Lecturer/Senior Lecturer in Film, Television and Media Studies



Position Overview

The Department of Film, Television and Media Studies at The University of Auckland seeks to appoint a Lecturer or Senior Lecturer. Although the position is open in terms of research and teaching specialisms, we are particularly interested in applicants with expertise in advertising and consumer culture, new media and/or the political economy of media.

The successful applicant will have a PhD in a relevant area and will have a strong research profile and teaching portfolio relative to their level of professional experience. He or she will be expected to teach at undergraduate and postgraduate levels, to supervise Masters and Doctoral research students, to have a record of research achievement, to be currently pursuing an active research programme and to participate in departmental development and service.

Department and University

Consolidating its strengths after an exciting period of rapid growth, the Department of Film, Television and Media Studies is rated as the top unit in its field following the most recent national research ranking exercise. The Department's research and teaching focuses on history, theory, aesthetics, industry studies, and screen production, with beneficial interaction between the different areas. With a strong commitment to interdisciplinarity, the Department has particular strengths in new media, critical and cultural theory and national cinemas including New Zealand and Pacific media cultures.

The department's website can be viewed at **www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/ftvm.**

The University of Auckland is New Zealand's leading research university and the Faculty of Arts was recently ranked among the top 40 faculties for arts, humanities and social sciences in the world (Times Higher Education Supplement World University Rankings, October 2008). Mercer's annual Quality of Living survey ranked Auckland the world's fifth most livable city in 2008.

Enquiries of an academic nature should be directed to the Head of Department, Professor Annamarie Jagose (64 9 373 7599 ext 87332 or a.jagose@auckland.ac.nz).

Closing date

All applications for this role must be received by the close of business on March 13 2009.

How to Apply

Applications must be submitted online up to the closing date.

For further information about the on-line application process, go to **www.auckland.ac.nz/opportunities** and search for the position using "film" as a keyword.

