

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

LECTURER NGAP (HYDROGEOLOGY) (1 POST)

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURAL, EARTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

WESTVILLE CAMPUS

REF NO.: AEES07/2021

Are you interested in becoming a researcher that contributes to the cutting edge of knowledge in the field of Hydrogeology? Are you inspired by facilitating the learning of others so that they can apply their knowledge back into the field of Hydrogeology? Do you want to grow into an academic researcher in this exciting field? If your answer is yes, then we would like to offer you an exciting opportunity, in collaboration with the Department of Higher Education's New Generation Academic Programme, to join the University of KwaZulu-Natal and become part of our journey to becoming the premier University of African Scholarship.

The successful candidate will be expected to register for a doctoral degree at UKZN and will be closely mentored to become an academic through a programme designed to assist with early career development. S/he will be required to teach, using curricula in keeping with modern developments in the field and contributing towards field modules. In addition to teaching, s/he will be expected to be involved in the School administration/outreach activities.

The incumbent will report to the Academic Leader of Geological Sciences

Minimum requirements:

- A BSc Honours in Hydrogeology, Environmental and Engineering geology or related fields
- A Masters degree in Hydrogeology
- South African Citizen
- A publication record in peer-reviewed ISI/DoHET accredited Journal(s) is an advantage

The successful applicant will be expected to complete a PhD within 5 years from the date of assumption of duty.

A brief statement of motivation regarding the applicant's aspiration to become an academic and a researcher must accompany the applications.

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 Tesfaye Birke
email: BirkeT@ukzn.ac.za.

Appointment to this post will be on the January 2018 Conditions of Service.

The remuneration package offered includes benefits.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 24 May 2021.

Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form which is available on the vacancies page of the University website at www.ukzn.ac.za. Applicants are requested to clearly indicate the level they are applying for. Completed forms should be sent to recruitment-aes@ukzn.ac.za. Advert Reference Number MUST be clearly stated in the subject line.