

University of Sydney

LECTURER / SENIOR LECTURER REHABILITATION COUNSELLING

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

REFERENCE NO. 1481/0811

Leading Rehabilitation Counselling course program
Teaching and Research role – benefit from a collegiate team environment
Full-time continuing: Salary package \$102K-\$144K p.a

The Faculty of Health Sciences is the largest health science faculty in Australia and is internationally recognised for quality and innovation in teaching and research. The Faculty focus is on health, disability, rehabilitation and functioning. The Faculty's Discipline of Rehabilitation Counselling has a strong commitment to education and training to meet the accreditation requirements of the Australian Society of Rehabilitation Counsellors, Rehabilitation Counselling Association of Australasia accreditation guidelines or similar international bodies which influence rehabilitation counselling curricula as well as research. The Faculty has an active program of research related to the International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health (ICF).

We are seeking to appoint a Lecturer / Senior Lecturer to take a leadership role in enriching the students' learning and teaching experience in a leading rehabilitation counselling course program and to undertake research in the field of community participation or disability and social inclusion.

In this role you will:

- provide leadership as a course director
- coordinate and teach courses in the rehabilitation counselling core including medical and psychological aspects of disability, counselling interventions, client assessment and job placement, case management, and field placement or internship
- attract and supervise postgraduate students
- lead and contribute to cross-disciplinary research producing applications for research grants and publications.

To succeed in this role you will have:

- a PhD in rehabilitation counselling or related field
- knowledge of the core competencies of rehabilitation counsellors, and experience teaching in an accredited graduate rehabilitation counsellor education program
- evidence of a clear line of research related to rehabilitation and health such as social inclusion or disability and community participation
- an established or emerging national reputation in the field, comprehensive knowledge of relevant accreditation standards and procedures, and some academic program leadership experience
- hold membership and demonstrated active involvement in appropriate regional and national professional association(s)
- ideally a strong methodological background, a developing or well-defined research program that is supported by funding from a source that uses a rigorous peer review process, and experience with interdisciplinary research
- eligibility for membership of a psychological society rehabilitation psychology division (desirable).

This is an ideal opportunity to further develop your academic profile in rehabilitation counselling whilst working in a collegiate team environment. You will have opportunities to participate and lead collaborative research and to develop and deliver rigorous teaching programs.

Enquiries regarding the role may be directed to Professor Elias Mpofu on +612 9036 7370 or elias.mpofu@sydney.edu.au . General enquiries regarding the recruitment process and the salary package may be directed to Julie Small +612 8627 1223 or j.small@sydney.edu.au .

Visa sponsorship will be made available to suitable international candidates.

To be considered for this position it is essential that you address the online selection criteria.

CLOSING DATE: 10 November 2011

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