The Technology-Enhanced Learning Development Officer will report to the Head of the Teaching Enhancement Unit (TEU), who has overall responsibility for the teaching and learning development activities in DCU. They will also work closely with the Faculties, in particular the Associate Deans for Teaching and Learning.

The Technology-Enhanced Learning Development Officer will be responsible primarily for a range of technology-enhanced learning activities, support and development of e-learning activities contributing to the DCU Online strategic initiative, further development of collaborative e-learning activity across the MEND alliance and 3U partnership and nationally and contributing to any relevant activities which may arise out of national initiatives, in particular the National Teaching Forum. The TEU is part of the National Institute for Digital Learning (NIDL) and therefore this successful candidate will have strong involvement with the various projects under the remit of NIDL.

The ability to identify and implement appropriate technological solutions to learning challenges will be a core requirement for the Technology-Enhanced Learning Development Officer.

Key responsibilities include:

(i) Provide support to staff on the use of Loop and associated technologies
(ii) Provide assistance and technical support in capturing and editing video
(iii) Delivery of accredited modules provided by, or newly developed by the TEU.
(iv) Provision of workshops on a range of technology-related matters.
(v) Support to individuals, schools and programme teams (outside of the accredited modules) in their efforts to put more programmes into online and blended format.
(vi) Support the development of elearning objects using Articulate Storyline and Studio ‘13
(vii) Keeping up to date with emerging educational technologies and their potential for use in third level education.
(viii) Working with DCU Faculties (Associate Deans, Heads of School, Programme Chairs and Module Co-ordinators) to implement developments which will realise increased flexibility, in particular in relation to online and blended delivery modes.
(ix) Extended current uses of learning technologies, investigation of emerging technologies, facilitating more creative uses of technology and aligning technological solutions to learning challenges.

Applicants must hold a primary degree or equivalent and preferably an appropriate post-graduate qualification and five years relevant experience. Experience of teaching in a higher education environment and development of online teaching resources is preferable along with evidence of scholarship in a relevant area. The successful candidate must be able to demonstrate significant expertise in developing, co-ordinating and delivering professional development to academic staff in relation to enhancement of academic practice. S/He will have an excellent knowledge of the use of new learning technologies to support student learning.

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Salary scale €49,967 - €68,393 Technology-Enhanced Learning Development Officer:

Closing date: Friday 13th November 2015
Application Procedure:
Application forms are available from the DCU Current Vacancies (Open Competitions) website at http://www4.dcu.ie/hr/vacancies/current.shtml and also from the Human Resources Department, Dublin City University, Dublin 9. Tel: +353 (0)1 700 5149

Applications should be submitted by email to hr.applications@dcu.ie or by Fax: +353 (0) 1 7005500 or by post to the Human Resources Department, Dublin City University, Dublin 9.

Please clearly state the role that you are applying for in your application and email subject line: Job Ref#211: Technology-Enhanced Learning Development Officer

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