

Candidate Information

Position:	Senior Lecturer in Health Economics, MDBS
School/Department:	Centre for Public Health
Reference:	22/110536
Closing Date:	Friday 10 February 2023
Salary:	£43,414 - £53,353 per annum
Anticipated Interview Date:	Monday 27 February 2023

JOB PURPOSE:

To work with academic colleagues to develop and deliver research and teaching strategies and programmes in health economics applied and allied to the work of a range of programmes linked to the Belfast Region City Deal (BRCD), the Centre for Public Health (CPH) and the School of Medicine, Dentistry and Biomedical Sciences (MDBS), whilst also developing own research portfolio and impact; to increase and advance the use of health economics approaches and methodologies to the evaluation of BRCD programmes and to public health; to teach at undergraduate and postgraduate level; and contribute to School and CPH administration/outreach activity..

MAJOR DUTIES:

Research:

1. Develop and contribute to the research strategies of the School and Faculty.
2. Secure external funding as a principal investigator from nationally and /or internationally competitive sources to develop and support research programme.
3. Continue to develop a record of high quality research outputs that are at an international level of excellence.
4. Sustain high quality research-related contributions through conference papers and presentations.
5. Supervise PhD and MD students to successful completion.
6. Develop and facilitate a translational research portfolio as appropriate.
7. Develop a strong research programme in health economics applied to Public Health and to programmes linked to BRCD, collaborating with others within the Centre and University.
8. Develop postgraduate research and training programmes.
9. Undertake Continuous Professional Development.

Teaching:

1. Provide teaching in area of expertise in the undergraduate programmes in the School/Faculty.
2. Participate actively in postgraduate programmes/training within the School/Faculty as appropriate.
3. Contribute to the enhancement of quality teaching within the subject, school or faculty, ensuring that course design and delivery comply with the appropriate benchmarks and regulations
4. Act as internal examiner for undergraduate and postgraduate students
5. Undertake some teaching-related administrative tasks.

Administration/Contribution to Community:

1. Make a significant and tangible contribution to the achievement of strategic goals.
2. Support internationalisation through, for example, development of global partnerships, reputation enhancement, and student recruitment.
3. Contribute significantly to the development and running of the School/area by taking on appropriate School co-ordinating roles. Such duties may include, for example, Advisor of Studies, QAA Aspect Co-ordinator, Module/Year/Programme Co-ordinator or other recognised official University roles.
4. Serve, as appropriate, on School/Faculty/University committees and undertake other administrative duties as required by the University from time to time.
5. Act as mentor or appraiser to University colleagues advising on their personal development and ensuring that that they are meeting the standards required

6. Provide pastoral care for students within their supervision to ensure, as far as practicable, that relevant issues are dealt with in a timely, sympathetic and effective manner
7. Contribute to the School's outreach strategy by designing or delivering Community outreach programmes and developing external links.

ESSENTIAL CRITERIA:

1. Primary Degree
2. PhD in a subject area related to Health Economics.
3. Record of high-quality publications relevant to Health Economics at an international level of excellence in internationally recognised journals.
4. Record of successfully obtaining significant research funding or other resources to underpin research, as appropriate to the discipline, through competitive national or international peer-reviewed processes as Principal Investigator.
5. Research profile in Health Economics that complements the research priorities of the School of Medicine, Dentistry and Biomedical Sciences.
6. Evidence of developing research methodologies, models, approaches and techniques of Health Economics.
7. Experience of presenting at national and international meetings and conferences.
8. Successful PhD supervision as Primary Supervisor.
9. Substantial teaching experience at University level.
10. Evidence of contribution to the successful delivery, enhancements or review of particular modules.
11. Experience of delivering high quality teaching as evidenced by positive feedback received from for example: students, colleagues and external examiners
12. Contribution to a wide range of administrative tasks.
13. Evidence of academic leadership including managing professional teams, leading initiatives, chairing/participation in committees, contributing to strategy, participating and managing relevant aspects.
14. Demonstrable ability to advance the strategic objectives of the University, Faculty and School.
15. Ability to be involved in productive external collaboration with industry/community organisations/other institutions.
16. Ability to provide effective leadership for groups and activities with substantial impact on finance and other resources and/or the reputation of the University.
17. Understanding of resource management processes and skills to apply them effectively.
18. Record of and commitment to continuing professional development
19. Good presentation skills with the ability to communicate complex information effectively.
20. Ability to represent the School/Institute on a national and international basis.
21. The ability to organise workload and prioritise competing demands.
22. Ability to manage resources and staff.
23. Commitment and enthusiasm for working collaboratively to advance the teaching and research priorities of the School/Centre.
24. Must be a team player who can develop effective internal and external research and where appropriate practice links.
25. Demonstrable alignment with the Queen's Core Values.
26. Must be prepared to travel nationally and internationally to attend and present at conferences and to meet with collaborators and stakeholders.

DESIRABLE CRITERIA:

1. Completion of a PGCHET (or equivalent) or HEA membership.
2. Masters in Public Health or allied subject
3. Experience of application of health economics methods in public health, including for evaluation of public health interventions.
4. Experience in Knowledge Transfer/Exchange activities.
5. Experience in programme management and in the development and enhancement of undergraduate and/or postgraduate curricula and assessment methods.