



UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS

CANDIDATE BRIEF

Lecturer in Audiology (Teaching and Scholarship), Faculty of Medicine and Health



Salary: Grade 7 (£33,797 - £40,322 p.a.)

Reference: MHLCM1205

Closing date: 20 November 2019

06 November 2019 (Redeployment)

Part time 60% full time equivalent

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Lecturer in Audiology (Teaching and Scholarship)

School of Medicine

Leeds Institute of Cardiovascular & Metabolic Medicine (LICAMM), Specialist Science Education Department

Are you an audiologist with an interest in education? Would you like to develop and contribute to teaching and scholarship activities in audiology? Are you passionate about delivering an exceptional student experience in a research-intensive Russell Group University? This is your opportunity to be part of a dynamic and forward thinking team working to enhance the profession through innovative education.

This is an exciting opportunity to contribute to audiology education at the University of Leeds. You will be based within LICAMM's Department of Specialist Science Education; a vibrant community of around 30 academic staff focussed on excellence in student education. You will draw upon your clinical experience to deliver high quality teaching and scholarship in the field of audiology, contribute to student supervision, tutoring and administrative duties, as well as contribute to LICAMM and the School through involvement in innovation in student education and related scholarship. The post-holder needs to be able to work well both as part of a team and autonomously.

What does the role entail?

As a Lecturer in Audiology your main duties will include:

- Delivery of teaching informed by research and best practice on the BSc Healthcare Science (Audiology);
- Undertaking a full teaching and assessment load, developing own teaching materials and methods and utilising innovative approaches to teaching to enhance the student learning experience and ensure that defined learning objectives are met;
- Contributing to the planning and development of modules and programmes including review and evaluation in line with quality assurance mechanisms;
- Contributing to the recruitment and selection of students; responding to queries from prospective students;



- Engaging in initiatives and projects designed to encourage new styles of deep, effective learning and enhance the overall pattern of the student learning experience;
- Participating in the effective supervision of students in academic and pastoral capacities;
- To act as module/programme leader as appropriate, ensuring that modules/programmes run to the required standard;
- To participate in clinical education and related administration, including; educational audit, enhancement of quality, liaison with relevant NHS trusts and private sector organisations, clinical simulation;
- Conducting individual and/or collaborative scholarly projects to contribute to the strategic agenda and priorities of the Institute.
- Promoting the values of collegiality and build internal and external contacts and participate in networks;
- Maintaining a safe working environment, engage actively in own continuous professional development, and undertake administrative processes.

These duties provide a framework for the role and should not be regarded as a definitive list. Other reasonable duties may be required consistent with the grade of the post.

You will report to Dr Ted Killan, Group Lead for Audiological Science and Education (ASE) Group in the Specialist Science Education Department, LICAMM.

What will you bring to the role?

As a Lecturer in Audiology you will have:

- Evidence of post graduate study (or equivalent), and professional experience in audiology which demonstrates the ability to create and disseminate knowledge at an equivalent level gained through a PhD;
- In-depth knowledge and experience of clinical audiology;
- Experience of teaching undergraduate and/or postgraduate students and developing teaching materials in the specific subject areas;
- A willingness and ability to deliver innovative, effective and inspiring teaching;
- A commitment to scholarly excellence in the subject specific area including the effective use and potential of new and creative learning and teaching technologies and of innovative approaches to teaching;



- An ability to motivate, inspire and challenge students intellectually, as evidenced for example in student feedback obtained from teaching;
- A proven ability to work under pressure effectively, responsibly and independently and apply sound judgement and decisions to variety of challenges and situations, taking accountability for own actions;
- Excellent IT skills including use of MS office, virtual learning, and clinical and scientific software (e.g. patient management systems, audiological device software);
- Current relevant professional registration (e.g. AHCS, HCPC or RCCP);
- Excellent verbal, written communication and presentation skills;
- Ability to work both independently and as part of a team;
- Good time management and organisational skills;
- Evidence of commitment to own personal and professional development.

You may also have:

- Teaching experience equivalent to meeting criteria of the Higher Education Academy, or a teaching qualification appropriate for higher education;
- Experience of health-related research;
- Experience of assessing students and relevant qualification.

How to apply

You can apply for this role online; more guidance can be found on our [How to Apply](#) information page. Applications should be submitted by **23.59** (UK time) on the advertised closing date.

Contact information

To explore the post further or for any queries you may have, please contact:

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Additional information

Find out more about the [Faculty of Medicine and Health](#) and [School of Medicine](#)

Find out more about the [Leeds Institute of Cardiovascular and Metabolic Medicine](#)

Find out more about [Athena Swan](#) in the Faculty.

Working at Leeds

Find out more about the benefits of working at the University and what it is like to live and work in the Leeds area on our [Working at Leeds](#) information page.

Candidates with disabilities

Information for candidates with disabilities, impairments or health conditions, including requesting alternative formats, can be found on our [Accessibility](#) information page or by getting in touch with us at disclosure@leeds.ac.uk.

Criminal record information

Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974

A criminal record check is not required for this position. However, all applicants will be required to declare if they have any 'unspent' criminal offences, including those pending.

Any offer of appointment will be in accordance with our Criminal Records policy. You can find out more about required checks and declarations in our [Criminal Records](#) information page.

