



**LECTURER: HEALTH ECONOMICS  
(4.5 YEAR CONTRACT)**  
**Health Economics Division**  
**Department of Public Health**  
**Faculty of Health Sciences**

The Health Economics Division of the School of Public Health at UCT works to improve the performance of health systems in sub-Saharan Africa through policy relevant teaching and research in health economics and health systems. The Division is looking for a Lecturer who will teach on the Postgraduate Diploma in Health Economics and the Masters in Public Health (Health Economics) programmes, supervise Masters students and actively participate in research activities with minimal supervision.

**Requirements:**

- Masters degree with a strong focus on Health Economics or a Masters degree as well as a Postgraduate Diploma in Health Economics
- Commitment to building an academic career (e.g. a current PhD student/willingness to initiate a PhD)
- At least 2 years of teaching experience in health economics or related field within an academic environment
- At least 2 years of research experience with evidence of research outputs
- Experience working with a team of researchers
- Teaching and /or research experience in low-and/or middle-income countries, preferably in South Africa
- Good writing, presentation and conceptual skills
- Strong interpersonal skills

**Responsibilities:**

- Participation in the teaching of various Postgraduate Diploma and Masters modules – teaching certain sessions; compilation of relevant reading materials; development of case study materials where appropriate; setting and marking certain assignments; and setting, preparing model answers and marking certain examination questions; managing online teaching platforms as required
- Coordination of modules within the Postgraduate Diploma and/or Masters
- Supervision of Masters students
- Active participation in one major research project where they will bear the primary responsibility for the literature review, detailed methodological development, data collection and analysis activities

Enquiries about this post should be directed to Professor Edina Sinanovic, Health Economics Division, Department of Public Health at [edina.sinanovic@uct.ac.za](mailto:edina.sinanovic@uct.ac.za)

The annual remuneration package, including benefits, is between R 638 044 and R853 709.

**To apply**, please e-mail the below documents in a **single pdf file** to Ms Tracy Moore at [recruitment05@uct.ac.za](mailto:recruitment05@uct.ac.za)

- UCT Application Form (download at <http://forms.uct.ac.za/hr201.doc>)
- Motivation letter that speaks to the specific requirements of the position
- Evidence of academic writing (e.g. Masters thesis, a peer reviewed paper)
- Curriculum Vitae (CV)

Please ensure the title and reference number are indicated in the subject line.

An application which does not comply with the above requirements will be regarded as incomplete.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted and may be required to undergo an assessment.

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**Reference number:** E230354

**Closing date:** 05 November 2023

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