



College Management Unit:	UCD College of Health and Agricultural Science
School Unit:	UCD School of Public Health, Physiotherapy and Sports Science
Post Title & Subject Area (if relevant)	Lecturer/Assistant Professor, Sport and Exercise Science
Post Duration:	Temporary Fixed Term 5 Years
Line Manager	Head of School or nominee
Grade:	Lecturer/Assistant Professor Below the Bar OR Lecturer/Assistant Professor Above the Bar
Competition Ref. N^o	019300
HR Administrator	Linda Meili
Garda Vetting	YES

Position Summary:

Applications are invited for a 5 year, full-time academic post as an Assistant Professor (above or below the bar) in the area of Clinical Exercise Physiology in the UCD School of Public Health, Physiotherapy and Sports Science. The role will encompass the development of lectures, tutorials and/or workshops, and practical laboratories primarily related to clinical exercise physiology. The post holder will be expected to contribute to research led teaching within the school. The School is a multidisciplinary unit which is highly research active; the post holder will support and contribute to the research endeavors of the School, research student supervision and to school administration. The successful candidate will be expected to participate actively in the academic life of the School and make a contribution to School administration.

Principal Duties and Responsibilities:

Teaching

- Contribute to the School's teaching through
 - Design, preparation and delivery of lectures, tutorials, laboratories and teaching materials, both for face-to-face and distance education as appropriate.
 - Coordinate and develop module content in the area of clinical exercise physiology, health, and exercise science.
 - Engaging in a range of assessment and examination methods in-line with current best pedagogical practices, to enable learning in the area of clinical exercise physiology, health, and exercise science.
 - Provide timely feedback in relation to assessment performance, and evaluate student performance in relation to the professional and practical elements within the modules and courses the post holder coordinates.
- Provide academic counselling and advice to students.
- Ensure the programmes delivered by the School are of the highest internationally recognised academic standard, and graduates are eligible to apply for accreditation with national and international sport and exercise science organizations.
- Participate as required in educational programme development activities including, but not limited to, module and curriculum design review and enhancement, contribute to the development and delivery of new modules / programmes, student recruitment and internationalisation.
- Mentor undergraduate and postgraduate students undertaking research projects as appropriate.

Research

- Engage actively in research and scholarly activity appropriate to the School.
- Actively engage in the supervision of undergraduate students, and post-graduate students, where relevant.
- Supervise and manage research projects as appropriate.
- Establish and engage in collaborative research networks, promoting inter-disciplinary, inter-institutional and international research partnerships.
- Disseminate research.

General

- Participate in, and contribute to, the academic administration of appropriate School-level academic committees and processes and appropriate University bodies.
- Carry out specific roles and functions in the School and other university bodies that may be reasonably requested.
- Participate in Quality Assurance initiatives.
- Engage in appropriate training programmes in the University.
- Promote the development of the School, College and the University.
- Maintain the highest professional standards to enhance the School and University performance and reputation.
- Undertake such other duties as may be reasonably requested, commensurate with the nature and grade of the post.
- Participate in, and contribute to, appropriate School level academic committees and processes.
- Participate in marketing student recruitment and internationalisation activities, supporting the development of UCD's programmes of education and research overseas.
- Support the strategic goals of UCD and of the School.

**95 Lecturer/Asst Professor Below The Bar (7944) Salary Scale: €42,099 - €71,997 Per Annum
OR**

95 Lecturer/Asst Professor Above The Bar (7943) Salary Scale: €64,753 - €102,539 Per Annum

Appointment will be made on scale and in accordance with the Department of Finance guidelines.

Details on eligibility to compete and pension information is available at

<https://www.ucd.ie/hr/resourcing/eligibilitytocompete/>

UCD is committed to creating an inclusive environment where diversity is celebrated and everyone is afforded equality of opportunity. We welcome applications from everyone, including those who identify with any of the protected characteristics that are set out in our Equality, Diversity and Inclusion policy. Learn more about Diversity at

<https://www.ucd.ie/workatucd/diversity/>

Reasonable accommodations will be provided to any applicant during the interview process who discloses they have a disability or are neurodiverse.

Selection Criteria

Selection criteria outline the qualifications, skills, knowledge and/or experience that the successful candidate would need to demonstrate for successful discharge of the responsibilities of the post. Applications will be assessed on the basis of how well candidates satisfy these criteria.

Mandatory:

- PhD in the discipline of Clinical Exercise Physiology or related area.
- Professional experience working as a Clinical Exercise Physiologist.
- Accredited Exercise Physiologist, or meet the International Confederation of Sport and Exercise Science Practice, Clinical Exercise Physiology Standards.
- A commitment to high-quality teaching and demonstrated module coordination and teaching competency in the area of clinical exercise physiology at University level.
- An established or emerging track record of publication and/or dissemination of research findings.
- Evidence of a strong commitment to and enthusiasm for, teaching in a range of settings.
- Ability to organise and prioritise work, to work to deadlines and to be flexible.
- Excellent communication and collaboration skills.
- Ability to communicate fundamental and advanced concepts to students.
- Ability to collaborate and work within a team.
- Candidates must demonstrate how they can positively contribute to fostering an inclusive environment and a level of awareness of equality, diversity and inclusion.
- Working knowledge of general and academic administration.
- Proficiency in the English language.
- Proven ability to work independently and effectively within a team setting to achieve the overall aims of the subject area and the School.

Desirable:

- A University Teaching Qualification
- Experience with placements within health and exercise settings.
- Evidence of other scholarly activity and engagement with the wider community.
- Good knowledge of university rules, regulations and procedures, especially those pertaining to examinations, registration and student welfare and experience of general and academic administration

Supplementary information:

The University:	https://www.ucd.ie/
UCD Strategy 2030: Breaking Boundaries	https://strategy.ucd.ie/
The College/Management Unit:	https://www.ucd.ie/chas/
The School/Programme Office/Unit:	https://www.ucd.ie/phps/
Equality Diversity and Inclusion at UCD	https://www.ucd.ie/workatucd/diversity/

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