

## **Job Description**

Job title	Lecturer in Computer Science
School / department	School of Computing and Engineering
Grade	6
Line manager	Head of Computing Subject
Responsible for	

## Main purpose of the job

To develop as well as deliver undergraduate and postgraduate modules in Computer Science within the School of Computing and Engineering commensurate with technical knowledge and prior experience.

To contribute significantly to research, enterprise development and commercial training in appropriate sub-discipline(s) in Computer Science.

To contribute to community and business engagement activities of the School.

## Key areas of responsibility

- 1 To teach on undergraduate and postgraduate modules related to Computer Science as well as on other modules offered by the Computing Subject group as required. A demonstrated expertise is required in the following disciplines of Computer Science: Computing and Information Systems, Data Communications, Algorithms and Data Structures, Natural Language Processing, Artificial Intelligence and Functional Programming.
- 2 As a member of the teaching team, to contribute to the delivery of quality learning opportunities for our students. This will involve:
  - Developing and using appropriate teaching methods and learning resources as necessary,
  - Undertaking whatever examination and assessment preparation and marking may be required by the teaching programme,
  - Undertaking evaluation of the teaching and learning experience,
  - Undertaking administrative duties associated with the management of the University and its courses as necessary.
- 3 To supervise and manage student projects at undergraduate and postgraduate as appropriate.
- 4 To provide pastoral care for students.
- 5 To contribute to new course developments as necessary, including the development and delivery of commercial education and training.
- 6 To contribute to approved research and enterprise development activities either on an individual basis or as part of collaborative projects, and publish outputs in outlets of appropriate national and international standing.
- 7 To keep abreast of relevant technical developments and to undertake self-development by participation in the university staff appraisal scheme and in-service training programme, as appropriate.

- 8 To contribute to activities which promote the School of Computing and Engineering both locally, nationally and internationally.
- 9 To undertake other duties as required by the University, commensurate with the post.



## **Person Specification**

CRITERIA	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
Qualifications:	PhD in a relevant field  Fellow of Higher Education Academy  PG Certificate in HE (or willingness to enrol on PGCHE programme at UWL)	Member of an appropriate professional body
Knowledge and Experience:	Evidence of ability to teach relevant computing subjects at both undergraduate and postgraduate level in higher education  Established research track record, or equivalent industrial experience, with appropriate outputs in a discipline relevant to computing  Demonstrated knowledge of current computing practice  Experience/knowledge of: Computing and Information Systems, data Communications, Algorithms and Data Structures, Natural Language Processing, Al and Functional Programming.	Experience of module / course management or development  Experience of submitting and obtaining research grants  Experience of collaborating with industry  Experience/knowledge of: Computer Games Technology and Gamification, and IoT
Specific Skills:	Ability to teach on undergraduate and postgraduate computing courses  Ability and willingness to contribute to team teaching  Practical laboratory skills relevant to the subject area  Ability and willingness to work in teaching and curriculum development  Ability to undertake research and consultancy work in a relevant field and to agreed targets  Evidence of scholarly activity in the form of recent publications	Evidence of consultancy and/or professional practice

General Skills:	Effective oral and written communication skills  Ability to work with minimal supervision	
Disclosure and Barring Scheme	This post does not require a DBS check	

**Essential Criteria** are those, without which, a candidate would not be able to do the job. Applicants who have not clearly demonstrated in their application that they possess the essential requirements will normally be rejected at the shortlisting stage.

**Desirable Criteria** are those that would be useful for the post holder to possess and will be considered when more than one applicant meets t requirements