



# JOB DESCRIPTION FOR LECTURER IN CHEMISTRY

Title:	Lecturer in Chemistry
School/Faculty:	Faculty of Science & Technology
Category:	Academic
Stream:	Higher Education
Reports to:	Head of Department/School and Dean of Faculty
Location/Campus:	SINU, Panatina Campus

## 1. SUMMARY OF DUTIES

The successful applicant will teach various courses in Chemistry at the undergraduate and postgraduate levels, conduct research in areas of their professional academic interest, supervise students' research projects at all levels, and carry out any other duties as delegated by the supervising officer(s).

## 2. MAIN DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

## 2.1. Teaching and learning

• Carry out all standard duties related to teaching and learning in an academic institution. SINU requires staff in the Higher Education stream to carry a workload of, on average, 16 contact hours per week. The rest of the time is to be devoted to non-contact aspects of teaching & learning, including programmed development and reviews (estimated to average 10 hours per week), and research & publications

## 2.2. Research, Publication & Consultancy

• Staff in the higher education stream are expected to carry out research & publications in their fields. They are also expected to carry out approved consultancies.

## 2.3. Administration & General Responsibilities

• Staff in the higher education stream may participate in professional, community, and outreach activities relevant to the programmed or professional interests of the staff. Staff are also expected to participate in University-wide activities commensurate with the roles and responsibility of an academic.



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## 3. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

#### 3.1. Educational Background

• A Master's degree in Chemistry is required. Preference will be given to applicants who hold a PhD in Chemistry.

#### **3.2.** Professional Experience

• A minimum of 3 years of formal tertiary teaching and research experience, or a combination of education and commercial experience totaling at least 3 years, is required for a lecturer-level appointment.

## 4. DESIRABLE ATTRIBUTES

• Work and/or teaching experiences in developing countries, and a demonstrated experience in dealing with socio-cultural and political diversities. Experience in programmed development and review, and publications in credible academic outlets.

## TERMS AND CONDITION

The position is for five (5) years under an employment contract. Contract renewal will be subject to satisfactory

performance.