



SENIOR LECTURER

Division of Public Health Medicine

Department of Public Health and Family Medicine

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

The Division of Public Health Medicine in the School of Public Health and Family Medicine at the University of Cape Town is seeking an experienced full-time senior lecturer to convene the first year multi-professional course "Becoming a Professional" and co-convene "Becoming a Health Professional." The successful applicant would also be required to contribute to teaching and learning, and academic governance in the Faculty of Health Sciences, as well as conduct public health-related research and contribute to academic leadership and administration in the School.

Requirements:

- Master's Degree in health sciences or cognate discipline;
- At least 2 years' experience in higher education curriculum design, implementation, assessment & evaluation;
- A postgraduate qualification in health science education OR at least 5 years' experience in higher education curriculum design, implementation, assessment and evaluation;
- Understanding of multi-professional education\team work;
- Understanding of transformation in higher education;
- Understanding of curriculum development related to interpersonal skill development, professionalism and reflective practice;
- Excellent leadership, organizational and management skills;
- Demonstrated evidence to lead and work in a team;
- A high level of computer literacy;

The following will be advantageous:

- A background in Health Sciences.
- A track record of work in diversity education or transformation advocacy.
- A track record of work in multi-professional education.
- A PhD in health sciences, health sciences education or a cognate discipline.
- Empathy and enthusiasm for working with students and colleagues demonstrated in past engagements.
- Meaningful engagement with students from diverse backgrounds.
- Excellent understanding of the Primary Health Care approach.

Responsibilities:

- Convene and teach the "Becoming a Professional" and co-convene "Becoming a Health Professional" courses in the Division of Public Health Medicine including the "Me and HIV/AIDS" and "Basic Life Support Skills" workshops
- Design course content, activities, assessments, and evaluations for first year multi-professional courses and design facilitator and student resources, handbooks and guides for BP and BHP
- Recruit facilitators and co-ordinate facilitator training
- Manage the course administrator for these courses
- Support and manage the deputy convener and facilitator team
- Manage all aspects of course design, implementation, assessment and evaluation processes
- Contribute to review and oversight of undergraduate public health teaching by School committees
- Supervise MPH, 4th year and Special Study Module (SSM) students on their research projects where appropriate
- Plan, conduct and publish public health related research
- Represent the School in relevant School and Faculty committees

The annual remuneration packages for 2018, including benefits: R 786 717

To apply, please e-mail the below documents in **a single pdf file** to Vathiswa Mbangi at recruitment05@uct.ac.za:

- UCT Application Form (download at <http://forms.uct.ac.za/hr201.doc>)
- Letter of motivation outlining suitability in relation to the above requirements
- Curriculum Vitae (CV)

Please ensure the title and reference number are indicated in the subject line.

An application which does not comply with the above requirements will be regarded as incomplete.

Telephone: 021 650 3003 **Website:** www.publichealth.uct.ac.za

Reference number: E18482 **Closing date:** 21 January 2019

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