1 Advertisement

Post Title: Lecturer in Journalism (Education and Scholarship)
School/department: School of Media, Arts and Humanities / Department of Media, Journalism and Cultural Studies
Hours: Part-time (0.4 FTE)
Requests for flexible working options will be considered (subject to business need).
Location: Brighton, United Kingdom
Contract: fixed-term for nine months
Reference: 21253
Salary: starting at £37,099 to £44,236 per annum, pro rata if part time.
Placed on: 22 September 2023
Closing date: 03 November 2023. Applications must be received by midnight of the closing date.
Expected Interview date: To be confirmed
Expected start date: 1 January 2024

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The successful candidate will possess a completed doctorate in a relevant academic discipline (or have evidence of equivalent advanced professional experience), have teaching experience in HE and be able to help develop journalism scholarship at the University of Sussex.

You will join a flourishing, collegial department with a strong commitment to interdisciplinary research on media, and will teach an intellectually ambitious undergraduate and postgraduate curriculum. Excellent communication skills and evidence of ability to work productively as part of a friendly, team-oriented department are essential skills for this position.

Please contact Dr Beatrice Fazi (b.fazi@sussex.ac.uk) for informal enquiries.

The University of Sussex values the diversity of its staff and students and we welcome applicants from all backgrounds.

Please note: The University requires that work undertaken for the University is performed from the UK.

2. The School / Division

Please find further information regarding the school at:
3. **Job Description**

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**Grade:** 7

**Responsible to:** Head of Department of Media, Journalism and Cultural Studies

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4. **Person Specification**

**ESSENTIAL ROLE-SPECIFIC CRITERIA**

1. PhD in a relevant academic discipline (or equivalent advanced professional experience)
2. Established track record of professional journalistic practice
3. Broad understanding of current trends in journalism and media studies
4. Experience of teaching in higher education
5. Experience of teaching administration and organization in an educational context
6. A track-record of journalistic storytelling in different media forms (text, audio, video, digital)

**DESIRABLE CRITERIA**

1. A recognised HE teaching qualification
2. Experience of teaching at postgraduate level
3. Developed awareness of media issues and media industries
4. An emerging record of developing an education portfolio with focus on scholarship