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INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION SERVICES DIVISION

**PRINCIPAL SYSTEMS CONSULTANT
(SYSTEMS & SERVICES)**

(GRADE 7)

REF NO: ICS03/2016

Principal Systems Consultants ensure the optimal provisioning of ICS services to the UKZN Community. They supervise less experienced system administrators and provide technical expertise while interfacing with Client Services and Application Development teams. They identify system performance issues and are responsible for resolving these problems.

They are also responsible for analyzing IT user requirements, participating in capacity planning, asset management and providing specifications for procurement of ICS services. They provide "out of the box" innovative solutions to problems, as well as keep current with new and emerging technologies. They also provide expertise and direction to the University's Academic and Support staff in fulfilling the University's mission.

Minimum Requirements:

- Matric **AND**
- Relevant and industry recognized professional IT certification (eg. MCTS, MCSE) **AND**
- Relevant 3 year degree **AND**
- 8 years relevant proven working experience in systems, server and application provisioning in a large and complex heterogeneous Information Technology organization.

Advantages:

- Proven experience with Installation & Configuration of ITS Applications
- Proven experience with Installation & Configuration of Microsoft Products (Active Directory, Exchange, Lync, SharePoint, System Center, Service Desk)
- Proven experience with Installation & Configuration of Databases (Oracle, MS-SQL, MySQL)
- Proven experience with Installation, Configuration & Support of Learning Management Systems

This appointment will be on the 1 January 2012 conditions of service.

The remuneration package offered, which includes benefits, will be dependent on the qualifications and/or experience of the successful applicant. The closing date for receipt of applications is 02 March 2016.

Applicants are required to apply on the Vacancies page of the University website at www.ukzn.ac.za. Completed official application forms must be sent to recruitment-nn@ukzn.ac.za.

The advert reference no MUST clearly be stated in the subject line.