

# **Candidate Information**

Position: Lecturer (Ed) in Law (Irish Land Law and Succession) - Practice Fellow (0.2FTE)

**School/Department:** School of Law **Reference:** 23/110653

Closing Date: Monday 6 March 2023

**Salary:** £38,592 - £53,353 per annum, pro rata.

Anticipated Interview Date: Friday 24 March 2023

**Duration:** Part time (7.4 hours), fixed term for 12 months

## JOB PURPOSE:

The School of Law benefits from excellent relationships with the legal professions in Northern Ireland, including through its Judge in Residence programme, and regular teaching and research collaborations between staff, students, members of the judiciary and practicing lawyers. The postholder will lead on teaching Irish Land Law and Succession on the LLB, and other Foundational subjects as required and produce scholarship of interest and relevance to the law in Northern Ireland. They will hold a professional legal qualification, and will use their practice-based expertise to augment and enhance current and future provision in the School.

### **MAJOR DUTIES:**

### Teaching:

- 1. Deliver a range of teaching and assessment activities to undergraduates and postgraduates and as allocated by the Head of School, including tutorials, lectures, seminars, setting/marking coursework/exams particularly in Irish Land Law and Succession.
- 2. Assess the work and progress of students by reference to the criteria and provide constructive feedback to students.
- 3. Seek ways of improving performance by reflecting on teaching design and delivery and obtaining and analysing feedback.
- 4. Plan and develop independent teaching contributions and contribute to the design or revision of course units.
- 5. Help to develop appropriate teaching approaches and contribute to curriculum development.

## Research:

- 1. Engage in scholarly activity on matters of interest and relevance to the profession e.g. participate in seminars/conferences; publish articles, contribute to textbooks, and other scholarly materials on the law.
- 2. Willingness to engage with the profession and employers through the development and maintenance of networks that promote the reputation of the Law School and engagement with our stakeholders.

# Administration/Contribution to the Community:

- 1. Contribute to the School's outreach strategy by developing external links, primarily with the legal professions locally and farther afield.
- 2. Provide pastoral care for students within own area to ensure, as far as practicable, that relevant issues are dealt with in a timely, sympathetic and effective manner.
- 3. Carry out designated routine School administrative duties, including, for example, committee work, course administration, as appropriate etc.
- 4. Be responsible for the record–keeping associated with teaching and the preparation of teaching materials.

### **ESSENTIAL CRITERIA:**

- 1. A degree in Law or qualification which equates to the Foundations of Legal Knowledge for professional purposes.
- 2. Relevant professional legal qualification, and at least 3 years' post-qualification experience in professional legal practice.
- 3. Demonstrated ability to produce scholarship (for example though publications, talks, presentations) of interest and relevance to the profession.
- 4. Willingness to engage in activities with the profession and employers that promote the reputation of the Law School and engagement with our stakeholders.

- 5. Willingness and evidence of ability to design materials for and teach Irish Land Law and Succession and, where required, foundations subjects at Undergraduate and Postgraduate levels.
- 6. Ability to contribute to broader management and administrative processes.
- 7. High level of analytical capability.
- 8. Ability to communicate complex information clearly.
- 9. Effective interpersonal skills.
- 10. Evidence of engagement in continuous professional development.
- 11. Demonstrable ability to assess and organise resources.

# **DESIRABLE CRITERIA:**

1. Experience of teaching law in a higher education context.