

### Research Assistantship History of Mathematics

The Bertrand Russell Editorial Project at McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada is preparing an edition of Bertrand Russell's shorter writings and certain unpublished books. The edition will include some ten volumes of his philosophical papers. The Project has a vacancy for a Research Assistant in the history of mathematics to assist in the preparation of the philosophical papers. Applicants should have special knowledge of the late nineteenth and early twentieth century mathematics (preferably in geometry or foundations of arithmetic). Fluency in French and/or German would be an advantage. A Ph.D. degree is preferred. The work will involve the interpretation and reconstruction of manuscripts (primarily those written by Russell between 1895 and 1903) as well as the preparation of commentary and annotation required for a scholarly edition. The post offers the successful applicant the opportunity to work closely with a major scholarly editing project as well as opportunities for independent research in the Russell Archives at McMaster.

The Research Assistantship will begin on a mutually agreeable day and will be for one year with the possibility of employment for a longer period. Salary will be not less than \$20,000 for applicants with a Ph.D. degree. Applicants should send a curriculum vitae and the names of three referees to Dr. N. Griffin, The Bertrand Russell Editorial Project, McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada L8S 4M2.

Please submit your application as soon as possible.