

Research Assistant I (Ref: RAI/SEC/1120a) Department of Special Education and Counselling

The appointee will be responsible for developing stimuli for studies related to the literacy development of children; participant recruitment; administering experiments and testing; collecting and analyzing behavioral and/or ERP data; participating in writing articles for publication; and mentoring student helpers or part-time research assistants. He/She will be required to liaise with schools, teachers and parents; supervise part-time helpers; and perform any other duties as assigned. The appointment will be for a period of 12 months, with the possibility of renewal subject to mutual agreement.

Applicants should have Bachelor's degree. Those with background knowledge and working experience in Developmental and Educational Psychology, especially in reading and literacy development, will be highly prioritized. Background knowledge in psychology study, developmental (correlational) design and/or experimental design, expertise in psycholinguistic study and/or ERP study is preferred; good communication and interpersonal skills with children, teachers and parents; strong command of SPSS and E-Prime, and high proficiency in both English and Chinese reading and writing; and experience in recruiting primary school children as participants in psychology studies and interest in literacy development of children are desirable.

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Initial appointment will be made on a fixed-term contract. Fringe benefits include contract-end gratuity, leave, medical and dental benefits.

Application Forms are obtainable from (a) <http://www.eduhk.hk/hro/applyfor.htm>; or (b) the Human Resources Office, 3/F, Cho Kwai Chee Foundation Building, The Education University of Hong Kong, 10 Lo Ping Road, Tai Po, New Territories, Hong Kong. The completed Application Form, together with full CV, should be sent to the Human Resources Office by email to hro1@eduhk.hk or by post to the above address. **Review of applications will start from 25 November 2020, and will continue until the post is filled.** Please quote the reference number of the position in the application and mark "Strictly Confidential – Job Application" on the envelope. Personal data provided by applicants will be used for recruitment and other employment-related purposes. For details of the Personal Information Collection Statement, please refer to <http://www.eduhk.hk/jobsopp/index.php?glang=en>.

All applications will be treated in strict confidence. Only those who are shortlisted will be contacted. The University reserves the right not to fill the position(s) advertised. Since the incumbent may engage in work relating to students in schools, prospective employee(s) may be requested to undergo Sexual Conviction Record Check operated by the Hong Kong Police Force.

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