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RESEARCH DIVISION

**DIRECTOR
LIBRARY SERVICES
(GRADE 5)**

REF NO.: RO 08/2021

The purpose of the job is to provide leadership for the development and maintenance of the library services of the University of KwaZulu-Natal by determining strategy, organising services and allocating resources in order to provide a professional library service to users based upon academic and research needs.

Minimum Requirements:

- University degree and postgraduate diploma in Library Science OR four-year university degree in library science;
- Relevant Master's degree
- Ten (10) years post-qualification relevant experience of which at least five (5) years should be at a senior managerial level in a large academic library.

Additional requirements:

- Thorough understanding of University operations and the importance of the academic library in supporting teaching, learning and research;
- Proven track record in the application of information and communications technology to an academic library service;
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills;
- Excellent organisation and time management skills;
- Ability to work as part of a team.

Appointment to this post will be on the January 2018 Conditions of Service. The total remuneration package offered includes benefits. The closing date for receipt of applications is the 03rd September 2021. Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form ("application form – support"), which is available on the Vacancies website at www.ukzn.ac.za. Completed forms must be sent to Recruitment-nm@ukzn.ac.za.

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