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

Assistant Professor in Visual Arts Education
School of Arts Education and Movement
DCU Institute of Education
Permanent Post

Introduction
The DCU Institute of Education is the newest faculty of Dublin City University. It is based in a €70 million purpose built facility on the DCU St Patrick’s Campus in Drumcondra in Dublin. Established in 2016 as Ireland’s first University faculty of Education, it has a staff of more than 130 full-time academics and a student body in excess of 4,000.

The Institute brings together students of education across all sectors from early childhood, to primary and post-primary and further and higher education. As well as providing a range of undergraduate programmes in Education, the Institute offers a rich menu of taught and research-based post-graduate programmes, at doctoral, masters, diploma and certificate levels.

As a centre of expertise and excellence in Teacher Education and education more generally, the Institute hosts a range of research centres in key areas of priority and has an ambitious and growing programme of research. With internationally-recognised experts in education policy, inclusive and special education, curriculum and pedagogy, assessment, literacy, evaluation and teacher education, the Institute provides a dynamic learning and working environment. Staff can expect to encounter opportunities for multi-disciplinary work, not just in the Institute, but across the University. As one of the world’s leading young Universities, DCU has established its fifth and newest faculty out of a conviction that studies and research in education and the preparation and support of teachers are central to the transformation of lives and communities.

Committed to academic excellence and innovation, the DCU Institute of Education is confident its students and staff, and its graduates can flourish and lead in the challenging and complex contexts of 21st century education.

School of Arts Education and Movement
The School of Arts Education and Movement is one of the six schools within the DCU Institute of Education. The School is made up of a dynamic and unique group of scholars, researchers and teacher educators working together in collaboration and growing the national and international reputation of the School through the award of prestigious fellowships, securing large scale research grants, and the publication of research in the leading journals in the field.
Academic interests span Teacher Education, Visual Arts Education, Physical Education, Music Education, Art Education and Arts Education generally, as well as a range of other interdisciplinary dimensions including creativity, inclusion, wellbeing and technology.

Assistant Professor in Visual Arts Education
The School of Arts Education and Movement is seeking to recruit an Assistant Professor in Visual Arts Education to join its Visual Arts Education team in a permanent capacity with a start date of 1st September 2020.

Duties and Responsibilities
Please refer to the job description for a range of duties and responsibilities.

Qualifications and Experience

Essential
- Primary degree (NFQ Level 8) in a relevant area and a post-graduate qualification in areas related to Visual Arts Education, preferably at Doctoral level.
- Three years’ relevant experience

The ideal candidate will have the following qualifications and experience
- Postgraduate qualification in Visual Arts Education, preferably at Doctoral level
- Previous experience of postgraduate teaching of Visual Arts Education at university level would be an advantage
- Knowledge of specialist as well generalist areas of Visual Arts practice
- Strong social and team-work skills, excellent administrative and organisational skills.

The position is subject to the candidate being Garda Vetted.

Mandatory Training
The post holder will be required to undertake the following mandatory compliance training: Orientation, Health & Safety and Data Protection (GDPR). Other training may need to be undertaken when appropriate.

Further information

Salary Scales
Assistant Professor (Lecturer above bar): €53,101 - €84,492*
Assistant Professor (Lecturer below bar): €39,808 - €54,725*

*Appointment will be commensurate with qualifications and experience, and will be made on the appropriate point of the Lecturer Above Bar or Lecturer Below Bar salary scale in line with current Government pay policy.

Closing date: Friday, 22nd of May 2020

Informal Queries to: Associate Professor, Regina Murphy, Head of School of Arts Education & Movement, DCU Institute of Education. Email: regina.murphy@dcu.ie
Please do not send applications to this email address as they will not be processed.
Instead, follow the procedure below.

**Application Procedure**

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

Applications should be submitted by email only on the completed application form to hr.applications@dcu.ie Note: During the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) situation, applications cannot be accepted by post.

**Please clearly state the role for which you are applying in your application and in the email subject line: Job Reference: #BC1805 Assistant Professor in Visual Arts Education**

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 are available at [www4.dcu.ie/policies/policy-starter-packs.shtml](http://www4.dcu.ie/policies/policy-starter-packs.shtml).