Research project and supervisor team

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Team	
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Short introduction &	
description of	This project examines Chinese film aesthetics and how they have been received
research project	domestically and internationally. Starting from this prompt, the recipient will
	focus the project further, perhaps by basing it on a specific director (e.g. Jia
	Zhangke, Lou Ye, etc.), a specific grouping of films (e.g. the Sixth Generation,
	the Fifth Generation), a specific genre (e.g. art films, documentaries, etc.), or
	another relevant strategy. The recipient will decide on which methodology/ies
	and which theoretical frameworks are appropriate to the study. Research
	questions could include: What are the cinematic aesthetics associated with
	these specific films? What is the origin of these aesthetics? How have they been
	analysed and interpreted? What effects have these film aesthetics had on
	Chinese and international film cultures?
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	structure the project, prepare a literature review on Chinese film and film
	aesthetics, explain the methodology/ies chosen and the theoretical
	framework/s that informs this project, and explain how their project fills a
	research gap. Further guidance available is here:
	https://www.nottingham.edu.cn/en/graduateschool/how-to-apply/research-
	proposal.aspx
	Please note: This is a tuition waiver only scholarship and thus will cover only the
	domestic or international tuition fees for up to 36 months, based on
	satisfactory progression. Information about the University's accommodation
	options can be found here:
	https://www.nottingham.edu.cn/en/accommodation/residences/residence-
	<u>options.aspx</u>
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