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COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE

**SENIOR LECTURER (BIODIVERSITY & EVOLUTIONARY BIOLOGY)
SCHOOL OF LIFE SCIENCES
WESTVILLE CAMPUS**

REF NO.: LS10/2016

The University of KwaZulu-Natal is one of the top Universities in South Africa and in the top 500 Universities globally. The School of Life Sciences has active research and teaching programs in both Durban and Pietermaritzburg supported by well-equipped undergraduate and research laboratories. The School has an extensive research base comprising staff actively engaged in both theoretical and applied aspects of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology.

The appointee will be expected to teach in areas of Ecology and Evolution at all levels of the Biology program on the Westville campus. The appointee will be expected to undertake research in Terrestrial Ecology (Animal) and to supervise postgraduate students. In addition, the appointee will be expected to assist with administration in the School.

The incumbent will report to the Academic Leader: Biodiversity and Evolutionary Biology.

Minimum Requirements:

- PhD in a relevant field of Biology
- Experience in teaching at a tertiary institution
- Demonstrated ability to attract external research funds
- Successful supervision of postgraduate research students (MSc or PhD)
- A consistent research record as evidenced by recent publications in peer-reviewed ISI accredited journals appropriate for the level.

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 the Dean and Head of School, Prof Sam Mukaratirwa on 031 260 1338 or email: mukaratirwa@ukzn.ac.za.

The total remuneration package offered includes benefits.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 24 June 2016.

**Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form which is available on the Vacancies website at www.ukzn.ac.za. Completed forms AND Curriculum Vitae must be e-mailed to Recruitment-aes@ukzn.ac.za
Advert Reference Number MUST be clearly stated in the subject line.**