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INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT ACADEMIC STAFF POSITIONS

Preamble

The University of Ibadan as part of the repositioning of its Distance Learning Centre (DLC) hereby invites applications from suitably qualified candidates for the under-listed academic and administrative positions for its Distance Learning programmes. Successful candidates will be required to facilitate/provide online academic and administrative support to students on the University's ODL mode and liaise with relevant academic departments in the University:

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

1. FACULTY OF ARTS

i. **Department of Communication and Language Arts**

Lecturer II

Applicants must possess Bachelor of Arts (B.A), Master of Arts (M.A) and Ph.D Degrees in Communication and Language Arts. Demonstrable competence as well as evidence of previous experience in ODL facilitation will also be required. Verifiable competence in the use of Information Technology (IT) facilities is mandatory. Evidence of scholarly publications in reputable journals will be an advantage. Successful candidate(s) should be prepared to facilitate in GES 101 (Use of English).

ii. **Department of Linguistics And African Languages**

Lecturer II

Area of Specialisation

- o Syntax/Semantics/Phonetics/Phonology/
Sociolinguistics/Applied Linguistics

Applicants must possess Bachelor of Arts (B.A), Master of Arts (M.A) and Ph.D Degrees in Linguistics and African Languages. Demonstrable competence as well as evidence of previous experience in ODL facilitation will also be required. Evidence of scholarly publications in reputable journals will be an advantage. Verifiable competence in the use of Information Technology (IT) facilities is mandatory.

Successful candidates for the academic staff positions in the Faculty of Arts should also be prepared to carry out editorial duties on course materials for the Distance Learning Centre.

2. FACULTY OF THE SOCIAL SCIENCES

i. **Department of Economics**

Lecturer II

Applicant must possess Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.), Master of Science (M.Sc) and Ph.D Degrees in Economics. Applicant must have evidence of teaching experience, preferably as a facilitator of ODL mode of education.

ii. Department of Psychology/Political Science

Lecturer II

Applicants must possess a Ph.D Degree in either Political Science/Psychology with a **STRONG** bias in Research Methodology and Statistics. Applicant must have evidence of teaching experience, preferably as a facilitator of ODL mode of education.

3. FACULTY OF EDUCATION

i. Department of Guidance and Counselling

Lecturer II

Area of Specialisation

- Counselling Psychology/ Educational Psychology

Applicants should possess a Ph.D Degree in Guidance and Counselling with specialisation in either of the above named areas of specialisation. Evidence of scholarly publications in reputable journals will be an added advantage. Applicants should also have demonstrable ability to handle foundation courses in Counselling and Educational Psychology.

ii. Department of Teacher Education

Lecturer II

Area of Specialisation

- Instructional Technology

Applicant should possess a Ph.D Degree in Educational Technology. Evidence of scholarly publications in reputable journals will be an added advantage. In addition to the above, applicant must show evidence of teaching experience, preferably as a facilitator of ODL mode of education.

NON-ACADEMIC STAFF POSITIONS

i) Post of Counselling Psychologist

Candidate must possess a minimum of Masters Degree in Guidance and Counselling with specialisation in Counselling Psychology or related specialisation. Candidate should possess on-line or web-based skills and should be able to give counselling support on-line.

ii) Post of Interpreter

Requirements: First Degree in Special Education from a recognised institution. Candidate should be able to specialise in hearing impairment and possess demonstrable skills in sign language

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ACADEMIC POSITIONS

1. Proficiency in/ demonstrable use of Google Apps, blogs, Learning Management System (LMS), Microsoft Office suite and major social media network platform to facilitate interaction with the students.
2. Ability to use OER in facilitating distance education.
3. Ability to author/grade questions using appropriate technologies.

METHOD OF APPLICATION

Applicants should forward their applications and detailed Curriculum Vitae (20 copies) stating: Date of Birth (not Age), Marital Status, State of Origin, L.G.A., Mobile Telephone Number, E-mail Address, Academic Qualifications, Experience in Teaching and Research, Publications (if any) and enclose two

sets of Photostat copies of relevant credentials. Applicants should also indicate the names of three Referees and their addresses.

Applications should reach the Deputy Registrar (Establishments), University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria, not later than six weeks from the date of this publication. Applicants should request their Referees to send reports on them, under confidential cover, indicating the positions and department to which they have applied for, direct to the Deputy Registrar (Establishments) from whom further details may be obtained. Electronic copy of the application should also be sent by e-mail to vacancy@dlc.ui.edu.ng

Applicants are required to indicate the position applied for and the department in their applications as well as on the envelopes containing the applications.

Shortlisted applicants would be required to take competency test in use of e-learning and make a departmental seminar presentation in their area of interest before their being shortlisted for the oral interview.

CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

The appointment, which is to commence as soon as possible, is for three years in the first instance. It may be extended for specific periods or confirmed to retiring age. Fringe benefits include a Pension Scheme or comparable arrangement as may be approved from time to time by the University Council, housing allowance at an approved rate or residential accommodation at an approved rate if University accommodation is available.

SALARY SCALE

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Only the applications of shortlisted candidates will be acknowledged.

O. I. Olukoya, MNIM, FPA
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