Dublin City University  
Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences  
School of Law and Government  
Lecturers in Politics / International Relations (2 posts)  
Fixed Term Contracts of up to 5 Years

Introduction

The School of Law and Government in Dublin City University is making two new appointments in Politics / International Relations and is seeking applications from candidates committed to an active research agenda and to publication in leading academic journals.

We welcome all good quality applicants, but the School has particular needs for expertise in the areas of Democratisation; Middle Eastern Politics; and in Conflict Resolution / Conflict Studies and that will be a factor in short-listing and final selection.

The appointments will commence on 1 September 2014.

The School of Law and Government
The School offers successful taught programmes in politics and international relations, including the BA in Economics, Politics and Law, the BA in International Relations, Politics as a subject in the BA (Joint Honours); the MA in International Relations, the MA in International Security and Conflict Studies, the MA in Development and a structured PhD in Politics and International Relations. The schools offers excellent opportunities for candidates to teach within their own area of research specialization, as we offer students a wide range of options on Ireland's largest MA programme in international studies.

The school is committed to high quality research and supports its staff in such work. The Institute for International Conflict Resolution and Reconstruction, which is based in the School has led research programmes funded by the EU, the Irish Research Council, Irish Aid, the Irish Department of Foreign Affairs and international NGOs.
The Successful Candidate

Applicants for the post must hold an honours degree in a relevant discipline, should be qualified to a post-graduate level and have completed a Doctoral qualification in Politics or International Relations. The successful candidates will also have a minimum of three years relevant experience, with a record of high quality university-level teaching. In addition, they should have a proven research background in the area. They will be committed to publish in the highest quality peer-reviewed journals and/or with high-quality book publishers and they will also be expected to contribute to the ongoing development of the research programmes in the School and the Institute for International Conflict Resolution and Reconstruction.

The successful candidates will also have demonstrated that their work can contribute to national and/or international public debate and will have shown that they have the potential to win external funding in this area.

The successful candidate will be expected to contribute significantly to curriculum development, teaching and administrative activity in the School of Law and Government. They will make a substantial contribution to the development and delivery of the School’s existing taught programmes, and in the planning and curriculum delivery of future developments in politics and international relations. The successful candidate will have a firm commitment to excellence in teaching and learning, the continuing enhancement of the student experience, and an understanding of innovative teaching and learning methods.

Informal Enquiries to:

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Further information:

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

Salary Scales:

Lecturer above bar: €50,159 - €76,891

Lecturer below bar: €41,502 - €51,724
€37,352 - €46,552*
* Applies to new entrants to the public sector after 01 January 2011.

Appointment will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

**Closing date:** 14th April 2014

**Application Procedure:**

Application forms are available from the DCU Current Vacancies (Open Competitions) website at [http://www.dcu.ie/hr/vacancies/current.shtml](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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