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COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

SENIOR LECTURER/LECTURER (2 POSTS)

SOCIOLOGY

HOWARD COLLEGE & PIETERMARITZBURG CAMPUS

REFERENCE NUMBER: SS02/2021

The successful candidates for the posts should have academic training and research specialisation in the discipline of sociology.

The successful candidates is expected to make a significant contribution to teaching and learning, supervision of postgraduate students, actively engage in research/publication and play an active role in the academic life of the School and the institution.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: SENIOR LECTURER

- A PhD in Sociology
- Evidence of appropriate teaching and learning experience in Sociology at the tertiary level in the following areas: Introductory Sociology, Social Theory (classical and/ or contemporary); Social Change and Development; and/ or Research Methods;
- Evidence of successful research supervision of postgraduate students.
- Evidence of a substantial and growing publication record in the discipline; and
- Evidence of attracting research funding and involvement in community engagement.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: LECTURER

- A Masters' degree in Sociology
- Evidence of appropriate teaching and learning experience or training at a tertiary institution in sociology in the following areas: Introductory Sociology, Social Theory (classical and/ or contemporary); Social Change and Development; and/ or Research Methods (qualitative and quantitative)
- Evidence of an emerging research and publication record.
- Involvement in community engagement or outreach programmes
- Suitable interpersonal relations and communication skills.
- Proof of registration for a doctorate/ PhD in Sociology would be an advantage

The short-listed candidate may be required to make a presentation on a topic provided by the School.

The remuneration package offered includes benefits.

Appointment to this post will be based on 2018 Conditions of Service.

Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form which is available at: http://vacancies.ukzn.ac.za/Home.aspx

Completed forms may be sent to Recruitment-humanities@ukzn.ac.za

Please state the advert reference number in your subject line.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 10 September 2021