The University of KwaZulu-Natal (UKZN) is committed to Employment Equity Applications are invited from African males and African females.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE

LECTURER (CLIMATOLOGY/ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE) (1 POST) SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURAL, EARTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES WESTVILLE CAMPUS

REF NO.: AEES03/2014

The School has an active group of academic staff contributing to research and teaching in the fields of atmospheric science, biogeography, environmental management, geomorphology, GIS, hydrology, and remote sensing, and seeks an individual who will help in strengthening its activities in climatology and atmospheric science. The incumbent will be tasked with undergraduate teaching in their field of expertise and related fields within Physical Geography/Environmental Science at all levels using curricula in keeping with modern developments in that field, and will assist in developing discipline-wide postgraduate teaching programmes across the School. In addition to teaching, s/he will be expected to develop and maintain an active research programme that will involve supervision of postgraduate students and attract external funding. S/he will also be expected to be involved in the School administration and outreach activities.

This incumbent will report to: The Academic Leader: Geography (DBN).

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

- A MSc in Climatology or Atmospheric Science or related field
- Two years post Maters research experience
- Current research activity as evidenced by at least one quality publication in ISI/SAPSE-listed journals
- Demonstrable ability to teach at a tertiary level

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 S Proches email: prochess@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 07 March 2014.

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-aes@ukzn.ac.za. Advert Reference Number MUST be clearly stated in the subject line.