

Date	ESRC Postdoctoral Fellowship Competition Timeline for Applicants 2023/24	
HEI Review Stage		
21 February (Wednesday)	Launch of Competition. Applicants can submit Stage 1 applications via SGSSS Apply	
18 March, 12pm (noon), (Monday)	Deadline for Stage 1 applications via SGSSS Apply	
20 March – 09 April (15 working days)	Institutions conduct internal review of applications, nominating up to four candidates for Stage 2. Institutions must ensure nominated candidates meet the eligibility criteria. Candidates will receive email notifications of the status of their application (nominated for stage 2 / unsuccessful) on or before 09 April.	
09 April, 4pm (Tuesday)	Deadline for institutions to nominate candidates to go forward to Stage 2	
Peer Review Stage		
On or before 09 April (Tuesday)	Nominated candidates can submit Stage 2 applications via SGSSS Apply	
16 May, 4pm (Thursday)	Deadline for Stage 2 applications via SGSSS Apply	
7 June (Friday)	SGSSS to email candidates confirming outcome of Peer Review Stage (successful and unsuccessful)	
Final Selection Review Stage		
28 June (Friday)	Final Selection Panel meets to make final recommendations on rankings and awards, nominating four candidates for a Postdoctoral award	

Candidate Nomination Stage	
01 July (Monday)	SGSSS to communicate the final outcome of the competition with HEIs and candidates
05 July, 4pm (Friday)	Deadline for successful candidates to confirm acceptance of award to SGSSS
31 July (Wednesday)	Deadline for successful candidates to submit proposals to the ESRC via Je-S