

Research Assistant I (Ref: 2100663)
Department of Early Childhood Education

The appointee will mainly provide support to a project entitled “Developing Hong Kong in-service kindergarten teachers’ intercultural sensitivity through a reflective process”. This project aims to enhance and assess the development of Hong Kong in-service teacher’s intercultural/ multicultural sensitivities at workplace through an online reflective learning process. The project will take a reflective approach engaging the class emotionally and cognitively in constructing and reconstructing narratives to reflect on the intercultural cases the students (in-service teachers) encountered at work. The initial appointment will be for a period of 4 months.

The appointees are required in empirical research in early childhood and university settings, and will be responsible for overseeing participant recruitment, supporting data collection and data management, and other project-related work as required by the Principal Investigator. They will also liaise with teachers and parents as well as supervise part-time Research Assistants/ Student Helpers.

Applicants should have a Bachelor’s Degree, preferably in Psychology, or other related disciplines with relevant post-qualification full-time working experience or an approved qualification of equivalent standard. They should have good multi-tasking, interpersonal and communication skills. Applicants should have high proficiency in both written and spoken English and Chinese. Knowledge in computer applications (such as Excel, Access and Chinese word processing) and SPSS statistical analysis is essential. Knowledge in literacy learning and experience in dealing with diverse learners will be advantageous. Immediate availability is preferred.

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. Fringe benefits include leave and outpatient medical benefits.

The University only accepts and considers applications submitted online for this post. Applicants should complete the [online application form](http://www.eduhk.hk/jobsopp/index.php?glang=en) and upload a full CV. **Review of applications will start from 3 December 2021, and will continue until the post is filled.** Applications which are incomplete or without the required documents may not be considered. 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’s work would involve contacts with persons aged under 18 and/or mentally incapacitated persons, prospective employee(s) will be required to undergo Sexual Conviction Record Check operated by the Hong Kong Police Force.

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