Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for the following position:

**Assistant Professor in Polymer Chemistry**  
**School of Chemical Sciences**  
**Dublin City University**  
**Permanent Post**

Dublin City University [www.dcu.ie](http://www.dcu.ie) is a research-intensive, globally-engaged, dynamic institution that is distinguished both by the quality and impact of its graduates and by its focus on the translation of knowledge into societal and economic benefit. Through its mission to transform lives and societies through education, research and innovation, DCU acts as an agent of social, cultural and economic progress. DCU is Ireland’s fastest growing university, and now hosts more than 17,000 students across its three academic campuses: DCU Glasnevin Campus, DCU St Patrick’s Campus and DCU All Hallows campus.

**School of Chemical Sciences**

The School of Chemical Sciences, is one of Ireland’s most progressive and highest achieving Schools with outstanding facilities, housed within a modern and dynamic city campus. Our goal is to develop graduates with the ability to critically evaluate, and then to solve, chemical and pharmaceutical problems, preparing the highest quality graduates capable of meeting the challenges of the modern industry and research. The School is highly successful at attracting large scale research funding, with our researchers having significant roles within nationally significant university/industry collaborative initiatives and European funded Integrated Training Networks. The School of Chemical Sciences is one of the leading academic schools within DCU. The School is ranked in the top 300 chemistry schools/departments in the world (QS Rankings), a reflection of the School’s ambitious research activities and its undergraduate/postgraduate degree programmes.

**Role Profile**

The School now plans to build upon its success and make an appointment at Assistant Professor level in Polymer Chemistry (permanent), who will enhance and consolidate research in at least one of its three key research themes: Climate Action – Energy, Water & Sustainability; Advanced Materials & Devices; Therapeutics & Diagnostics. The appointee will also be expected to contribute to teaching, curriculum development, and administrative activities in the School, across all levels. Further, the appointee is expected to contribute to programme administration, placement supervision, research supervision and the service activities of the School and University.

**Duties and Responsibilities**

Please refer to the job description for the full list of duties and responsibilities associated with this role.

**Candidate Requirements**

- A Ph.D with a track record of research in polymer chemistry or a related materials chemistry area that includes corresponding and senior/first author publications, national or international grant award(s) as a Principal Investigator or Fellow
• An education background that can deliver chemistry related modules to our core undergraduate/postgraduate programmes
• A track record of high quality university-level teaching (Level 8 and/or 9)
• Experience of research student supervision

Mandatory Training
The post holder will be required to undertake the following mandatory compliance training: GDPR, Orientation and Compliance.

Salary Scale
Assistant Professor (above bar): €53,101 - €84,492
Appointment will be commensurate with qualifications and experience, and will be made on the appropriate point of the relevant salary scale in line with current Government pay policy.

Closing Date: Wednesday 1st July 2020

Informal enquiries to: Dr Blánaid White, Head of School of Chemical Sciences, Dublin City University, Dublin 9. Tel: 353 1 700 6731; Email: Blanaid.White@dcu.ie
Do not send applications to this address. Instead, apply using the procedure set out below.

Application Procedure
Application forms are available from the DCU Current Vacancies website at https://www.dcu.ie/hr/vacancies/current.shtml

Applications must be submitted by e-mail to hr.applications@dcu.ie

Please clearly state the role that you are applying for in your application and email subject line: Job Ref #BC0502 Assistant Professor in Polymer Chemistry.

Dublin City University is an equal opportunities employer and is committed to promoting gender equality reflected in its attainment of the Athena SWAN Bronze Award. Information on a range of university policies aimed at creating a supportive and flexible work environment is available at https://www.dcu.ie/policies/policy-starter-packs.shtml