Teaching Fellowships in School of Languages and Literature/ Humanities

Nalanda University

Position Start Date
Deadline
Date Posted
August, 2018
Open until filled
May 28, 2018
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Job Title Teaching Fellowship

Salary Commensurate with position offered

Employment Type Short Term

The School of Languages and Literature/ Humanities at Nalanda University invites applications for Teaching Fellowships in various fields listed below.

The teaching fellowships are open to fresh PhDs or those who are about to defend their thesis. The Teaching Fellowships are short term appointments for one year duration. Nalanda University is seeking to appoint Teaching Fellows who may have expertise in and ability to design courses and teach any of the areas listed below.

Description of the Positions

1: Sanskrit

The successful candidate will have:

- Masters degree in Sanskrit Studies/Sanskrit Literature
- Candidate will have a strong background in language teaching and the didactic and philological skills involved.
- Evidence of scholarly activity or strong potential for scholarly contributions
- Candidates should have working knowledge on Devavāṇīpraveśikā: An Introduction to the Sanskrit Language.
- Ph.D will be an added advantage.

2: Korean

The successful candidate will have:

- A Master's degree in Korean Studies/ Korean Literature. However, in case of a native speaker of Korean with excellent command over Korean and extensive teaching experience a candidate with a university degree may be considered.
- Candidate will have a strong background in language teaching and the didactic and philological skills involved.
- Evidence of scholarly research and strong potential for scholarly contributions.
- Ph.D will be an added advantage

3: Japanese

The successful candidate will have:

- Masters degree in Japanese Studies/ Japanese Literature
- Candidate will have a strong background in language teaching and the didactic and philological skills involved.
- Evidence of scholarly research or strong potential for scholarly contributions.
- Ph.D will be an added advantage.

Further Details for all positions

- Candidates must be highly motivated to work for the vision of the International Nalanda University.
- Candidates must demonstrate significant scholarly potential and promise of excellence, along with research based teaching at the postgraduate level.
- Candidates are expected to develop collaborations with other tertiary institutions and/or research institutions including raising funds for research projects.
- Candidates are expected to contribute toward student advising, curriculum development and other services, including but not limited to administrative tasks, in the School and University
- Candidates must have an ability to work collegially with faculty members drawn internationally and having diverse disciplinary interests.
- Successful candidates are expected to teach between 2-3 courses per semester for the Master's degree as well as support the Ph.D. degree programme at the School.
- A selected candidate is expected to provide support to other positions in the case of absences.
- Successful candidates are expected to perform a broad array of administrative services
 that are vital to supporting and sustaining the quality and effectiveness of the University
 and its programmes.

Application Procedure

The entire application process is paperless in keeping with the University's commitment to sustainability. Interested applicants must submit the following requirements via email to: recruitment@nalandauniv.edu.in.

- Cover letter (which must clearly indicate position applied for)
- Updated CV
- Statement of their teaching philosophy, along with indicative courses (1-2 page)
- Statement of research interests, along with research plan for the next three years (2 pages)
- PDF copies of 1-3 best publications related to the field
- Contact information of at least three (3) academic/ professional references

All queries regarding applications should be sent to

E-mail: <u>recruitment@nalandauniv.edu.in</u> (Please note that E-mail continues to be our preferred mode of communication).

General Instructions

- ✓ While we thank all applicants for their interest, only those under consideration will be contacted for a follow-up interview which will be conducted via Skype or in person.
- ✓ The applicants are requested to visit the University website (<u>www.nalandauniv.edu.in</u>) for any other information about the University and the School.
- ✓ The competent authority of the University reserves the right to reject any or all the applications without assigning any reason.
- Recommendations from any sources other than those required as references will not be entertained.
- ✓ The competent authority of the University also reserves the right to increase/ decrease the number of vacancies as per the requirements of the University.

✓ The University reserves the right to consider, on its own, names of suitable candidates who might have not applied. Candidates shall not claim it as a right.

All offers of appointment are contingent upon a successful background check. All candidates are responsible for the authenticity of information and materials provided in the application form. Candidates shall be liable for the legal consequences of any misrepresentation of information.

Review of applications will begin on June 11, 2018 and continue until the position is filled.