

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH AFRICA

The University of South Africa, in collaboration with the Department of Higher Education and Training (DHET) seeks to appoint academics as part of the New Generation of Academics' Programme (nGAP)

in the

College of Education: Department of Mathematics Education

Muckleneuk Campus, Pretoria

Lecturer, Mathematics Education (P8) x1 on a permanent full-time basis with a contractual obligation to

participate successfully in the Staffing South Africa's Universities' Framework (SSAUF) Development Programme from 2021 to 2026

Ref: CEDU/NM/422/2020

UNISA is the only publicly funded institution in South Africa dedicated to distance education. In keeping with its mandate as a comprehensive, open, distance and e-learning (ODeL) tertiary institution offering a variety of academic and career-focused programmes, the University is inviting applications for positions in the **DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS EDUCATION, COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**. This position is part of the **New Generation of Academic Programme (nGAP)** co-funded by the **Department of Higher Education and Training**.

To be considered for a position, the applicants must meet all the generic requirements plus the specific requirements as stated per position. If found suitable for appointment, Unisa will offer the applicant a permanent employment contract which emphasises the need to participate successfully in the SSAUF - Development Programme

ACTIVITY:



[APPLICATION FORM FOR A PERMANENT ACADEMIC POST:](#)

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POSITION: LECTURER

**SCHOOL OF TEACHER EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS EDUCATION
MUCKLENEUK (PRETORIA)**

(nGAP) Lecturer Mathematics Education (P8) X1 (Ref: CEDU/422/2020)

To be eligible for selection for an nGAP post, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Show interest in becoming an academic.
- Be 40 years or younger.
- Prospective candidates should have achieved an average of 70 % or above in a master's degree.
- Show evidence of eligibility to undertake postgraduate study at doctoral level.
- Be willing to commit to placement at the appointing university for the full 6 years of the programme.

Experience

- At least one (1) year teaching/or research experience (not applicable if applicant is not from an academic teaching institution).

Post specific requirements for Lecturer for Mathematics Education:

- A Master's degree in Education at NQF level 9 or in a related discipline (Specialization in Mathematics Education).
- Evidence of registration for Doctoral degree (eg. PhD or DEd) is essential or a commitment to register for a Doctoral degree in mathematics education after taking up the nGAP appointment.
- Potential to conduct research
- Good theoretical knowledge of the discipline.
- Willingness to participate in departmental, school, college and University committees or task teams and voluntary associations (academics and non-academics).

Recommendations:

- Affiliation to a professional association.
- Experience of teaching in an ODeL environment.
- Involvement or potential to participate in community engagement.
- Ability to contribute to curriculum transformation in Mathematics Education.

How to apply:

The applicant must attach a short development statement (max 1000 words) to his/her application specified as follows:

Describe how you will to approach this development opportunity by taking into account the following:

- Commitment to complete your formal qualification.
- Managing workload.
- Participation in mentoring programmes.
- Participation in short courses on research and teaching development.

This statement can be supported by relevant evidence to demonstrate your commitment towards completing this programme.

Salary : Remuneration is commensurate with the seniority of the position
Assumption of duty : **01 January 2020**

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Closing Date : **09 October 2020** (email application before close of business at 16:00)

- Your **APPLICATION FORM** must be accompanied by a COMPREHENSIVE CURRICULUM VITAE and;
 - identity document (*including passport, work permit, permanent residence permit or proof of nationalisation if applicable*) (certified copies within the previous six months);
 - all educational qualifications (certified copies within the previous six months);
 - academic transcripts/records (certified copies within the previous six months);
 - proof of SAQA verification for foreign qualifications (*if applicable*) (certified copies within the previous six months);
 - teaching statement (maximum 1000 words)
- UNISA reserves the right to authenticate all qualifications without any further consent from the applicant.
- The contact details of **three contactable references** must be provided, one of which must be from your present employer excluding your current line manager if you are an internal Unisa applicant.
- **Late, incomplete and incorrect applications will not be considered.**
- Unisa is not obliged to fill an advertised position.
- *Appointments will be made in accordance with Unisa's Employment Equity Plan and other applicable legislation.*



- **We welcome applications from Persons with Disabilities**

NB: Applications must be submitted to the following **Email Address:** cedu2permanentappointments@unisa.ac.za indicate the name of the relevant College and/or Department, the position applied for and the reference number of the position. If you apply for more than one position, each application must be in send separately.

All applications should reach Unisa before 16h00 on the closing date.

Correspondence will be limited to short-listed candidates only. If you have not been contacted within two months after closing date of this advertisement, please accept that your application was not successful.