

Research Assistant II (Ref: 2600717)
Department of English Language Education

Project Title: Harnessing Artificial Intelligence to Develop Students' Global Englishes Awareness and Critical Digital Literacy

[Appointment Period: 8 months]

We are conducting research related to how Global Englishes can be incorporated through the use of AI to develop students' awareness of linguistic diversity and critical AI literacy through classroom instruction. This project will design AI-supported classroom activities that encourage students to explore different English varieties, reflect on language ideologies (e.g. native-speakerism), and make strategic use of their multilingual resources.

We are seeking a Research Assistant II to assist with a funded research project examining the implementation of Global Englishes in teaching with AI-supported activities. The appointee will support the research team in administering questionnaires, designing AI-support activities. Duties include participant recruitment, questionnaire administration, collection and organisation of digital artefacts, conducting and transcribing interviews, quantitative and qualitative data analysis, literature review, preparation of research materials, and other academic and administrative tasks assigned by the Principal Investigator. Research experience in Global Englishes, digital literacy, or mixed-methods research is highly desirable. The appointment will be for 8 months.

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. They should have knowledge of qualitative and/or quantitative research methods and experience in conducting interviews, analysing questionnaire or qualitative data, and managing research data. He/she should have high proficiency in both written and spoken English and Chinese. Preference will be given to those with research experience.

For enquiries about the post, please contact Prof. Fan Fang at fanfang@eduhk.hk.

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.

The University only accepts and considers applications submitted online for this post. Applicants should complete the [online application form](#) and upload a full CV on or before **28 August 2026**. 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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