



PHD STUDENTSHIP –

APPLICANT REFERENCE REQUEST

**Artificial intelligence based image analysis to address the risk from marine harmful algal blooms**

A collaboration between SAMS, the Shetland-UHI, Marine Scotland Science and the University of Edinburgh with funding from Scottish Government and the Data Lab.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE APPLICANT:** Please complete your name and project title below. This form should then be forwarded to each referee (one per referee) and **returned by the referee before the application deadline or as soon as possible thereafter.** Please make the referees aware of the deadline date.

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| **Name of applicant** |  |
| **Project title** |  |

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE REFEREE:** Thank you for providing a reference for the above applicant. Please indicate his/her suitability for postgraduate research, if possible providing an assessment of the applicant’s academic work to date.

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