

THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF OPTOMETRY

Post Specification

Research Associate / Research Assistant (three posts) (Ref. 19061405)

[Appointment period: each for twelve months initially, with possibility of further appointment]

Duties

The appointees will assist the project leader in the research project – “Effectiveness of bright light therapy, myopic defocus, atropine and the combinations for controlling myopic eye growth in schoolchildren: A randomised control trial”. They will be required to:

- (a) undertake eye examination for children;
- (b) assist in clinical trials of myopia control;
- (c) perform optometric duties; and
- (d) perform any other duties as assigned by the project leader or his delegates.

The appointees may be required to work on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays.

Qualifications

For the **Research Associate** posts, applicants should have a master’s degree in Optometry or a good honours degree in the said discipline with three or more years of research/relevant clinical experience in infant eye growth and myopia study.

For the **Research Assistant** posts, applicants should have an honours degree in the said discipline or an equivalent qualification.

Applicants should also:

- (a) be registered with the Optometrists Board of the HKSAR; and
- (b) have good communication skills.

Applicants are invited to contact Dr Dennis Tse Yan-yin at tel no. 2766 6096 or email dennis.tse@polyu.edu.hk for further information.

[Applicants who have responded to the previous advertisement need not re-apply.]

Remuneration

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

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