



# SENIOR LECTURER

(T1, 12 months full time)

## KIDS Paediatric training hub

### Department of Paediatrics and Child Health

### Faculty of Health Sciences

#### Introductory paragraph

The department of paediatrics and child health has established the UCT KIDS (Knowledge and Instructional development services) Training Hub within the department of paediatrics in order to facilitate and co-ordinate the production of online modules and contact sessions in order to improve professional development and clinical skills for people working in paediatrics and maternal and child health.

We seek a senior lecturer (academic clinical post and medical specialist grade 1 full time, no overtime) to work as training hub manager to

- Develop, organise and maintain content, online training materials and packages, and face to face training materials and packages for common acute and long-term paediatric conditions and aspects of maternal and child public health.
- Facilitate skills transfer in paediatric conditions and child public health in South Africa within the Cape Town metro district and further afield within the Western Cape Province through education and training in key knowledge and skills for medical officers and IMCI nurses in community clinics, ward-based doctors and nurses, family physicians, facility and district managers.
- Manage a paediatric training hub within the DPCH based at Red Cross War Memorial Children's Hospital (RCWMCH).
- Perform operational research
- Provide clinical services and teach students

#### Requirements:

- MBChB and FCPaed
- Registered (or registerable) with HPCSA as specialist paediatrician
- Paediatric practice and training >1 year

#### The following will be advantageous:

- Skills and experience in effective adult education
- Project management and record keeping skills
- Financial administration skills and proven ability to handle cash or finances
- Willingness to travel and teach broadly within the Western Cape
- IT skills: Microsoft 365 programs, video editing software
- Experience in primary or secondary level care in the public health service, particularly in the Western Cape

#### Responsibilities:

- Curriculum development and production. Devise pre- and post- assessments as required.
- Organisation and performance of webinar and face-to-face content delivery. Student lecturing, tutorials and assessments.
- Project management.
- Financial oversight and administration.
- Evaluation of training and self- assessment.
- Metro-wide PGWC and clinic visits to support primary care paediatric training
- Consultant cover in general paediatrics

The annual cost of employment, including benefits (*where applicable*), is R1 214 805 – R1 288 095. No overtime is included. The job will require travel and performing training across the Western Cape.

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

- UCT Application Form (download at <http://forms.uct.ac.za/hr201.doc>)
- Cover letter, and
- 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 competency and pre-placement-medical assessments.

**Telephone:** 021 650 5305  
**Reference number:** E241217

**Website:** [www.hr.uct.ac.za](http://www.hr.uct.ac.za)  
**Closing date:** 13 January 2025

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