what they do contributes to my own intellectual growth and research projects.</p> <p>My PhD students are testament to my drive and ambition to create the next cohort of leading scholars, as is my winning RHUL's annual Doctoral Supervision Award this year.</p>