

# **Job Description**

<b>Post title:</b> Professor of Accounting & Finance	Post No: B1780
Organisation Unit: Nottingham Business School	Date compiled: September 2016
Grade: Professorial	Hours per week: 37
	Weeks per year: 52

## If fixed term, state duration:

Immediate line manager: Head of Department

## Designation and grade of any staff supervised by the postholder:

## Job purpose:

To develop, lead and inspire relevant academic activities within the discipline, enhancing the profile and standing of the University and School by way of their research, and contribution to the Academic Team and School's activities.

## Principal duties and responsibilities:

### **Research:**

- Undertake sustained high quality research activity, consistent with the research priorities of the School, which creates demonstrable impact upon the university, the external academic and/or professional communities and/or wider society;
- Actively lead the development of quality research within a discipline field, including (where relevant to discipline) the development of a research group/centre/institute\*. This may also involve the active leadership, management and mentoring of research students and staff and early career researchers;
- Maintain an international reputation for excellence within the discipline;
- Maintain a sustained level of high quality research outputs in prominent peer-reviewed academic journals, books or other relevant fora;
- Disseminate the results of research and scholarly activity in academic and professional conferences, and contribute to the visibility of the University and School;
- Establish and maintain effective relationships with other academic institutions, relevant professional bodies, or commercial/industrial organisations to facilitate the development of research within the discipline;
- Active membership of significant organisations, expert committees, boards and other bodies related to the discipline;
- Provide expert opinion to external organisations and audiences;
- As PI or Co-PI successfully apply for, negotiate, and manage, high quality bids to secure research income at a level commensurate with the discipline and our Band level of Professor;

- Initiate, lead and collaborate in research activities with other Universities and relevant nonacademic partners;
- Successfully supervise and manage research projects within the School;
- Contribute significantly to the development and implementation of research strategy within the School, which results in demonstrable, measureable enhancements in research capability, capacity and quality;
- Attract, recruit and supervise postgraduate and postdoctoral researchers.

## Teaching, Learning and Assessment:

- Make a significant, sustained, contribution to the University as a teacher, tutor and facilitator of student learning;
- Develop and deliver inspirational, research-led teaching that creates a stimulating environment for student learning;
- Achieve consistently high student satisfaction, and a consistent number of successful research completions and Masters student dissertations/research projects;
- Achieve HEA, or equivalent, accreditation.

### **Additional Responsibilities**

• Undertake relevant academic management duties and associated activities as are expected of the role;

\*In line with Nottingham Trent University Policy on the establishment of Research Centres and Institutes.

## Special requirements:

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All staff are expected to comply with the University's Health and Safety and Equal Opportunities policies in the performance of their duties.

**N.B.** The postholder may be required to undertake any other duties which may reasonably be required as within the nature of the duties and responsibilities of the post as defined, subject to the proviso that normally any changes of a permanent nature shall be incorporated into the Job Description in specific terms.

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