FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Leading the development of global social science for Hong Kong, the Faculty integrates innovative scholarship with progressive whole person education. Academic faculty and students from our community of seven Departments and internationally recognized Centres combine disciplinary and professional approaches to contribute ground-breaking research, effective graduate supervision, and inspiring teaching at undergraduate/postgraduate levels. We are now seeking applicants, at all career stages, who are committed to research, teaching, and community engagement.

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

Assistant Professor in Physical Geography (2 vacancies) (PR176/14-15)

The Department seeks an active researcher who can contribute to teaching in one or more of the following areas: (i) earth systems, (ii) geomorphology, (iii) climatology, (iv) environmental studies, (v) natural hazards, (vi) environmental health and/or (vii) resource and environmental management. Specific skills in, for example, GIS, or quantitative methods would be an advantage. Applicants should possess a PhD degree in Physical Geography or related disciplines and have a record of high-quality publications or demonstrable research potential.

Initial appointment will be made on a fixed-term contract of two to three years commencing September 2015. Re-appointment thereafter is subject to mutual agreement and availability of funding.

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Application Procedure:

Applicants are invited to write in response to the requirements and provide an updated curriculum vitae and/or fill in the application form which is obtainable (a) by downloading from http://pers.hkbu.edu.hk/applicationforms; or (b) by fax at 3411-7799 (local line only); or (c) in person from the Personnel Office, Hong Kong Baptist University, AAB903, Level 9, Academic and Administration Building, 15 Baptist University Road, Kowloon Tong, Kowloon. Completed application form should be sent to the same address. Please quote PR number on all correspondence. Applicants are requested to send in samples of publications, preferably three best ones out of their most recent publications/works, statements of teaching and research interest and recent teaching evaluation results. Applicants not invited for interview 4 months after the closing date may consider their applications unsuccessful. All application materials including publication samples, scholarly/creative works will not be returned after the completion of the recruitment exercise unless upon request. Details of the University's Personal Information Collection Statement can be found at http://pers.hkbu.edu.hk/pics.

The University reserves the right not to make an appointment for the posts advertised, and the appointment will be made according to the terms and conditions then applicable at the time of offer.

Closing date: 20 December 2014