

# University of Kurdistan Hewlêr زانکۆی کوردستان ھەولێر

## **Vacancy Announcement**

## Lecturer/Assistant Professor in Computer Science and Engineering

The Computer Science and Computer Engineering Programmes at the University of Kurdistan Hewlêr (UKH) are seeking dedicated and motivated individuals to join our academic team. This opportunity offers a chance to contribute to the growth and success of our Programme while fostering excellence in education and research within the field of Computer Science and Engineering.

Vacancy Title: Lecturer/Assistant Professor in Computer Science and Engineering

Vacancies Available: Three (3)

**School - Programme:** School of Science and Engineering – Computer Science and

Computer Engineering

Job Family: Academic

Type of Contract: Full-Time

**Hours of Work:** 40 Hours/Week (Normally 08:30 Am – 4:30 Pm, Sunday – Thursday)

**Place Of Work:** University of Kurdistan Hewlêr (UKH)

**Reporting To:** Dean of the School

**Appointment Duration:** 3 Years

**Probation:** 6 Months

**Application Deadline:** Applications are open until the position is filled.

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## **Duties And Responsibilities**

## **Teaching:**

- Deliver (3 5) modules per semester to undergraduate and postgraduate students, demonstrating flexibility in teaching a broad range of subjects within Computer Science and Engineering.
- Participate in designing modules and programmes in the field, reflecting the latest developments while adhering to quality standards and professional requirements.
- Design and implement assessment methods aligned with learning outcomes, providing timely feedback and support to students.
- Supervise dissertations and projects, fostering student engagement and learning.
- Create an environment that stimulates student interest and learning.

#### Research:

- Conduct research and scholarly activities within the field, contributing to the University's reputation as a leader in the region.
- Present academic papers at credible academic gatherings.
- Publish research outcomes in reputable journals and present findings at conferences.

## Administration:

- Engage in academic and administrative committees at various levels.
- Contribute to administrative tasks such as student recruitment and module coordination.

## Society Engagement:

• Contribute to knowledge transfer, leadership, public service, and consultancy activities of the University.

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#### PERSON SPECIFICATIONS

The post-holder should have the following qualifications, skills, and competencies:

## **Assistant Professor:**

- A candidate can be employed directly as an Assistant Professor by UKH provided that he/she
  is a holder of a PhD from an accredited university and has the credentials that qualify him/her
  for that post provided that the candidate has held the title of Lecturer or equivalent in an
  academic institution.
  - Minimum of 5 years of teaching experience in Higher Education and carrying out research. A Higher Education Teaching Certificate is required.
  - Minimum of 5 peer-reviewed articles published in Thomson Reuters, SCOPUS or DOAJ listed journals.
  - o Deep experience in Teaching one of these subjects:
    - Programming languages with different paradigms.
    - Database system design and implementation.
    - Web technologies and programming frontend and backend, preferably with mainstream frameworks.
    - Computer Graphics and Game Development.
    - Media design and Graphic Design.
  - Published book(s) or book chapter(s) is an advantage.

#### Lecturer:

- All candidates in teaching capacity who are fresh PhD holders are appointed as Lecturers.
   Candidates from Kurdistan Region and Iraq with no teaching certificate will be offered a three-month training to obtain such a certificate while other candidates will be required to present a recognized teaching certificate as part of their employment documents.
- Fresh PhD holders must have 2-3 publications in standard journals relating to their degrees.

## General Requirements:

- A recognised Teaching Certificate at the university level.
- Fluency in English Language Reading, Writing, and Speaking (ability to teach in English).
- A consistent record of teaching in the specialised area.
- Have experience with international academic experience.
- The ability to comfortably teach across Programmes (3 5 modules), curricula and to supervise dissertations and project works.
- Strong knowledge of subject areas combined with a broad subject background.
- Interpersonal, planning, and organisational skills.



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- A good team player with the ability to work harmoniously with colleagues and students of all cultures and backgrounds.
- Commitment to high-quality teaching and fostering a positive learning environment for students.
- Commitment to continuous professional development, academic research, and income generation.
- Ability to deal with sensitive information with discretion and to maintain confidentiality at all times.

#### HOW TO APPLY

- Interested applicants are requested to email their Application Form, CV, and Personal Statement to <a href="mailto:jobs@ukh.edu.krd">jobs@ukh.edu.krd</a> by indicating the specific Vacancy Title: Lecturer/Assistant Professor in Computer Science and Engineering and inserting the most recent passport-size photo in the area provided on the application form.
- Only complete applications: Application Form (with the most recent photo), Personal Statement and CV will be considered.
- The size of the photo must be 45mm x 35mm with no less than 150 pixels for quality.
- Any application that does not specify the vacancy applied for will not be considered.
- An Application Form is available at 'Vacancies' on the University website (<a href="http://www.ukh.edu.krd">http://www.ukh.edu.krd</a>) or click <a href="http://www.ukh.edu.krd">here</a> to download it.
- Only short-listed candidates will be contacted for an interview.