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**COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE**

**AD HOC LECTURER (HORTICULTURAL SCIENCE)**

**SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER 2025**

**SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURAL, EARTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES**

**PIETERMARITZBURG CAMPUS**

**REF NO.: PS35/2025**

The successful candidate will lecture Horticultural Science Modules, which will include lecturing 3rd year undergraduate students. Duties include teaching and delivering the practical component of the Agricultural Plant Physiology (AGPS320), setting and marking tests and exams and student consultation. The practical component requires experience in the plant photosynthetic physiology, plant hormone physiology, flowering, pollination, fruit growth and development and postharvest physiology of a wide range of horticultural crops including fruit and vegetables.

The incumbent will report to the Academic Leader: Production Sciences.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:**

* MSc degree in Crop or Horticultural Science
* Relevant teaching experience at a tertiary institution

Enquiries and details regarding this post may be directed to Prof Kwasi Sackey Yobo, email [Yobok@ukzn.ac.za](mailto:Yobok@ukzn.ac.za)

**REMUNERATION:** The remuneration package offered will be dependent on the qualifications and/or experience of the successful applicant, in line with UKZN remuneration for ad hoc lecturer level. Rates of pay will be per University fixed-term rates and official module (Handbook) approved hours for these academic duties.

The successful appointee will be required to fulfil their responsibilities to the teaching programme proposed by the school at any given time.

**The closing date for receipt of applications is 18 July 2024.**

**Applicants are required to submit a detailed CV, together with a covering letter highlighting how their meet each of the minimum requirements as listed above to Mrs Rashika Maikoo, E-mail:** [**MaikooR@ukzn.ac.za**](mailto:MaikooR@ukzn.ac.za)**.**

The School and the University reserve the right to not appoint and/or stop the recruitment process at any stage.

*Kindly note that the University of KwaZulu-Natal (“the University”) is required to process any Personal Information (as defined by the Protection of Personal Act, 2013 “POPIA”) submitted by candidates when applying for positions at the University. The University will endeavour to ensure that the appropriate security measures are in place and implemented for both electronic and paper-based formats that are used for processing of the personal information recorded through this recruitment and selection process. We refer you to the University’s relevant Section 18 notice at* [*http://vacancies.ukzn.ac.za/Libraries/General\_Documents/Section\_18\_Notice\_-\_Employees\_and\_Potential\_Employees.sflb.ashx*](http://vacancies.ukzn.ac.za/Libraries/General_Documents/Section_18_Notice_-_Employees_and_Potential_Employees.sflb.ashx)