

Educational Developer (Ref: 261)

Department of International Public Health

Salary: £37,382 - £47,314 per annum (pro rata for part time working)

Part time (50%), Fixed-Term appointment to 31st March 2015



LSTM is an internationally recognised centre of excellence for research in tropical diseases. The creation of effective links with governments, organisations and institutions and responding to the health needs of communities allows LSTM to promote improved health, particularly for people of the less developed / resource poorest countries in the tropics and sub-tropics.

The Educational Developer will be part of the Capacity Research Unit in LSTM which hosts several projects including the T-REC Project. This project, is a collaboration involving 5 partners throughout Europe and Africa aimed at developing research capacity of blood transfusion services in Africa. You will join a multi-disciplinary team involved in the Capacity Research unit and, although primarily focussing on the T-REC project, you will have an opportunity to contribute to a range of other projects as part of the team. Reporting to the T-REC Principal Investigator, you will assist in attaining project objectives through responsibility for the educational development aspects of the T-REC Project. This will particularly, though not exclusively, relate to an in-service research skills course (Professional Diploma in Project Design and Management - DPDM) for transfusion service professionals established at three sites in Ghana and Zimbabwe.

With a professional qualification or training in an area related to education/educational development, you will have a strong record of continuing professional development. Extensive experience of educational development of staff in higher education institutions face-to-face and at distance is essential as you will be providing training, mentoring and general support to enable tutors to establish and independently sustain the DPDM course.

We are looking for an individual with excellent communication skills (both written and verbal) and knowledge of a wide range of learning and teaching theories and methods gained by developing innovative courses at professional and/or Masters level to become an integral part of the T-REC project Team.

The ability to develop effective working relationships with a range of people is crucial to the role as you will be working with people across different cultures and diverse types of students.

The post will be based in Liverpool with some requirements for overseas travel.

Further details of the post can be found by visiting our website at <http://lstm.liverpool.ac.uk>

If you are interested in applying, please return your up to date CV and covering letter (quoting reference 261) stating your interest and suitability for the role, together with completed copies of our Application Form, Personal Details Form and Equal Opportunities Monitoring Form, via email to Lstmjobs@liverpool.ac.uk, or by post to HR, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine, Pembroke Place, Liverpool L3 5QA

Closing Date: Wednesday 24th July 2013 (12 noon GMT)

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