

PERSON SPECIFICATION

LECTURER IN ENGLISH LITERATURE AND/OR CREATIVE WRITING

A205

For Specialist in Creative Writing

Criteria	Essential/	Application Form
	Desirable	/ Interview *
A PhD or equivalent in a relevant research area.	Essential	Application Form
A track record in creative writing complimentary to those of the	Essential	Application
other writers in the department, as evidenced in a body of		Form/ Interview
publications or performances commensurate with the		
candidate's position and career history.		
Experience of teaching creative writing in Higher Education,	Essential	Application
including quality assurance and assessment.		Form/ Interview
Potential to take an effective leadership role in the E&CW	Essential	Application
programme at Lancaster.		Form/ Interview
Capacity to undertake PhD and MA Research Supervision.	Essential	Application
		Form/ Interview
The ability to motivate and teach students, to be flexible and	Essential	Interview
creative in one's approach to teaching and to successfully		
perform pastoral and mentoring functions.		
A sense of vision of the subject area, including an understanding	Essential	Application
of the role of creative writing in the social world and the		Form/ Interview
academic community, including the community of humanistic		
inquiry in which most students and colleagues will also be		
engaged.		
Experience and expertise in managing electronic learning	Desirable	Application
environments, willingness to engage in distance learning.		Form/ Interview

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- **Application Form** assessed against the application form, curriculum vitae and letter of support. Evidence will be "scored" as part of the shortlisting process.
- **Interview** assessed during the interview process by either competency based interview questions, tests, presentation etc.