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

Assistant Professor
Fiontar agus Scoil na Gaeilge
Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences
Full time permanent

Dublin City University

Dublin City University (DCU) is a leading innovative European University. It is proud to be one of the world's leading Young Universities and is among the world's top 2% globally. DCU is known as Ireland's University of Impact, with a mission to 'transform lives and societies' and focuses on addressing global challenges in collaboration with key national and international partners and stakeholders.

DCU has over 20,000 students in five faculties spread across three academic campuses in the Glasnevin-Drumcondra area of North Dublin. Thanks to its innovative approach to teaching and learning, the University offers a 'transformative student experience' that helps to develop highly sought-after graduates. DCU is currently No. 1 in Ireland for Graduate Employment Rate, and for graduate income (CSO).

DCU is a research-intensive University and is home to a number of SFI-funded Research Centres. The University participates in a range of European and international research partnerships. DCU is also the leading Irish university in the area of technology transfer as reflected by licensing of intellectual property.

As a 'People First' institution, DCU is committed to Equality, Diversity and Inclusion - a University that helps staff and students to thrive. The University is a leader in terms of its work to increase access to education, and is placed in the world's Top 10 for reducing inequalities in the Times Higher Education Impact Rankings.

Fiontar agus Scoil na Gaeilge
Fiontar agus Scoil na Gaeilge is an interdisciplinary School which is recognised internationally for the quality of the academic programmes it delivers through the medium of Irish, and for the innovative nature of the teaching, research and work of the academic staff and researchers on our digital projects. Staff in the School deliver modules on programmes within the Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences (BA Joint Honours) and in the DCU Institute of Education (BEd [Primary], BEd in Irish and French/German/Spanish [Postprimary], Professional Master's in Education [Primary]). The School also delivers the following undergraduate programme: BA Business & Irish; and the taught postgraduate programmes, MSc in Business and Digital Management, and MA in the Scholarship of Irish.

Role Profile
The successful candidate will be responsible for teaching a range of modules through the medium of Irish on the School's programmes: BA Business & Irish, the MSc in Business and Digital Management, and the MA in Irish Scholarship. They will be expected to work closely with other academics and industry partners in designing initiatives to develop students' transversal skills. They will also contribute to the administrative and service activities of the School, Faculty, and University, and will report to the Head of Fiontar agus Scoil na Gaeilge.

Duties & Responsibilities
See Job Description for a list of duties and responsibilities associated with this post.

Skills, Experience and Qualifications
Applicants for the post must hold an honours degree and postgraduate qualification (preferably at doctoral level) in Irish Linguistics or a related field. Candidates without a doctoral qualification will be appointed at below bar level. They must have proficiency in the Irish language to teach a range of modules at undergraduate and taught postgraduate level, and to discharge the various associated administrative duties, as well as contribute to the School's research agenda. They will be expected to interact with students and staff in the School through the medium of Irish. Prior teaching experience at university level will be an advantage, as will experience of teaching in a hybrid/blended learning environment. The capacity to teach modules in the areas of technology and the Irish corpus will also be considered desirable.

Essential Training
The post-holder will be required to undertake the following *essential* compliance training: Orientation, Health & Safety, and Data Protection (GDPR) *and all Cyber Security Awareness Training*. Other training may need to be undertaken when appropriate.

Salary Scales:
Lecturer (below bar): €44,125 – €60,422*
Assistant Professor (above bar): €58,629 - €93,957*

*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: 14th July 2023

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Informal enquiries in relation to this role should be directed to:
Prof. Ciarán Mac an Bhaird, Head of School, **Fiontar agus Scoil na Gaeilge, Dublin City University.**
Email: ciaran.macanbhaird@dcu.ie

Please do not send applications to this email address. Instead, apply as described 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 #RC230403 Assistant Professor in Irish.

Dublin City University is an equal opportunities employer.

In line with the Employment Equality Acts 1998 – 2015, the University is committed to equality of treatment for all those who engage with its recruitment, selection and appointment processes.

The University's Athena SWAN Bronze Award signifies the University's commitment to promoting gender equality and addressing any gender pay gaps. Information on a range of university policies aimed at creating a supportive and flexible work environment are available in the [DCU Policy Starter Packs](#)