Vacancy announcement

PRACTICE ASSISTANT Engineering

THE AFRO-AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL AFRICA (AAUCA)
CANDIDATE PROFILE
Qualifications & Skills
As a Practice Assistant in Engineering, you will form part of a team of experts who will be supporting teaching and research in a new-born university with a strong international orientation. You will be responsible for supporting instruction in the area of Engineering.

The ideal candidate should possess the following qualifications and skills:

1) A Bachelor’s degree from a reputable university in the field of Engineering;
2) A master’s degree in Engineering or related discipline;
3) Proven experience of at least one (1) year as a Practice Assistant in Engineering reinforcing classes and supporting student instruction;
4) Native or near-native speaker competence in Spanish;
5) Proficiency command of the English language;
6) Communication skills and ability to transmit knowledge to undergraduate students in a highly multicultural environment;
7) A good team player with the ability to work harmoniously with colleagues and students of all cultures and backgrounds;
8) Excellent interpersonal, planning and organizational skills.

The Afro-American University of Central Africa

The Afro-American University of Central Africa (AAUCA) is a public Equatorial Guinean higher education institution recently established at the heart of Africa (Oyala) that provides access to higher education students of diverse backgrounds and educational needs. AAUCA’s vision is to become a world-class university driven by research and innovation that fosters the intellectual development and success of its student population through a rigorous, positive, highly-internationalized and transformative educational experience.

AAUCA has commenced a comprehensive global search for the appointment of young practice assistants to reinforce pedagogical activities related to teaching and research. This constitutes an excellent opportunity for young professionals to become part of an educational institution that seeks to become a reference of the Equatorial Guinean and international higher education, very particularly thanks to the strong support granted by the national government and the strategic vision that drives the Organization. Consequently, one (1) position for a Practice Assistant in Engineering is available.

Duties and responsibilities
1) To be able to comfortably support the learning objectives included in the common core of the Engineering study programs, in accordance to guidelines and policies established by the University;
2) The Practice Assistant in Engineering will be responsible for teaching credit hours of courses per semester;
3) The Practice Assistant in Engineering is expected to develop and deliver high-quality course content and student engagement activities in engineering at the undergraduate and both on campus and, if necessary, online;
4) Related professional engagement and departmental service are also expected;
5) Provides general support to students with scheduled office hours, tutorials and follow-up on student attendance and progress;
6) Quality-oriented, innovative and willing to be part of a team who will contribute to the development of an academic and research excellence pole in Central Africa;
How to apply

1) Interested applicants are requested to email their *curriculum vitae* and personal statement to info-iesalc@unesco.org by indicating the vacancy title “Practice Assistant in Engineering” on the email’s subject;

2) The *curriculum vitae* submitted shall affix a recent photo (45mm x 35mm with no less than 150 pixels of quality);

3) Only complete applications (curriculum vitae + personal statement + photo) will be considered;

4) Only short listed candidates will be contacted for an interview;

5) Applications will close at 23:00 GMT on August 16, 2020.

The Afro-American University of Central Africa will be supported in its global search for this appointment by the UNESCO International Institute for Higher Education. If you wish to discuss this position further in confidence, please do not hesitate to contact us at info-iesalc@unesco.org