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**1-YEAR FIXED TERM CONTRACT**

**STUDENT SERVICES DIVISION**

**ACCOUNTANT**

**(PEROMNES GRADE 7)**

**STUDENT RESIDENCE AFFAIRS**

**WESTVILLE**

**REF NO. SS12/2017**

The incumbent will assume responsibility for financial management of budget allocations and various operational functions of Student Residence Affairs. This will include procurement, creditors and assets. S/he ensures that transactions are processed in accordance with applicable procedures, and provides relevant financial reports as required.

Main duties include consultation on\_ and facilitation of financial matters; ensuring best practice and good financial governance; management and control of budgets; reporting on\_ and control of expenditure and asset registers.

**Minimum Requirements**:

* Three (3) year degree with Accounting;
* Five (5) years’ relevant accounting experience of which two (2) years should be in a supervisory position;
* Knowledge of accounting (financial and management), taxation and auditing requirements;
* Ability to interpret cost reports, cash flows, balance sheets, income statements and analyses in compliance with IFRS;
* Computer literacy – MS Office including MD Word and MS Excel

**Preferential Requirements:**

* Relevant financial experience in a tertiary education, or in a public sector environment;
* Knowledge of the legal framework governing higher education institutions.

**The total remuneration package offered includes benefits. The closing date for receipt of applications is 19 January 2018.**

**Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form, which is available on the Vacancies website at** [**www.ukzn.ac.za**](http://www.ukzn.ac.za)**. Completed forms must be sent to** **Recruitment-jm@ukzn.ac.za**

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