

JOB DESCRIPTION

Vacancy Ref: A2658

 Job Title:
 KTP Associate in next generation infrared detectors
 Present Grade: off-scale

 Department/College:
 Department of Physics

 Directly responsible to: Dr Andrew Marshall

 Supervisory responsibility for:
 None

Other contacts

Internal:

University: Staff and postgraduate students of the Department, Research & Enterprise Services staff concerning KTP and relations between the University and Amethyst Research.

Amethyst Research: staff and senior management team

External:

Amethyst Research: Key stakeholders, Innovate UK KTP Adviser

Major Duties:

The Associate for the Knowledge Transfer Partnership will drive and lead a project which aims to develop the next generation of ultra-high performance infrared detectors. You will work closely with and be supported by academics from the Department of Physics and the senior management team at Amethyst Research.

Key Responsibilities

Under the supervision of academics from the Department of Physics and the senior management team at Amethyst Research, the Associate will:

- Lead the activities required for the development the next generation of ultra-high performance infrared detectors.
- Ensure that the new capacity is embedded within the company, overseeing training for Amethyst employees and development of marketing information for discussions with commercial partners.
- Effectively communicating the techniques in a non-academic environment and be able to translate the academic approaches for a business audience.
- Actively manage a personal development plan and commit to any training required for the project.
- Manage the KTP project including maintenance of project plans, and organisation of project-related meetings.
- Prepare research publications based upon the results of the project where commercially appropriate.
- Participate in the normal activities of the research group, including meetings and presentations.
- Support in the supervision of undergraduate and postgraduate students.
- Liaise between Amethyst Research and the academic team.
- Occasionally at the request of supervisors, perform other duties which are not included above, but which will be consistent with the role.