

### JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title:	Lecturer in Creative Electronic Engineering		
Department / Unit:	Department of Electronic Engineering (EPMS)		
Job type	Full time, Fixed Term - Lecturer (Teaching & Scholarship)		
Grade:	RHUL 8		
Accountable to:	Head of Department		
Accountable for:	n/a		

#### Purpose of the Post

To teach and supervise at undergraduate and postgraduate level, taking full responsibility for the design, management and delivery of teaching. The postholder will undertake teaching and scholarship in line with their departmental strategy, leading to a growing reputation in their fields of expertise. They will provide a link between the Department of Electronic Engineering and the StoryFutures centre. They will also be required to contribute to the academic administration of the department.

#### Key Tasks

#### 1. Education

- a) Design and deliver high quality teaching across courses/modules to all levels of undergraduate and postgraduate students through lectures, tutorials, supervisions, practical and seminars, as appropriate. This may include delivery by distance learning or travel between our two campuses.
- b) Design and deliver sound and where appropriate innovative approaches to the learning experience for students with the intention of challenging preconceptions and fostering debate. Develop the ability of students to engage in critical discourse, articulate selfexpression, and reasoned argument.
- c) Plan and deliver high quality teaching and feedback using a range of techniques to inspire and engage students.
- d) Identify learning needs of students and define appropriate learning objectives.
- e) Design and develop teaching materials, independently or in collaboration as required.
- f) Supervise the work of students, including field trips / placements where appropriate.
- g) Undertake and complete administrative duties required in the professional delivery of teaching.
- h) Set, mark, and assess work and examinations; select appropriate assessment instruments and criteria; and provide constructive and comprehensive feedback to students.
- i) Undertake Personal Advisor and Academic Tutor duties, and/or provide first-line support for sensitive issues, referring on as appropriate to services providing further assistance.
- j) Adopt an approachable and accessible attitude towards students, offering office hours, informal advice etc.

- k) Engage in teaching initiatives, whether internally or externally, and in continuous professional development within and/ or outside the College.
- Develop and engage with professional values linked to respect for diverse learners, widening access, evidence-based approaches, and acknowledgment of the broader context of higher education

# 2. Leadership, Enhancement, External Engagement, and Impact

- a) Attend and contribute to departmental, School and College meetings.
- b) Participate in undergraduate and postgraduate recruitment, where required.
- c) Take on roles related to the management of teaching in the department, and/or participate in department, School or College working groups or Committees, as required.
- d) Engage in departmental activities such as attendance at open days or departmental UCAS and Postgraduate Open Evenings.
- e) Advise and provide support to less experienced colleagues.
- f) Build internal contacts and participate in internal networks for information, research purposes and to form relationships for future collaboration.
- g) Participate in external networks, for example to contribute to student recruitment, be active in learned societies and/or professional bodies, undertake external examining, secure student placements, market the institution, facilitate outreach work, generate income, obtain consultancy projects, or build relationships for future activities.

## 3. Scholarship

- a) Develop a high level of contributions to the discipline with outputs appropriate to the subject.
- b) Maintain an active personal pedagogic research and scholarship plan consistent with the School of Engineering, Physical and Mathematical Sciences Research Strategy.
- c) Make a positive contribution to appropriate research groupings and centres.
- d) Update knowledge and understanding in area of specialism and transfer this current knowledge into programmes and courses of study.
- e) Present at conferences and/or exhibit work at other appropriate events.
- f) Supervise research students in line with disciplinary norms.
- g) Develop links with external contacts to foster collaboration and generate income.
- h) Contribute to peer assessment.

# Other Duties

The duties listed are not exhaustive and may be varied from time to time as dictated by the changing needs of the College. The post holder will be expected to undertake other duties as appropriate (consistent with the status and grading of the post) and as requested by his/her manager.

The post holder may be required to work at any of the locations at which the business of Royal Holloway is conducted.

Internal and external relationships

The following list is not exhaustive, but the post holder will be required to liaise with:

**Internal:** Colleagues in EE (the department) and StoryFutures, the School of Engineering Physical Mathematical Sciences and the College; together with members of the College research catalysts. Such colleagues could include: the Head of Department, Director of Teaching, Director of Research/Knowledge Exchange, Directors of Graduate Studies (Research and Taught), Director of

Student Experience, Senior Tutor, Exams Officer, School Manager, Executive Dean, Vice-Deans, members of the Senior Management Team and members of department and College Professional Services Teams

**External:** National and international research colleagues and networks; schools and other educational stakeholders, the media, non-HEIs in the sector, governmental organisations, and other possible outreach partners as appropriate, EE Employer Advisory Boards, Research Councils, Professional Bodies and the EE external professional and alumni networks.

### PERSON SPECIFICATION

Details on the qualifications, experience, skills, knowledge and abilities that are needed to fulfil this role are set out below.

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	Essential	Desirable	<b>Tested by</b> Application Form/Interview/Test
Knowledge, Education, Qualifications and Training			
Educated to PhD level (or equivalent), completed or near to completion, in a relevant field.	Х		Application Form
HE Academy or qualification in teaching, or other evidence of training for teaching at HE level.		х	Application Form
Knowledge of the creative industries within a technical context		Х	Application Form
Skills and Abilities			
Excellent skills in high quality teaching at undergraduate and postgraduate level in electronic engineering and creative industries.	Х		Application Form/Interview
Proven ability to manage own teaching, research and administrative duties.	Х		Interview
Ability to use a range of media including computer software such as PowerPoint, Mentimeter and Virtual Learning Environments to facilitate learning and remote teaching	х		Application Form/Interview
Experience			
Experience of teaching in a higher education context, including supervising projects at undergraduate and/or postgraduate level		х	Interview
Experience of working in industry at the interface of engineering and creative technologies (VR, media, broadcast, etc.)		х	Interview
Other requirements			
An understanding and commitment to the principles of equality, diversity and inclusion	Х		Interview
Effective teamworking skills.	Х		Interview
Strong commitment to enabling students from a diverse range of backgrounds, educational experiences, and attainment levels to flourish		х	Interview
Organisational skills to deliver management and administrative responsibilities implementing College and School strategies, support the academic mission or to develop projects.		Х	Interview