

# JOB DESCRIPTION English and Study Skills Tutor Vacancy Ref: N1920

 Job Title:
 English and Study Skills Tutor
 Present Grade: 6

 Department/College:
 Recruitment, Admissions & International Development

 Directly responsible to:
 Head of Overseas Programmes, Lancaster University

 Supervisory responsibility for:
 None

Other contacts

# Internal:

# International Partnerships Team

Other sections in Recruitment, Admissions and International Development

#### **External:**

### Staff at partner institutions

- Students and their families from partner institutions
- Families of current students
- Staff at other UK HEIs

# **Major Duties:**

- 1. To contribute to teaching and assessments on the English and Study Skills (ESS) modules in year one and two of the LUC@BJTU partnership degree course
- 2. To ensure student punctuality, attendance and appropriate behaviour in class/teaching rooms
- 3. To follow schemes of work as determined by the LU ESS Curriculum, to deliver these schemes of work effectively, to set independent learning activities and provide formative feedback to students
- 4. To maintain up-to-date records of student attendance, course work marks and test scores
- 5. To secure the best performance from each student at their level both during the course and in final exams and assessments
- 6. To contribute to the preparation of end of term reports on and for students
- 7. To act as a personal tutor to a small group of students, meeting with them regularly on a group or individual basis to discuss progress or any difficulties if required
- 8. To conduct assessments with students, in the first semester, to place in appropriate level groups
- 9. Supervise and mark project dissertations where required
- 10. Provide cover for other tutors where necessary
- 11. Normally the position will require up to 25 hours per week of classroom teaching

## **OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 12. To give support in the planning, organisation and delivery of programmes
- 13. To give support with producing, updating and distributing supplementary teaching materials

- 14. To support local English teaching staff with course delivery, professional development, record keeping and assessment
- 15. To positively contribute to the academic and co-curricular life of LUC@BJTU campus in Nan Hai.
- 16. To contribute to the development and/or revisions to existing courses or new courses in terms of design, content, structure, form of delivery, assessments etc.
- 17. To attend departmental staff meetings, Module Assessment Boards (MABs) Programme Assessment Boards (PABs) and training days as appropriate
- 18. To keep up to date with developments in EAP and the use of e-learning resources
- 19. To maintain an appropriate dress code and to ensure teaching rooms kept in good order
- 20. To work in a collegial fashion and foster productive relations with other members of staff
- 21. To inform the Head of Overseas Programmes of resources and materials requirements
- 22. To participate in accreditation events, in China, during the development of new access arrangements, such as new Foundation Programmes (if required)
- 23. To participate in professional development activities where appropriate
- 24. To carry out other duties as required by the Head of Overseas Programmes