

HE Lecturer / Course Manager in Agriculture



Basics: Full time, permanent

Salary: £25,080 (L6) - £28,639 (L9) per annum

We are seeking an enthusiastic and motivated individual to join our team of teaching staff who are genuinely passionate about their subject and about supporting every student to reach their full potential. Working within the University Centre, the successful candidate would be expected to contribute to the teaching of our Agriculture degree programme and contribute to the development of our new curriculum offer.

This is an exciting time for our University Centre Reaseheath as our Higher Education programmes continue to grow and develop. We have made significant investment in our agriculture related facilities in recent years including an automated robotic milking parlour, fully automated, hydroponic LED commercial glasshouse and a 200sq.m vertical farming facility. The College Farm extends to 252 hectares of arable production along with 212 diary cows and 400 breeding ewes. We are committed to the development of undergraduates who can lead the future of farming through an understanding of sustainable practices and technological advances to support commercially viable precision agriculture and we are particularly seeking individuals who have specialist knowledge and interest in these areas.

Whilst some teaching and commercial experience is desirable, we will consider applicants who can demonstrate passion for their subject and an ability to communicate this passion to students, along with a drive to contribute to the successful future of higher level agriculture programme delivery at University Centre Reaseheath.

We can offer you:

- A developmental support package for new lecturers
- The chance to shape our curriculum
- Administrative support
- A competitive benefits package

The successful candidate will hold a degree and ideally a postgraduate qualification (minimum of MSc) in an agriculture related discipline. You will need to be confident speaking to groups in a way which is engaging and informative, be able to create high quality teaching and assessment materials and willing act in a pastoral capacity as a personal academic tutor to a group of undergraduates. Good team working and communication skills are essential.

Please note this role constitutes 'regulated activity' as defined by the Protection of Freedom Act 2012. The successful candidate will therefore be required to undertake an enhanced DBS check with barred list information prior to starting employment. You must have the right to work in the UK and will be required to provide evidence to support this

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Closing Date: Midnight 26th April 2021

Assessment Centre Date: TBC