



# UNIVERSITY OF MAURITIUS

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## VACANCIES

### VISITING INTERNATIONAL FACULTY

The University of Mauritius (UoM), founded in 1965, is a rapidly expanding institution with five (5) Faculties, namely Agriculture, Engineering, Law and Management, Science, and Social Studies & Humanities, and a few Centres, as detailed on the UoM website. The University has a current staff of more than 1,000 and a student population of around 13,000.

The University of Mauritius as an equal opportunity employer is inviting applications from suitably qualified **overseas** candidates for academic posts as **Visiting Professor, Visiting Associate Professor, or equivalent** on full-time contract basis for a period not exceeding one (1) year, in the following thematic areas:

- **Public Policy and Leadership**
- **Medicine (Anatomy)**
- **Ocean Sciences**
- **Law**
- **Renewable Energy Engineering**

#### **A. VISITING PROFESSOR**

**MONTHLY SALARY: MUR 93,000**

(Note: (i) *Income Tax is payable as per prevailing legislation in Mauritius*  
(ii) *USD 1 = approx. MUR30.508 @ 05 May 2014*)

#### **QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

Candidates should be full-fledged Professors with PhD qualifications in the relevant field and should:

- Have at least ten (10) years quality experience at university level, teaching and/or research at university/national level institutions;
- Be able to demonstrate that exceptional distinction has been achieved and maintained in research and professional practice, where applicable;
- Have made significant intellectual contribution in the area of his/her specialisation;
- Have recent publications in refereed journals and have supervised PhD students;
- Have demonstrated academic leadership; and
- Have excellent interpersonal and communication skills.

## **RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Promote knowledge creation and dissemination through research and capacity building;
- Foster linkages and networking across international research institutions;
- Promote research work and consolidate knowledge in relevant thematic areas; and
- Prepare a report detailing the result achieved at the end of the tenure period.

## **B. VISITING ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**

### **MONTHLY SALARY: MUR 60,280**

(Note: (i) *Income Tax is payable as per prevailing legislation in Mauritius*  
(ii) *USD 1 = approx. MUR30.508 @ 05 May 2014*)

### **QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

Candidates should be full-fledged Associate Professors with PhD qualifications in the relevant field with at least five (5) years university level, teaching and/or research at university/national level institutions.

### **Candidates should also**

- Have made significant intellectual contribution in the area of his/her specialisation;
- Have recent publications in refereed journals and have supervised PhD students;
- Have demonstrated academic leadership; and
- Have excellent interpersonal and communication skills.

## **RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Promote knowledge creation and dissemination;
- Capacity building in areas of research and teaching;
- Contribute to Academic Staff Development;
- Mentoring of Academic Staff; and
- Prepare a report detailing the result achieved at the end of the tenure period.

***Retired University Professors and Associate Professors having the required qualifications are encouraged to apply.***

## **REPORTING LINE**

The Visiting Academics will be responsible to the Vice-Chancellor through the relevant Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Academia).

## TENURE

The appointment will be on full-time contractual basis for a period not exceeding one (1) year.

## OTHER BENEFITS

In addition to the monthly remuneration, the following benefits **may** be applicable, in line with the prevailing regulations:

- Gratuity
- Air Tickets to and from country of origin
- Housing Allowance
- Office accommodation and logistical support

## MODE OF APPLICATION

Interested candidates are invited to submit, together with their application letter, the following:

1. Detailed and updated Curriculum Vitae, signed and dated by the applicant;
2. Name and Address of **two (2)** Referees. The Referees should be requested by the applicant to forward their Referee's Reports directly to the **Vice-Chancellor** of the University of Mauritius at **visitingprof@uom.ac.mu** under confidential cover **by the closing date of applications, i.e. by Friday 30 May 2014;**
3. Copies of their Birth, Educational and Academic Certificates;
4. Copy of the first and second pages of their Passport.

## CLOSING DATE

The application letter and all supporting documents, **duly signed and scanned through**, should be sent to the following email address: **visitingprof@uom.ac.mu** to reach the **VICE-CHANCELLOR**, University of Mauritius, Réduit, Mauritius, not later than **Friday 30 May 2014**.

## INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS AND APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

General information on the University is available on the UoM website **[www.uom.ac.mu](http://www.uom.ac.mu)**. The University of Mauritius Act and Statutes is accessible at the following link: [http://www.uom.ac.mu/AboutUs/governance/act\\_and\\_statutes.htm](http://www.uom.ac.mu/AboutUs/governance/act_and_statutes.htm)

The University reserves the right to call only the best qualified and most appropriately qualified applicants for interview and not to proceed with any appointment as a result of this advertisement.

**PROFESSOR (MRS) R MOHEE, CSK**  
**VICE-CHANCELLOR**  
**Réduit**  
**05 May 2014**