Dublin City University

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Institute for International Conflict Resolution and Reconstruction

School of Law and Government

Associate Director

Institute for International Conflict Resolution and Reconstruction

Fixed Term Contract of up to 2 Years

Introduction

The Institute for International Conflict Resolution and Reconstruction (IICRR), in conjunction with the School of Law and Government, in Dublin City University is making a new appointment of Associate Director as part of its continuing growth and is seeking applications from candidates committed to an active research agenda, to publication in leading academic journals and to active engagement with policy makers civil society and other external stakeholders of IICRR.

The appointment will commence on 1 Jan 2015 or as soon as possible thereafter.

Institute for International Conflict Resolution and Reconstruction

The Institute for International Conflict Resolution and Reconstruction, was launched publicly by then US Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton in December 2012. It brings together authoritative analysis of the Northern Ireland peace process with expertise on the international politics of regions in conflict and in post-conflict rebuilding and also on thematic issues such as terrorism on the internet, mediation, gender equality, and development-security linkages. Over 60 researchers are currently affiliated with the Institute which has led research programmes funded by the EU, the Irish Research Council, Irish Aid, the Irish Department of Foreign Affairs and international NGOs, including three different multi-million EU awards since it foundation on on-line political extremism and on conflict in the post-Soviet space. This new post has been made possible by the generous support of private donors to the IICRR, for which we are grateful.

The Successful Candidate

Applicants for the post must hold an honours Bachelor’s degree and PhD in Politics/International Relations with a strong focus on Conflict Resolution or post-Conflict Reconstruction. The successful
candidate will also have a minimum of four years relevant experience, with a record of high quality university-level teaching and research on a full-time basis.

The successful candidate will report directly to the Director and will be a member of the Institute’s senior management team. They must have an active track record of working for or engaging with stakeholders outside of the academy, such as government, international organisations or civil society organisations. As a key aspect of this role will be building partnerships with external stakeholders and seeking ongoing and sustainable support for the Institute, the successful candidate will be expected to demonstrate a high level of commitment in this area.

The successful candidate must have a demonstrated publication record and a research agenda which can contribute to IICRR’s work and they will be required to be an active member of our research team. They will be committed to publish in the highest quality peer-reviewed journals and with high-quality book publishers and they will also be expected to contribute to the ongoing development of the research programmes in the IICRR. The successful candidate will also have demonstrated that their work can contribute to national and/or international public debate and that they have the potential to win external funding in this area.

Informal Enquiries to:

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Further information:

Details of the Institute for International Conflict Resolution and Reconstruction can be found at http://www.dcu.ie/iicrr. More information on the School, including specific areas of research expertise and details of taught programmes, may be found at: www.dcu.ie/lawandgovernment.

Salary:

€51,716 - €56,442

Appointment will be commensurate with qualifications and experience

Closing date: 8th December 2014

Application Procedure:

Application forms are available from the DCU Current Vacancies (Open Competitions) website at http://www.dcu.ie/hr/vacancies/current.shtml and also from the Human Resources Department, Dublin City University, Dublin 9. Tel: +353 (0)1 700 5149; Fax: +353 (0)1 700 5500 Email: hr.applications@dcu.ie

Applications should be submitted by e-mail to hr.applications@dcu.ie or by Fax: +353 (0)1 700 5500 or by post to the Human Resources Department, Dublin City University, Dublin 9.

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