

Founded in 1994 and awarded the University title in 2016, The Education University of Hong Kong (EdUHK) is a publicly funded university, dedicated to the advancement of teacher education and related disciplines through a diverse offering of academic, professional and research programmes. The University aspires to become a leading university in the Asia Pacific region and beyond, with a focus on educational and multidisciplinary research, development and innovation. We are committed to nurturing outstanding and caring educators and professionals as well as enhancing the impact of scholarship.

The University has an academic/teaching staff strength of about 450 and total student headcount of about 11,000. It has a Graduate School and three Faculties, namely, Faculty of Education and Human Development, Faculty of Humanities, and Faculty of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, comprising 15 academic departments, as well as two Academies, Academy for Educational Development and Innovation and Academy for Applied Policy Studies and Education Futures, a number of University-level research centres and Faculty-level research and professional development centres. For more information about the University, please visit <http://www.eduhk.hk>.

To continue pursuing excellence in the advancement of knowledge, scholarship and innovation through high quality research, we are seeking enthusiastic and highly dedicated academics to join the University in support of its strategic development in diverse areas.

Associate Professor / Assistant Professor (Ref: 2500901)
Department of Health and Physical Education
Faculty of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

The Department of Health and Physical Education at The Education University of Hong Kong seeks to appoint colleagues at either the Assistant Professor or Associate Professor level, according to experience and profile.

As articulated in our Vision, Mission and Values <https://www.eduhk.hk/hpe/en/About-Us/Vision-And-Mission.html>, we are committed to advancing knowledge and practice in physical education, sport science, and health through research-informed teaching, international collaboration, and community engagement. We aspire to be a recognised centre of excellence with a growing regional and international presence, contributing to both scholarly advancement and societal wellbeing.

The Department offers a vibrant and collegial academic environment, with expertise spanning physical literacy, sport pedagogy, high-performance physiology, digital physical education, sports nutrition, and preventative health. We are now seeking colleagues who can complement and extend these strengths across research, teaching, and service. While we particularly welcome applicants with expertise in sports and exercise psychology, we also encourage candidates with experience in STEAM-infused physical education and physical activity, and statistics and measurement in health and physical education, who are developing strong research profiles that can contribute meaningfully to the Department's strategic priorities.

The appointees will undertake teaching at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels, supervise students on teaching practice and research projects, and contribute to programme development. They will engage actively in research leading to competitive grant funding and publications in leading international journals, and participate in knowledge transfer, professional service, and community engagement. The successful candidates will also share our commitment to internationalisation, with a willingness to take a substantive role in promoting the Department and the University globally, including potential leadership in organising an international academic conference. The appointee may need to travel outside Hong Kong on a need basis.

Applicants should have:

- A doctoral degree in a relevant discipline.
- An emerging or established record of research and publication in internationally recognised journals, with clear potential for securing external research funding.
- Demonstrated excellence in teaching and student engagement in the tertiary sector, with the ability to teach across a range of subject areas relevant to the Department.
- A collegial approach to academic citizenship and the ability to contribute to departmental, faculty, and university service.
- Competence in English is essential, and ability in Chinese will be an advantage.

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Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Initial appointment will be made on a fixed-term contract. Fringe benefits include the University's Voluntary Contributions to MPF Scheme or a contract-end lump sum payment (totaling up to 15% of the basic salary), leave, medical and dental benefits, and, where applicable, housing benefits.

The University only accepts and considers applications submitted online for this post. Applicants should complete the online application form and upload a full CV **on or before 1 September 2025**. Applications which are incomplete or without the required documents may not be considered. Personal data provided by applicants will be used for recruitment and other employment-related purposes. For details of the Personal Information Collection Statement, please refer to <http://www.eduhk.hk/jobsopp/index.php?glang=en>.

All applications will be treated in strict confidence. Only those who are shortlisted will be contacted. The University reserves the right not to fill the position(s) advertised. Since the incumbent's work would involve contacts with persons aged under 18 and/or mentally incapacitated persons, prospective employee(s) will be required to undergo Sexual Conviction Record Check operated by the Hong Kong Police Force.

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