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COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

DISCIPLINE OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

SCHOOL OF BUILT ENVIRONMENT & DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

HOWARD COLLEGE CAMPUS

REFERENCE NUMBER: BEDS01/2020

The School of Built Environment and Development Studies seeks to appoint an Associate Professor to teach, supervise, and provide academic leadership within the Disciplines of Development Studies. The successful candidates will be expected to lecture postgraduate students; contribute to the academic and management functions within the discipline and the School; to conduct and publish research as well engage at the community level with partners in South Africa and abroad.

Minimum Requirements

- **PhD** in Development Studies or related field;
- **5 years'** experience in either tertiary teaching or relevant
- Mentorship/supervision experience in an industrial or research environment;
- A nationally and internationally recognized **thought leader** with an **academic and research profile** of note, having led and/or co-led research projects as PI or Co-PI;
- Evidence of **management and leadership experience** in a tertiary or research institution setting;
- A current record of appropriate research as evidenced by **publications** in accredited journals, books, and peer reviewed conference proceedings;
- Successful evidence of **student supervision** and extensive **mentorship** of students in an industrial or research environment;
- Evidence of effective research in **quantitative research methods**.
- Evidence of national and international recognition as a **research leader** and **specialist** in the following areas of development studies praxis:
 - ✓ A quantitative methodology,
 - ✓ Macro-economics,
 - ✓ The informal sector,
 - ✓ Social policy,
 - ✓ International finance or public finance,
 - ✓ Industrialisation, and

- ✓ Political economy.

Please note that short-listed candidates may be required to undertake a skills test.

The remuneration package offered includes benefits which are outlined in the January 2018 Conditions of employment

Applicants are required to send an Application form, certified copies of qualifications, cover letter and CV and providing evidence for, each of the minimum requirements and advantages as listed above. The application form can be found at <http://vacancies.ukzn.ac.za/Home.aspx> (Academic staff). 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>. The closing date is **Sunday, 14 June 2020**. Enquiries and details regarding this post, as well as the request for the job profile may be directed to Ms Sphindile Mvuyana, email address: Mvuyanas@ukzn.ac.za