Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences Departement of Global Health

Division of Health Systems and Public Health

Associate Professor/Senior Lecturer (Medical Specialist): Occupational Medicine

Ref. TGB16/133/0522

Stellenbosch University is an inclusive, innovative and future focused institution, a place of discovery and excellence where both staff and students are thought leaders in advancing knowledge in the service of all stakeholders. In partnership with the Western Cape Government, Department of Health, we are seeking someone who will enhance our position as a leading Medicine and Health Sciences Faculty through teaching, research and service delivery.

The Division of Health Systems and Public Health is located within the Department of Global Health in the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences. The Division undertakes a range of undergraduate and postgraduate teaching, research activities and service delivery within the Western Cape Government, Department of Health.

Appointment is on the joint establishment of Stellenbosch University and the Western Cape Government, Department of Health, on the conditions of service of the University.

The incumbent will report to the Head of the Division of Health Systems and Public Health.

Duties:

- Providing guidance in developing the fields of occupational medicine, occupational health and public health;
- Increasing the output of relevant and high-quality research in occupational medicine, occupational health and public health;
- Overseeing, participating in and growing postgraduate and specialist occupational medicine training and public health;
- Advising and contributing to related teaching in undergraduate curricula for health sciences students;
- Managing, overseeing and delivering occupational medicine clinical services, including overseeing medical officers and clinical staff as required;
- Providing other occupational health services as required at relevant levels within the province;
- Securing funding to support relevant research, training and service;
- Engaging with provincial, national and international stakeholders.

Requirements:

- Master's level qualification in Occupational Medicine;
- Registration with the HPCSA as Occupational Medicine Specialist;
- Expertise and experience in occupational medicine, occupational health and public health undergraduate and postgraduate teaching or training;
- Evidence of research experience and academic and service collaboration;
- Evidence of working in relevant clinical settings in a leadership position;
- Experience in mentorship and postgraduate supervision (at least at Master's level);
- Project management, communication and networking skills.

Recommendations:

- PhD in Occupational Medicine or relevant related area, or proof of near completion of PhD:
- Excellent trackrecord of initiating and executing research in the fields of occupational medicine and health, including public health;
- Experience of successful postgraduate supervision at Doctoral level;
- Trackrecord of publications in high impact journals;
- Evidence of securing funding;
- Evidence of experience of national, regional and international recognition of research.

Closing date: 30 June 2022

Commencement of duties: 1 August 2022

Enquiries regarding this post: Prof. René English on 021 938 9566, or at renglish@sun.ac.za

Enquiries regarding remuneration/benefits, as well as technical assistance with the electronic application process: Human Resources Client Services Centre on 021 808 2753, or at sun-e-hr@sun.ac.za

Stellenbosch University is committed to employment equity (EE), and appointments will be made in line with the EE plan for the specific environment as well as the institutional EE Plan of the University.

Stellenbosch University reserves the right not to make an appointment.

Your application, comprising a comprehensive curriculum vitae (including the names and email addresses of at least three referees), must reach the University before or on the closing date of the advertised post.

APPLY ONLINE AT https://www.sun.ac.za/english/careers BY USING THE APPLY NOW LINK AT THE TOP RIGHT-HAND CORNER OF THE SPECIFIC VACANCY PAGE.

The University reserves the right to investigate qualifications and conduct background checks on all candidates.

The Occupational Health and Safety Act requires people in occupations that entail potential exposure to certain hazards (such as, but not limited to: noise, hazardous chemical substances and hazardous biological agents) to be subjected to medical screening, to determine their fitness to work in the said occupations.

Should no feedback be received from the University within four to six weeks of the closing date, kindly accept that your application did not succeed.