

The University of KwaZulu–Natal (UKZN) is committed to Employment Equity with the intention to promote representivity within the Institution. Preference will be given to applicants from the designated groups.

COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES

SCHOOL OF RELIGION, PHILOSOPHY AND CLASSICS

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR/SENIOR LECTURER (ONE POST)

CLASSICS

HOWARD COLLEGE CAMPUS

REFERENCE NO.: RPC02/2021

The Classics Programme at the University of KwaZulu-Natal seeks to appoint a qualified and committed Classicist, able to teach the discipline in ways that engage contemporary African students, and pursue research in Classics. The programme offers majors in Classical Civilisation, Latin and Classical Greek, and postgraduate training up to PhD. It is also the home of a Museum of Classical Archaeology. Staff are expected to contribute to taught courses up to honours level, engage in supervision of graduate students, pursue research in Classics, and contribute to administration and leadership. We welcome applicants with additional specialisations in areas related to Classics including Egyptology, Africa in Antiquity, and Archaeology, and would especially welcome applicants able to participate in the curatorship of the Museum of Classical Archaeology and related forms of community engagement.

In accordance with the bilingual language policy at UKZN, the potential candidate will be expected to acquire a working knowledge of isiZulu.

Minimum Requirements for Associate Professor:

- A Doctorate in Classics and a sustained record of published research and participation at academic conferences in Classics appropriate for the level of appointment;
- At least five years university lecturing experience in Classics, including Latin or Greek, with the ability to contribute to teaching in both Classical languages.
- Ability to offer, and ideally experience with offering, teaching in online and hybrid learning environments.
- Experience in supervising graduate students in Classics.
- A track record in academic administration and leadership appropriate for an Associate Professor.

Minimum Requirements for Senior Lecturer:

- Doctorate in Classics and a record of published research in Classics appropriate for the level of appointment;
- Several years university lecturing experience in Classics, including Latin or Greek. (Experience in both or commitment to qualify in the other would be an advantage.)
- Ability to offer, and ideally experience with offering, teaching in online and hybrid learning environments.
- Ability to supervise graduate students in Classics;

Short-listed candidates will be asked to make a presentation on a topic to be provided by the discipline as part of the interview process.

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 Letitia Naidoo, email address: Naidool9@ukzn.ac.za

Appointment to this post will be on the January 2018 Conditions of Service. The remuneration package offered includes benefits.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 10 September 2021.

Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form which is available on the Vacancies website at www.ukzn.ac.za

Completed forms may be sent to recruitment-humanities@ukzn.ac.za Please state the advert reference number in your subject line.