

The University of KwaZulu-Natal (UKZN) is committed to meeting the objectives of Employment Equity to improve representivity within the Institution. Preference will be given to applicants from designated groups in accordance with our Employment Equity Plan including people with disabilities.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE

**AD HOC LECTURER (STATISTICS)
5-MONTH FIXED TERM CONTRACT APPOINTMENT
SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE AND SCIENCE
WESTVILLE CAMPUS (3 POSTS)
PIETERMARITZBURG CAMPUS (1 POST)**

REF No: 2026-01/SASc-Stats01

The School caters for both the M- and LES-streams and offers service courses to students in the School of Engineering and in the College of Law and Management Studies. The successful candidate appointed to this position will lecture Statistics, which will include lecturing at the Undergraduate level. Duties include, but may not be restricted to, delivering lectures and tutorials, overseeing student practical sessions, setting and marking tests and exams, student consultation, and attendance at relevant staff meetings. Lectures will be allocated depending on the exact requirements of the School. The incumbent may be required to assist with the co-ordination of aspects of the module. A strong background and knowledge of statistical methods and knowledge of statistical software such as SAS, R, SPSS and Excel.

We invite applications for ad hoc fixed-term contract lecturing positions on the Westville Campus and Pietermaritzburg Campus to start during February 2026. The duration of the appointment will be based on the academic needs of the school. Applicants must be able to teach a module in Introduction to Statistics (first year) to large classes. Experience in coordinating a first-year module will be considered an advantage.

Minimum requirements:

- PhD degree in Statistics OR a relevant Master's degree in Statistics with evidence of submission of a PhD for examination.
- Relevant teaching experience at a tertiary institution.
- Evidence of presentations at national or international conferences.
- Current research activity as evidenced by a publication in a quality scientific journal.

Enquiries and details regarding this appointment may be directed to the Academic Leader: Danielle Roberts on email: robertsd@ukzn.ac.za.

REMUNERATION: The all-inclusive remuneration package for the full period of appointment is based on the university's standard rates of pay on a per lecture/tutorial/practical basis.

Applicants who do not meet the minimum requirements will not be considered.

APPLICATIONS:

- **Applicants are required to submit a covering letter and full CV.**
- The letter must **provide details of the candidate's fulfillment of each of the minimum requirements** as listed above.
- Your application (letter and a full CV) should be emailed to: **Ms Bev Bonhomme** Bonhomme@ukzn.ac.za

The closing date for applications is 23 January 2025

The School reserves the right not to appoint any person to the position(s).

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 provision of the Personal Information is a requirement in terms of the University's recruitment and selection process. The retention of any personal information is as a consequence of the University being bound by legislative requirements and / or good governance practices as well as record keeping for statistical purposes. 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.