

THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

INSTITUTE OF TEXTILES AND CLOTHING

Post Specification

Instructor / Tutor in (1) Fashion & Textile Design; (2) Fashion & Textile Technology; (3) Fashion Marketing & Merchandising; and (4) Fashion Retailing (several posts) (Ref. 96950)

Duties

The appointees will be required to:

- (a) conduct tutorials/seminars/practical sessions, test/examination invigilation, mark assignments, and assist in lectures or subjects related to one of the above areas;
- (b) assist in the preparation of programme documentation, teaching and learning materials;
- (c) assist in the development and management of relevant teaching facilities;
- (d) participate in scholarly research and consultancy projects; and
- (e) perform any other duties as assigned by the Head of Institute or her delegates.

Qualifications

Applicants should have:

- (a) a master's degree or an equivalent professional qualification in related disciplines;
- (b) good communication skills and be able to use English as the medium of instruction; and
- (c)
 - (i) for post (1), sound knowledge of design studies / fashion design / textile design / knitwear design / CAD (e.g., Photoshop, AI, Illustrator, Flash) / garment pattern and sample development / design management / fashion communication (e.g., trend forecast and analysis, fashion journalism) / fashion illustration and presentation;
 - (ii) for post (2), sound knowledge of textile testing / weaving technology / pattern technology;
 - (iii) for post (3), sound knowledge of marketing management / merchandising in textiles or fashion commodities / design and new product development / quality and compliance management / international business; and
 - (iv) for post (4), sound knowledge of fashion retail management and fashion buying.

Preference will be given to those with a PhD degree and university teaching and/or relevant industrial experience. Applicants with less experience will be considered for the post of Tutor.

Remuneration and Conditions of Service

Salary offered will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. Applicants should state their current and expected salary in the application. Initial appointments will be made on a fixed-term gratuity-bearing contract. Re-engagement thereafter is subject to mutual agreement. Remuneration package will be highly competitive.

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