

THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Post Specification

Postdoctoral Fellow / Research Associate (Full-time/Part-time) (Ref. 18082108)
[Appointment period: eight months initially, with possibility of further appointment]

Duties

The appointee will assist the project leader in the research project - “Sensor-based stress monitoring and alleviating (SbSMA) system for enhancing caregiving in dementia: a pilot randomized controlled trial” which aims to develop and validate SbSMA system with objective measures (e.g. skin conductance, heart rates, etc.) and to assess the feasibility and acceptability of SbSMA with caregivers in dementia. He/She will be required to:

- (a) assist in the implementation of the project;
- (b) coordinate and implement activities related to the project and provide logistics support;
- (c) carry out systematic reviews;
- (d) draft progress reports for the project;
- (e) assist in conducting literature search and literature review;
- (f) assist in subject recruitment and data collection for the project;
- (g) liaise with clinical parties and collaborators from multi-disciplines and explore feasibility of clinical sites and devices for execution of SbSMA system;
- (h) assist in data analysis, drafting of reports and presentation of materials; and
- (i) perform any other duties as assigned by the project leader or her delegates.

The appointee may be required to work on irregular hours including evenings and Saturdays.

Qualifications

Applicants for the **Postdoctoral Fellow** post should have a doctoral degree or an equivalent qualification in Nursing or related disciplines and must have no more than three years of post-qualification experience at the time of application.

Applicants for the **Research Associate** post should have a master’s degree in the said disciplines or a good honours degree in the said disciplines with at least three years of research/relevant work experience.

Applicants should also have:

- (a) experience in coordinating research projects;
- (b) proficiency in SPSS and Microsoft Office software including Chinese word processing;
- (c) a good command of both written and spoken English and Chinese, with fluency in Putonghua; and
- (d) good interpersonal and communication skills.

Applicants are invited to contact Dr Angela Y.M. Leung at tel no. 2766 5587, fax no. 2364 9663 or email angela.y.m.leung@polyu.edu.hk for further information.

Remuneration

For full-time appointment, a highly competitive remuneration package will be offered. Applicants should state their current and expected salary in the application.

For part-time appointment, the remuneration rates are HK\$341 per hour for the post of Postdoctoral Fellow and HK\$162 per hour for the post of Research Associate.

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