



External Vacancy

FACULTY: Applied & Computer Sciences	DEPARTMENT: Information and Computer Technology
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POST: Associate Professor	Post No : 0856 - Peromnes level 06
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JOB DESCRIPTION:

The incumbent will be required to: {KPA'S}

- Develop and lecture the curriculum in the related field of expertise
- Align curricula to the Higher Education qualification framework
- Conduct research and development for publication in accredited journals, and present papers at national and international level
- Facilitate commercialization of research outputs in line with the university and national framework
- Market departmental activities outside of the university to ensure growth of the VUT business
- Assist with the facilitation of student learning to ensure successful completion of a qualification as far as possible
- Perform any related administrative functions to support learning, research and community engagement
- Assist HODs in upholding academic standards in the department, including related capacity building (including deputising them)
- Create opportunities for students to develop as job “creators” and not as job “seekers”
- Provide academic leadership in teaching and learning
- Provide leadership in research activities
- Develop and promote post-graduate study and supervise post-graduate research projects
- Liaison with industry including consultation work
- Departmental administration
- Maintain a solid record of research output and scholarship

Applicants are required to indicate on their CV's or applications to what extent their qualifications and experience meet the application criteria listed below for the position as set out above.

Application Criteria:

Qualification/Experience:

- Doctoral Degree in Information Technology or Informatics.
- Seven (7) years of tertiary or related experience in the specific field
- Supervision of postgraduate students: Three (3) completed Masters and/or two (2) completed Doctorates at Senior Lecturer level
- Four (4) publications in an accredited journal (as first author) at Senior Lecturer level
- Four (4) national presentations/papers at Senior Lecturer level
- Two (2) international presentations/papers at Senior Lecturer level
- Promotion of and / or active participation in community engagement projects and / or leadership in establishing such projects.

Skills:

- Excellent managerial skills, excellent communication skills (verbal and written), excellent teaching skills, excellent research skills and curriculum development skills, competent organisational, interpersonal and presentation skills.

Closing date for applications: 01 June 2018

Submit CV by hand to Ms C Titus at B103 or e-mailed to recruitment@vut.ac.za

Please Note: The application must be accompanied by a CV, identity document and ORIGINAL certified copies (not older than 3 months) of educational qualifications. Submission of such copies entitles Vaal University of Technology to authenticate the qualifications without any further consent from the applicant. Candidates with foreign qualifications must also submit the South African equivalent of the qualification. These qualifications are evaluated by SAQA. Vaal University of Technology is an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer, which is committed to the implementation of its employment equity plan. Therefore people from designated groups are encouraged to apply. If you are not contacted within three weeks after the closing date, please accept that your application was unsuccessful.