**PERSON SPECIFICATION**

**Senior Teaching Associate in Film Studies**

**Vacancy Ref: 0640-24**

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| **Criteria** | **Essential or Desirable** | **Tested By \*** |
| Good knowledge of film studies, particularly in a field which links with and adds to existing strengths in the department. | Essential | Supporting Statement / Interview |
| The ability to teach at all levels of higher education, to choose appropriate delivery techniques and assessment methods, and to inspire students. Please state your teaching and supervisory experience. | Essential | Supporting Statement / Interview |
| Effective communication and interpersonal skills, ability to present information in an accurate and appropriate format and ability to work co-operatively and flexibly with colleagues in a team-based environment. | Essential | Interview |
| Willingness and ability to participate in general administration of the Department, including public engagement, commensurate with seniority. | Essential | Interview |
| Please write a statement in support of your application, including your rationale for applying for this post and how you could contribute to Department of Film. (**max 500 words**) | Essential | Supporting Statement |
| Appreciation of and commitment to the University’s values. | Essential | Interview |
| A PhD in film studies or other relevant discipline, completed or nearing completion. Please give details of your PhD, stating institution, date of award or expected date, discipline/specialism. | Desirable | Supporting Statement |
| A publication or exhibiting record in film (or the capacity to develop this) indicating the potential to produce high quality publications consistent with inclusion in future Research Excellence Framework exercises. Please list your publications over the last 5 years. | Desirable | Supporting Statement / Interview |
| Experience of contributing to the development of teaching in film and film studies (e.g. module design, curriculum development) in consultation with colleagues and employers. | Desirable | Supporting Statement / Interview |

* **Application Form** – assessed against the application form, curriculum vitae and letter of support. Applicants will not be asked to answer with a specific supporting statement. Normally used to evaluate factual evidence e.g. award of a qualification. Will be “scored” as part of the shortlisting process.
* **Supporting Statements** - applicants are asked to provide a statement to demonstrate how they meet the criteria. The response will be “scored” as part of the shortlisting process.
* **Interview** – assessed during the interview process by either competency-based interview questions, tests or presentation etc