

JOB DESCRIPTION Senior Research Associate Vacancy Ref: A2200

Job Title: Senior Research Associate in ESRC Centre for Corpus Approaches to Social Science	Grade: 7P
Duration: 5 years	
Department/College: Linguistics and English Language	
Directly responsible to: Principal Investigator	
Supervisory responsibility for: N/A	
Other contacts:	
 Internal: Other members of the project team, 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. External: ESRC, professional bodies, employers, business organisations, local and UK government organisations, academic and research networks. 	
Major Duties:	
- Undertake research to meet the specified aims of the ESRC-funded Research Centre: Corpus Approaches to Social Sciences	
- Apply expertise in the following fields: 1. the analysis of language in health(care) contexts; 2. the use of corpus-based methods in the study of language and texts.	
- Complete the construction and preparation of a range of corpus data.	
- Contribute towards the development of appropriate methods and tools for the analysis of corpus data	
- Conduct manual and automatic analyses of the data.	
- Participate in regular project meetings and participate in research networks more broadly.	
- Write and/or contribute to academic articles (of suitable quality to be returned in the Research Excellence Framework) and contribute to other publications arising out of the project.	
- Develop innovative approaches to presentation and engagement, delivering research seminars and disseminating research findings and carrying out impact activities as appropriate.	
- Contribute to the national and international research reputation of the project.	
- Participate in and/or take the lead on (as appropriate) the writing of new follow-on research proposals that build on the results of the project.	
- Work within the strategic direction of the University as a whole and the University's code of ethics and practice guidelines.	
- Make any further contributions to the project as required by the Principal Investigator, commensurate with the grade.	