

Lecturer in Web Design, BA (Honours) Design Communications

Griffith College Dublin
Faculty of Design

Job description

Web Design, Interaction Designer - Lecturer Job Description

Applications are invited for a part-time **Web Design/Interaction Designer** lecturing role in the Faculty of Design for BA (Honours) in Design Communications programme and part-time short courses. We are looking for a lecturer who is enthusiastic and passionate, not only about **Web Design & Interaction Design**, but also about the opportunity to share their knowledge with the designers of the future.

JOB TITLE:	Web Design/Interaction Design Lecturer
REPORTING TO:	Faculty Head / Programme Director
HOURS OF WORK:	As per course requirements, additional hours as may be required in line with the needs of the service.
PURPOSE:	The primary focus of this post will be to play an active role in the academic direction of your module including teaching, assessment and administration.
Employing:	Griffith College
Location:	Dublin
Website:	http://www.griffith.ie

Informal queries can be made to the Human Resource Manager
Human Resource Manager
Department of Human Resources,
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For more information on the Faculty of Design see <http://www.gcd.ie/design/>

Advertising Date Monday 20th July 2020
Closing Date: Friday 14th August 2020
Interview Date: Monday 17th August 2017

Griffith College is an equal opportunities employer

All candidates applying for teaching posts must undergo a mock lecture before being interviewed; they may be asked demonstrate ability via portfolio.

Required Qualifications

Candidates are expected to have:

Bachelor degree in a design-related discipline, a postgraduate qualification (level 9 or above), or equivalent in a cognate discipline. Membership of a Professional body and any record of research, scholarship and publications are an advantage.

Successful applicants should have the following attributes:

- Proven teaching excellence and ability to support curriculum development;
- Demonstrated leadership and problem solving skills; applying user-centred design processes to solve complex problems
- A strong expertise in Design principles for the web, frontend development of graphics for web and interaction design.
- A working knowledge in programming languages such as JavaScript and HTML and up to date with new software development for the web.
- A working knowledge of Maintaining and updating testing websites you have already designed.
- Demonstrate a design knowledge for cross channel experiences (web, mobile, tablet)
- Knowledge of web-based technologies and their impact on the feasibility of design solutions.
- Demonstrate a proficiency in design and prototyping tools.
- Utilise industry design standards and best practices to define and implement design criteria, design guidelines, and design specs.
- Knowledge of optimising for the search engines.
- Experience of working in a positive, flexible manner.
- A willingness to arrange and participate in student trips and site visits.
- experience of openly exchanging information and supporting colleagues
- An understanding and commitment to Equal Opportunities and Diversity.

Guidelines for Mock Lecture

As part of the interview process, candidates are required to give a 5 – 10 minute mock lecture, regarding the interview panel as students.

The lecture should cover an item (or items) of the candidate's choice from an existing (or proposed) course offered by the Faculty or Department.

The candidate is free to use whatever medium and teaching aids are appropriate, including laptop and projector, but is encouraged to use new technology.

The lecture should not be the first lecture in a course, nor should it be an overview of a course.

The lecture will focus on explaining a particular aspect of the course to students who are unfamiliar with the topic.

The lecturer should begin by outlining any previous information that the students are expected to know (e.g. "I'm assuming you know how to which we covered last week").

Questions will be asked of the lecturer, either during or after the lecture.
