

The University of KwaZulu-Natal (UKZN) is committed to Employment Equity with the intention to promote representativity within the Institution. Preference will be given to applicants from designated groups in accordance with our Employment Equity Plan.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE
LECTURER (DIETETICS/HUMAN NUTRITION)
SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURAL, EARTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES
PIETERMARITZBURG CAMPUS

REF NO.: AEES11/2017

The School has an active group of academic staff contributing to research and teaching in the Discipline of Dietetics and Human Nutrition and seeks to appoint a dynamic, self-motivated and innovative individual committed to quality teaching, community engagement and research. The incumbent will be required to teach, using curricula in keeping with modern developments in the field, and assist in developing discipline-wide postgraduate teaching programmes. S/he will be expected to establish a research programme, supervise post-graduate students and be involved in the School administration and outreach activities.

S/he must be registered with the Health Professions Council of South Africa as a Dietitian or Nutritionist. S/he will liaise with the Health Professions Council of South Africa, government departments, other tertiary institutions and professional associations.

The incumbent will report to the Academic Leader: Value-Adding Cluster.

Minimum Requirements:

- An MSc in Dietetics or Human Nutrition
- Two years post-Masters research experience
- Current research activity as evidenced by at least one quality publication in a peer-reviewed journal
- Demonstrable ability to teach at a tertiary institution

The successful candidate will be expected to complete a PhD within 5 years from date of assumption of duty.

This appointment will be made in line with the University guidelines/benchmarks which are available on the University vacancies website on <http://vacancies.ukzn.ac.za/Academic-Process-Proc-Guides.aspx>

Enquiries and details regarding this post may be directed to Professor G Ortmann on ortmann@ukzn.ac.za. Or Dr M Siwela on siwelam@ukzn.ac.za.

Appointment to this post will be on the January 2012 Conditions of Service.

The remuneration package offered includes benefits.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 21 August 2017.

Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form which is available on the Vacancies website at www.ukzn.ac.za. Completed forms AND Curriculum Vitae may be sent to Recruitment-aes@ukzn.ac.za. Advert Reference Number MUST be clearly stated in the subject line.