

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.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE (CAES)

SENIOR TUTOR (1 POST)

(GRADE 9)

CENTRE FOR ACADEMIC SUCCESS IN SCIENCE & ENGINEERING (CASSE)

6-MONTH FIXED TERM (1 JULY 2026 – 31 DECEMBER 2026)

PIETERMARITZBURG CAMPUSES

REFERENCE NUMBER: CASSE 01/2026

The Centre is seeking to appoint a Senior Tutor in Biology at its Pietermaritzburg campus. The successful candidate appointed to this ad hoc position will be remunerated on a per-lecture basis if they are a full-time registered student. Candidates who are not full-time registered students will be appointed on a full-time basis and remunerated accordingly.

The incumbent will be responsible for administering the module, delivering lectures and tutorials, setting and marking tests and examinations, managing assessments, and conducting student consultations. The incumbent will report directly to the Head of CASSE.

The Incumbent:

- May undertake part-time employment only with the knowledge and consent of the line manager and, where applicable, with approved Private Remuneration Work.
- Must be able to work well under pressure, independently and overtime when necessary.
- Must demonstrate a high level of personal integrity and the ability to handle sensitive issues with tact and diplomacy, while maintaining complete discretion and confidentiality.
- Should have good interpersonal and client service skills to enable successful liaison and interaction with all University stakeholders.
- Must have a clean/clear criminal record.

Minimum Requirements:

- A Masters degree in Biological Sciences, Life Sciences or aligned disciplines.
- One-year relevant teaching experience in a tertiary institution.

Enquiries and details regarding this post may be directed to Mr M Nkwanyana via e-mail: NkwanyanaM@ukzn.ac.za

The closing date for the receipt of applications is close of business on Wednesday, the 24th June, 2026.

Applicants are required to send a copy of their detailed Curriculum Vitae showcasing the details of the minimum requirements to MagubaneS@ukzn.ac.za

Advert Reference Number MUST be clearly stated in the subject line.

The Centre for Academic Success in Science and Engineering reserves the right not to fill the post.

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