

**JOB DESCRIPTION**  
**Lecturer in Education and Social Justice, Educational Research**  
**Vacancy Ref: A809**

<b>Job Title:</b>	Lecturer in Education and Social Justice	<b>Present Grade:</b> 8
<b>Department/College:</b>	Department of Educational Research	
<b>Directly responsible to:</b>	Head of Department, Dr Paul Ashwin	
<b>Supervisory responsibility for:</b>	N/A	
<b>Other contacts</b>		
<b>Contacts:</b>		
<p><b>Internal:</b> Colleagues and students in the Department and in the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, together with colleagues in other faculties, providers of student support services, the Library, ISS, central administration and other relevant university actors.</p> <p><b>External:</b> Relevant Research funding bodies and councils, professional bodies, employers, business organisations, local, UK and foreign government organisations, academic and research networks.</p>		
<b>Major Duties:</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contribute to the development of the Department as a unit generating research and scholarship of international excellence;</li> <li>• Develop a personal research programme in an Education and Social Justice (ESJ) area leading to publications in key international peer-reviewed academic journals and to other appropriate forms of research output;</li> <li>• Identify opportunities and attract funds for new research contracts and grants</li> <li>• Participate in, and where appropriate lead, Research Centres and academic initiatives departmental and/or inter-departmental;</li> <li>• Contribute to, and where appropriate lead, the development and delivery of the Department's online taught Doctoral Programme in education and social justice, and to other courses as appropriate to the appointee's research expertise and wider scholarship;</li> <li>• Communicate effectively with students and colleagues, using face-to-face, telephone, written and electronic communication (including email and VLE) modes as appropriate;</li> <li>• Supervise dissertations and PhD theses and advise students on a range of research methodologies</li> <li>• Contribute to the development of new courses or modules, individually and/or consortially taught, and participate in ongoing development of aspects of course structure, delivery, assessment, etc;</li> <li>• Contribute to the Department's academic and pastoral care of its students and to the enhancement of their learning, personal development and achievement;</li> <li>• Participate in the Department's various outreach activities including Open Days, etc;</li> <li>• Assume various administrative tasks and responsibilities as requested by the Head of Department;</li> <li>• Provide cover for colleagues on sabbatical where necessary;</li> <li>• Undertake other duties as required by the Head of Department.</li> </ul>		