

**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 HEALTH SCIENCES**

**PROFESSOR/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR/SENIOR LECTURER  
(Up to 2 posts)**

**THREE (3) YEAR FULL-TIME FIXED TERM APPOINTMENT  
HOWARD COLLEGE/MEDICAL SCHOOL/WESTVILLE CAMPUS**

**REF NO.: CHS03/2021**

The College wishes to appoint academics who will contribute actively to research, teaching and learning, postgraduate in particular, and community engagement, with an emphasis on, depending on the niche area, cutting edge technological expertise and innovation. The successful candidate will be expected to have proven and sustainable impressive international footprints, as evidenced by, *inter alia*, current linkages with international institutions, ongoing collaborative research projects and grants. S/he will need to have high impact publications included in their publication portfolio. S/he will be expected to generate external funding to sustain their continued appointment after their initial three year appointment.

The disciplines which the College wishes to appoint dynamic academics in includes: Epidemiology, Bioinformatics; Biostatistics; Genomics, Antimicrobial Resistance and Viral Surveillance (Virology) or Nanotechnology/Nano Drug Delivery; People centred Health care or Health Systems, Traditional Medicine; and Lung Health.

**Minimum Requirements:**

- A relevant doctoral degree;
- Demonstrated ability to publish in high impact factor journals
- A research profile commensurate with the description above
- Demonstrated ability to attract research grants
- Valid driver's licence

As high level appointments, the expectation for these positions will be in excess of the University benchmarks which are available on the university Vacancies website on <http://vacancies.ukzn.ac.za/Academic-Process-Proc-Guides.aspx>

Enquiries regarding this post may be directed to the relevant Dean & Head of School. The job profile is available from Mr TS Mpembe: email: [mpembet@ukzn.ac.za](mailto:mpembet@ukzn.ac.za) or telephone: 031 260 7886 You are invited to visit the College website at <https://chs.ukzn.ac.za>

**The total remuneration includes benefits.**

**The closing date for receipt of applications is 12 November 2021. The University, however, reserves the right in special circumstances to accept late applications or to extend the above date in order to facilitate further searches.**

**Applications are required to complete the relevant application form which is available on the Vacancies page of the University website at [www.ukzn.ac.za](http://www.ukzn.ac.za)**

**Completed forms may be sent to [Recruitment-chs@ukzn.ac.za](mailto:Recruitment-chs@ukzn.ac.za) Please state the advert reference number in your subject line.**