

## **Candidate Information**

Position: Lecturer (Education) Criminology

School/Department: School of Social Sciences, Education and Social Work

**Reference:** 23/111470

Closing Date: Wednesday 3 January 2024
Salary: £41,331 - £57,141 per annum
Anticipated Interview Date: Monday 22 January 2024

**Duration:** Fixed term post for 24 months, or available until 31/01/2026, whichever

is sooner.

#### JOB PURPOSE:

To teach at undergraduate and postgraduate level in the area of criminology, contribute to the School's administration/outreach activity as required and to develop or maintain a portfolio of appropriate scholarly activity.

#### **MAJOR DUTIES:**

### Teaching:

- 1. Develop and deliver teaching, assessment and outreach activities at undergraduate and postgraduate level, including lectures, setting/marking coursework, and student supervision.
- 2. Contribute to the design of teaching programmes in the field of criminology.
- 3. Develop the teaching activities of the School by pursuing innovative teaching methods.
- 4. Take responsibility for the quality of modules delivered, including online and guidance materials necessary to deliver teaching.
- 5. Contribute to the enhancement of quality teaching within criminology.

#### **Scholarly Activity:**

- 1. Develop and contribute to the research activities of the School by developing/ sustaining a personal research plan within the field of criminology.
- 2. Maintain and develop teaching and subject expertise.
- 3. Disseminate research by publishing and presenting at conferences in the field of criminology.

### Administration/Contribution to the Community:

- 1. Contribute to the School's outreach strategy by developing external links.
- 2. Undertake personal tutoring with students to ensure, as far as practicable, that all relevant issues are dealt with in a timely, sympathetic and effective manner.
- 3. Carry out designated School functions, including, for example, participation in committee work, assisting in the process of admissions and delivering recruitment events.

### **ESSENTIAL CRITERIA:**

- 1. PhD or equivalent awarded or due for completion and to be awarded within one year of taking up post.
- 2. Evidence of ability to engage in scholarly activity commensurate to a Lecturer (Education) post/
- 3. Experience of lecturing and tutoring at University level or equivalent in a relevant social science discipline.
- 4. Evidence of appropriate administrative experience, commensurate with stage of career.
- 5. Evidence of scholarly activity (eg conference papers, network involvement, book reviews).
- 6. Ability to communicate clearly and effectively to students, academic colleagues and professional bodies and managers.
- 7. Ability to work independently and collegially.

# **DESIRABLE CRITERIA:**

- 1. Subject of PhD research directly relevant to the School's research themes.
- 2. Higher Education Academy membership (or equivalent HE teaching qualification).

- 3. Research interests directly relevant to Criminology.
- 4. Potential to develop successful external research grant applications.
- 5. Expertise in issues of transitional justice, conflict, and/or peacebuilding.
- 6. Ability to enhance existing research strengths in the School (e.g., justice and conflict, victimology, desistance, youth justice) or contribute to existing scholarly gaps in the School (e.g., corporate crime, cybercrime or green criminology).
- 7. Presentation of research at conferences, workshops or other for a, including international events/
- 8. Sustained teaching experience at University level.
- 9. Evidence of ability to design modules.
- 10. Evidence of good teaching evaluations.
- 11. Ability to supervise undergraduate dissertation projects.
- 12. Contributions to a range of administrative tasks.
- 13. Contribution to a wide range of community/outreach activities.
- 14. Ability to manage resources and staff.