# Research Award Application Form

#### Please note:

1. The application deadline is 22:00 GMT on **1 April 2025**. Applications submitted after this date will not be considered.
2. To be eligible for an award, applicants must fulfil **at least one** of the following criteria:
   * registered contributor to *The Literary Encyclopedia*
   * early career researcher\* (either PhD or Postdoctoral) in an institution that subscribes to *The Literary Encyclopedia*
   * independent subscriber to *The Literary Encyclopedia*
3. Applicants should be in process of undertaking a doctorate at the time of submission or within ten years of completing it.

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| **Professional status** |  |
| **Previous grants received** |  |
| **Title of research project for which the bursary will be used** |  |
| **Brief description of research activity (300 words)**  Please use this space to outline what questions your unique research project strives to answer and specify any outputs that you hope will emerge out of the project (e.g. dissertation chapter, journal article, monograph etc.). |  |
| **Justification of resources (300 words)**  Please use this space to indicate how you will use the proposed funding (e.g. which archives/institutions you plan to visit or consult; training; OA publishing; other research costs indicated in our description of the grant) |  |
| **Budget**  Please provide a rough breakdown of likely costs incurred. |  |
| **Referee 1** | Name/Position/Email address |
| **Referee 2** | Name/Position/Email address |

\*Early career researcher is “an individual who is within eight years of the award of their PhD or within 6 years of their first academic appointment” (AHRC).

**Please email completed applications to** [**cristinasandru@litencyc.com**](mailto:cristinasandru@litencyc.com) **along with a concise academic CV (3 pages maximum) and a sample essay.** The sample essay can be part of a published article/ book chapter, a conference paper, part of a doctoral or MA dissertation etc.