

**The University of KwaZulu-Natal (UKZN) is committed to meeting the objectives of Employment Equity to improve representivity 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**

**STUDENT COUNSELLOR (1 POST)  
(GRADE 8)**

**One year fixed term (1 March 2020 – 28 February 2021)**

**COLLEGE STUDENT SUPPORT  
WESTVILLE CAMPUS  
REFERENCE NUMBER.: SS01/2020**

Due to the resignation of a Counselling Psychologist in our division, a vacancy has become available for a Psychologist registered in the same category i.e. Counselling Psychology. The incumbent will promote and facilitate the holistic development of students by optimizing student well-being and the learning environment through the provision of counselling and development services to students, thereby enhancing student retention and throughput. S/he will coordinate and conduct life skills workshops as well as psychological assessments, and provide personal, academic and career counselling to science access students as well as other students in the College.

The line manager for this post will be the Manager: College Student Support. The appointed candidate will also have a dotted-line management to the Director of the Centre for Academic Success in Science and Engineering.

**Minimum requirements:**

- Relevant Masters degree in Counselling Psychology
- Minimum one years' experience as a registered Counselling Psychologist (post registration as an Independent Practitioner)
- Current registration as an independent practitioner (Counselling Psychology) with the Health Professions Council of South Africa
- One year relevant experience post registration as an independent Psychologist in a Psychological and/or Student Development Environment
- Experience in coordinating and facilitating lifeskills workshops for students from previously disadvantaged communities.

**Advantages:**

- Eligibility to supervise Counselling Psychology Interns
- Experience in conducting clinical supervision

For more information about the post, including the job profile, please contact Shelley Barnsley on 033-2605697 or email: [barnsley@ukzn.ac.za](mailto:barnsley@ukzn.ac.za)

The Total Remuneration Package offered includes benefits.

The closing date for receipt of application is 21 February 2020.

Applicants are required to apply on the Vacancies page of the University website at [www.vacancies.ukzn.ac.za](http://www.vacancies.ukzn.ac.za). Completed forms must be sent to [barnsley@ukzn.ac.za](mailto:barnsley@ukzn.ac.za)  
Advert Reference Number MUST be clearly stated in the subject line.