**JOB DESCRIPTION**

**Vacancy Ref:** A3239-R

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<td>Department/College:</td>
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<td>Directly responsible to:</td>
<td>Dr Amit Chopra</td>
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Other contacts

**Internal:**
- Other team members of Turtles; Staff and Students at the University

**External:**
- Collaborators/partners working on Turtles project

**Major Duties:**

1. Undertake the research and development necessary to achieve Lancaster University’s aims within the EPSRC-funded “Turtles: Protocol-Based Foundations for Distributed Multiagent Systems” project.

2. Lead the development and evaluation of software prototypes.

3. Lead the writing of research papers and other publications.

4. Participate in project meetings.

5. Prepare presentations and posters and present them.

6. Participate in national and international conferences and workshops to present the results of the project to a wider audience and to learn about current advances in the field.

7. Any other duties appropriate to the grade, as directed by the Principal Investigator or his representative.