

# THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TECHNOLOGY AND INFORMATICS

### Post Specification

#### Associate Professor / Assistant Professor in Medical Laboratory Science (two posts) (Ref. 19071002)

The Department of Health Technology and Informatics (HTI) is one of the constituent departments of the Faculty of Health and Social Sciences hosting the disciplines of Medical Laboratory Science and Radiography. The Department offers academic programmes at various levels, from Bachelor's degree all the way to PhD degree. There are currently about 30 faculty members, with about 20 technical and administrative personnel, plus around 90 research students and research staff, 200 postgraduate students, and 660 undergraduate students in the Department. HTI is a leading academic department in the above professional disciplines with strong commitment to quality teaching and research. Please visit the website at <http://www.polyu.edu.hk/hti> for more information about the Department.

### Duties

The appointees will be required to:

- (a) contribute to the teaching/learning activities in Medical Laboratory Science and/or Biomedical Science, at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels;
- (b) engage actively in research, consultancy and other scholarly activities;
- (c) undertake academic and administrative duties as assigned by the Head of Department; and
- (d) perform any other duties as assigned by the Head of Department or his/her delegates.

### Qualifications

Applicants should have:

- (a) a PhD degree in the area of Biomedical Science or other closely related fields;
- (b) extensive teaching and research experience in either one of the following areas: (i) Clinical Chemistry; or (ii) Medical Laboratory Science and/or Biomedical Science;
- (c) strong commitment to excellence in teaching and research;
- (d) a track record of collaboration as well as leadership in research; and
- (e) a strong record of output in research and development that is commensurate with the appointed grade.

Preference will be given to those with professional experience related to medical laboratory science.

Candidates with excellent teaching, publication and research collaboration track records will be considered for appointment at higher level.

## **Remuneration and Conditions of Service**

A highly competitive remuneration package will be offered. Initial appointments for Assistant Professor will be on a fixed-term gratuity-bearing contract. Re-engagement thereafter is subject to mutual agreement. An appropriate term will be provided for appointment at Associate Professor level. For general information on terms and conditions for appointment of academic staff in the University, please visit the website at <http://www.polyu.edu.hk/hro/TC.htm>. Applicants should state their current and expected salary in the application.

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