

**JOB DESCRIPTION**

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| **Job Title:** Lecturer in Education and Social Justice  | **Present Grade:** 7/8 |
| **Department/College:** Department of Educational Research |
| **Directly responsible to:** Head of Department, Professor Paul Ashwin |
| **Supervisory responsibility for:** **N/A** |
| **Other contacts** **Contacts:** **Internal:** 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:** Relevant research funding bodies and councils, professional bodies, employers, business organisations, local, UK and foreign government organisations, academic and research networks.  |
| **Major Duties:*** Contribute to, and lead, the development and delivery of the Department’s Doctoral and MA Programmes in Education and Social Justice and to other courses as appropriate to the appointee’s research expertise and wider scholarship;
* Supervise dissertations and PhD theses and advise students on a range of research methodologies;
* Contribute to the development of nationally and internationally excellent research and scholarship in the Department;
* Develop a personal research programme in an area of Education and Social Justice (in keeping with REF criteria) leading to publications in key international peer-reviewed academic journals and to other appropriate forms of research output;
* Develop a clear and realizable plan to apply for grants for new research projects and collaborative grants and identify opportunities and attract funds for new research contracts and grants;
* Participate in, and lead, Research Centres and Departmental and/or inter-departmental academic initiatives;
* Communicate effectively with students and colleagues, using face-to-face, telephone, written and electronic communication (including email and VLE) modes as appropriate;
* Work in accordance with the Department’s commitment to Equality, Diversity and Inclusion;
* Contribute to the Department’s academic and pastoral care of its students and to the enhancement of their learning, personal development and achievement;
* Assume various leadership and administrative roles and responsibilities as requested by the Head of Department, including participation in the Department’s outreach activities including Open Days, etc.;
* Undertake other duties as required by the Head of Department.

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