

# **THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY**

## **DEPARTMENT OF CHINESE AND BILINGUAL STUDIES**

### **Post Specification**

**Research Assistant** (Ref. 19071504)

**[Appointment period: two months to six months]**

### **Duties**

The appointee will assist the project leader in the research project – “Prosodic cues of wh-focus in two Chinese languages”. He/She will be required to:

- (a) conduct literature review;
- (b) schedule and conduct experiments;
- (c) perform basic data analysis; and
- (d) perform any other duties as assigned by the project leader or his/her delegates.

### **Qualifications**

Applicants should have:

- (a) an MPhil degree in Computational Linguistics/Linguistics/Psychology or a related discipline, or a master’s degree in the said disciplines with good academic standing;
- (b) have a good command of written English and Chinese, and spoken English, Putonghua and/or Cantonese;
- (c) the ability to learn independently and work collaboratively.

Preference will be given to those with experience in experimental research in psychology, linguistics or corpus studies, or to those with experience in Eyelink/Tobii eyetrackers, R, E-Prime, or general programming.

Applicants are invited to contact Dr Yu-Yin Hsu at email [yyhsu@polyu.edu.hk](mailto:yyhsu@polyu.edu.hk) for further information.

### **Remuneration**

A highly competitive remuneration package will be offered. Applicants should state their current and expected salary in the application.

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