BISHOP GROSSETESTE UNIVERSITY

JOB DESCRIPTION

Title of Post: Lecturer in Special Educational Needs, Disability and Inclusion (SENDI)

Grade: 7

Responsible to: Programme Leader (SENDI)

MAIN PURPOSE OF THE JOB

- 1. To undertake a range of teaching and learning, within the area of Special Educational Needs, Disability and Inclusion.
- 2. To assist the Programme Leader by contributing to the design, development and administration of programmes including the preparation of documentation and management of designated modules.
- 3. To contribute to the delivery of special educational needs, disability and inclusion through co-ordinating and monitoring student support for students following SENDI programmes.
- 4. To participate in the assessment of students ensuring that appropriate assignments and examinations are set and marked in accordance with validated programme documents and university assessment policies.
- 5. To monitor student progression and achievement.
- 6. To provide appropriate support and advice to students ensuring their wellbeing.
- 7. To engage with and develop enrichment activities, as suitable to promote graduate attributes.
- 8. To participate in the recruitment, selection and admission of students.
- 9. To contribute to the processes of annual monitoring, periodic review and inspection at a programme and university level.
- 10. To undertake research and/or scholarly activity in a relevant discipline and to seek opportunities for, and engage in, income generation activity.
- 11. To participate in external activities through membership of subject and professional associations and networks and liaison with other institutions and organisations.

- 12. To participate in the wider academic and professional life of the university, for example supporting delivery on other courses and joining university wide committees.
- 13. To participate in appropriate training and staff development activities.
- 14. To undertake any other duties that may reasonably be required.

PERFORMANCE MONITORING AND REVIEW

- 15. To agree objectives and targets with the Line Manager in accordance with university priorities and to participate in the staff appraisal process.
- 16. To provide written reports on activity as requested.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

17. To discharge all relevant health and safety responsibilities.

GENERAL

- 18. To maintain professional standards in relationships, including non-discriminatory practices.
- 19. To adopt a client-centred approach and to deal promptly and considerately with members of the public, staff and students.

MAIN CONTACTS

- Academic Co-ordinator
- Members of the programme team

LIMITS OF AUTHORITY

The post-holder must operate within the University's guidelines, procedures and regulations related to academic affairs.

The post-holder must operate within the University's Financial Regulations, Diversity and Equality Policy, Race Equality Policy and other relevant University policies.

PERSON PROFILE

Lecturer in Special Educational Needs

	Core	Supplementary
Education/	A good first degree.	One or more of the following:
Qualifications	A Master's degree in a related	QTS/JNC/EYPS/BPS/ FHEA.
and Special	subject.	A Doctorate in a relevant subject
Training		completed or close to
		completion
Knowledge and	Relevant broad-based	Additional specialist knowledge
Skills	knowledge and understanding	and skills which are of benefit to
	of special education and	the wider activities of the
	learning with an appropriate	institution, such as the ability to
	specialism and discipline	deliver CPD, to teach on
	orientation.	alternative internal
		programmes.
	Relevant broad-based	
	knowledge and skills in the	
	provision and practice of	
	inclusive education.	
	Excellent planning, teaching and	
	assessment skills.	
	Excellent interpersonal skills.	
	Understanding of the widening	
	participation agenda.	
	Good IT skills.	

Experience	Professional experience of	Experience of teaching in the
	working within special	University sector.
	education (any level).	
		Specialism in specific area of
	Knowledge of leading and	SEND practice.
	managing SEND learning and	
	development.	
Personal	Conscientious, flexible,	
Attributes	enthusiastic, and self-motivated.	
	Creative and forward thinking in	
	solving problems.	
	Client-centred: willing to offer	
	help and support; approachable.	
	Prepared to develop personal	
	expertise in new areas.	
	Loyal, committed to the success	
	of the University and willing to	
	work hard to achieve it.	
	Good personal organisation and	
	meticulous attention to detail.	