

Research Assistant I/II (Ref: 2200961) Department of Early Childhood Education

Project Title: Reading and Writing Across the Lifespan

[Appointment Period: 6 months]

The appointee will mainly provide research and administrative support to projects on (1) early development and learning in infancy and toddlerhood, and (2) socio-cognitive and socio-emotional development in preschoolers. The appointee is responsible for reviewing the literature, developing research materials, recruiting and testing young children, conducting interviews with parents, data coding and analysis, and drafting reports to parents/organisations. She/he will also coordinate activities facilitating disseminating of findings and research impact beyond academia, and perform other duties as assigned. The appointment will be for a period of 6 months with a possibility of renewal subject to mutual agreement.

For the post of Research Assistant I, applicants should have a Bachelor's degree, preferably in Psychology, Early Childhood Care and Education, or other related disciplines. Applicants with post-qualification experiences working with young children will be an advantage. For the post of Research Assistant II, applicants should have at least Level 2 or equivalent or above in five subjects including Chinese Language, English Language and Mathematics in HKDSE; or Grade E (Level 2) or above in five subjects including Chinese, English (Syllabus B) and Mathematics in HKCEE or equivalent. She/he should be highly motivated, responsible, and able to work independently. She/he should also have excellent analytical, decision-making, and interpersonal communication skills, high proficiency in both written and spoken Chinese (Cantonese) and English, and strong PC skills including MS Office, Photoshop, SPSS.

For further enquiries about the post, please contact Dr Carrey Siu at ctssiu@eduhk.hk.

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 <u>online application form</u> and upload a full CV on or before **21 October 2022**. 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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