

UNIVERSITY OF DAR ES SALAAM

DAR ES SALAAM UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF EDUCATION (DUCE)



SENIOR RESEARCHER POSITION - (RE-ADVERTISED)

The Dar es Salaam University College of Education (DUCE) is a Constituent College of the University of Dar es Salaam established in 2005. The main functions of the College as stipulated in the Dar es Salaam University College of Education Charter and the Rules of 2010 are to provide integrated teaching, research and public service.

The Dar es Salaam University College of Education (DUCE) in Collaboration with the Universities of Stirling, Durham, Heriot-Watt, Strathclyde, Malawi – The Polytechnic, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine has acquired research funds from the United Kingdom Research and Innovation (UKRI) to implement a project on Sustainable Plastic Attitudes to benefit Communities and their Environments (SPACES) for four years. Through this project, the College intends to employ a Senior Researcher to coordinate the implementation of the project. The post holder will apply his/her knowledge and experience on public health risks and environmental impacts of plastic and solid waste pollution in developing countries and explore which interventions, policies and regulations best mitigate the risks. He/she will be responsible to engage various stakeholders in undertaking research, dialogue and learning activities which support the smooth running of the project. The post holder will work closely with the multi-disciplinary team of international and local University Researchers, local partners, and other stakeholders to inform and influence policy and practice; and communicate research findings through publications. This post is full time, local and will follow public service remuneration scales. Public servants are not eligible for the position. The College invites applications from suitable qualified Candidate who wish to apply the following position.

S/N	Position	No. of Posts	Qualifications and Experience
1.	Senior Researcher Position	1	<p>Qualification:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Postgraduate degree (PhD/Masters) in environmental science and substantial knowledge on the debates, policy, processes, actors and institutions linked to the, environmental pollution, solid waste management, plastic production, distribution and management; - Substantial research background and experience evidenced by a track record of publications; - Significant experience of coordinating and sustaining diverse teams or collaborative networks, including management of projects/people from a distance; - Fluency in English to convey messages in a clear, concise and effective manner to different audiences orally and in writing; - Interest and ability in facilitation of multi- stakeholder meetings; - High level of technical, analytical and conceptual skills; - Organisational skills for self and others; - Hands-on experience on managing and implementing the project cycle; - A good team player; - Experience in budget creation for research activities, monitoring and reporting; and - Advanced knowledge of computer including statistical packages and GIS.

The University of Dar es Salaam is an Equal Opportunity institution committed to non discriminatory manner of student admission and staff recruitment.

			<p>Key responsibilities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Work collaboratively with the main researchers in aligning methodologies with research goals, - Use a range of tools to acquire information and interpret data, - Collaboratively prepare research instruments for data collection, - Organise field work and conduct data collection activities, - Manage junior researchers/ research assistants, - Review and organise diverse literature, - Write reports and present findings and schedules to multidisciplinary team of researchers and other stakeholders, - Coordinate teams of researchers, - Map plastic sources and trends using GIS expertise, - Manage data and protect databases and confidential information, - Prepare manuscripts, attend conferences and deliver presentations and communicate effectively at all levels. <p>Duration: one year renewable upon successful performance.</p> <p>Salary Scale in PUTS 4</p>
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Note:

- (i) Applicants must be Tanzanian Citizen;
- (ii) Signed application letters should be written in English;
- (iii) Applicants should attach up to date detailed CV;
- (iv) Applicants must not exceed 45 years;
- (v) Applicants should attach certified copies of academic certificates and Transcripts;
- (vi) Certificates from foreign Universities must be verified by TCU;
- (vii) Only successful candidates will be contacted; and
- (viii) All application letters should be addressed to:

Deputy Principal (Administration)

Dar es Salaam University College of Education (DUCE)

P.O. Box 2329

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The deadline for submitting applications is Monday 11th October 2021 at 3.00 PM