



## Faculty of Education

### Senior Lecturer for PG Professional Development

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We are one of the UK's leading, internationally excellent educational centres, ranked first in the North West by the Complete University Guide 2014/15. 67% of our research was rated internationally excellent or world leading in REF2014. Our primary and secondary initial teacher education provision is rated Ofsted 'good'. We host a number of centres of excellence in knowledge exchange, including: Early Years and Childhood Studies; the National Award for Special Educational Needs Coordination; and STEM Education North West. Around 4,000 students study with us in Manchester and Cheshire and we work in partnership with over 1,500 schools, colleges and other organisations.

The Postgraduate Professional Development Programme has approximately 1000 students including both full- and part-time.

We seek experienced senior lecturers able to make a significant contribution in one or more of the following areas: Education, Language Education, Bilingualism, Education and Society, Early Childhood Studies, Community Development, Youth Work: Leadership and Practice; Educational Leadership; STEM Education; Inclusive Education and SEND, Teaching and Learning, Coaching and Mentoring, Autism Spectrum Conditions, Specific Learning Difficulties, NASENCo.

#### Role

You will contribute to the leadership, management, development and delivery of the Professional Development Programme, both full- and part-time, including on-site and off-site.

You will coordinate the work of tutors teaching on the programme and manage quality assurance processes.

you will make a significant contribution in at least one of the current award areas.

Take the lead in increasing recruitment to the full-time provision and developing overseas delivery of the programme.

You will contribute to other programmes in the faculty depending on experience and expertise.

Make a significant contribution to the work of at least one of the Faculty's four RKE centres.

**Grade and Salary Band:**  
Grade 9 (£40,523 to £46,924)

**Advert closing date:**  
21 December 2016

**Location/City:**  
Manchester

**Contract type:**  
Permanent

**Average weekly working hours:**  
37.00

The successful candidate will be required to undertake a full Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check.

#### Fairness

Manchester Metropolitan University is committed to creating a diverse environment where everybody is treated with dignity, fairness and respect. We welcome applications from all potential candidates.



#### Recruitment Team

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Undertake research, knowledge exchange, and other scholarly activity to contribute to the development of the faculty of education, delivering commercial enterprise activity where appropriate.

**Ideal Candidate**

You will have substantial experience in teaching postgraduate Education courses.

You will have, or be close to completing, a Doctorate in Education and active in research and knowledge exchange.

You will be an innovate self-starter able to take responsibility for projects and drive them through to completion. You will have extensive experience in partnership working.

## Key Shortlisting Criteria

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**Initiative, Creativity and Judgement**

You need to be able to use initiative, creativity and judgement to respond appropriately to student needs and problems.

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**Web-based Learning**

Knowledge of web-based learning methods and relevant packages (for e.g. Moodle) is desirable.

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**Communication Skills**

You will be able to communicate complex information with clarity to a range of diverse audiences, both orally and in writing.

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**Qualifications/Certifications**

You will possess the required qualifications and certifications, namely:  
\* A doctoral level qualification in a relevant area and evidence of continuous professional development.  
\* A PGCE, Certificate of Education, PGCLTHE or membership of the Higher Education Academy (or commitment to obtain within 3 years of appointment).

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**Relevant Experience**

You will have a sustained period of experience teaching in the relevant area which should include experience of the following:

- Devising innovative teaching solutions that have impacted positively on learning
- Applying creativity in the design of programmes
- Developing appropriate assessments
- Challenging ideas, fostering debate and encouraging students to develop skills in critical discourse and rational thinking
- Supervising the work of postgraduate students, providing support and feedback
- Providing appropriate pastoral support
- Leading and managing academic courses

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**Working Style**

You must be able to work independently and as part of a team in order to deliver individual and team objectives.

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