

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 460 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 14 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.

### Assistant Professor (Ref: 2600085)

#### Department of English Language Education

#### Faculty of Humanities

Two Assistant Professor posts are vacant in the Department of English Language Education at the Education University of Hong Kong. The Department has around 20 academic and teaching staff who provide teaching and supervision to the undergraduate and postgraduate degree programmes in the Faculty of Humanities and the University. The successful candidates will participate in research, teaching, knowledge transfer, and community service. They are expected to do research that leads to successful grant proposals and publications in recognized refereed journals. They will also develop, evaluate and teach in programmes at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels, provide guidance to students as academic advisers, supervise students on teaching practice, and contribute to other activities as assigned by the Head of Department.

Applicants should have a doctoral degree in English language teaching and learning, applied linguistics, sociolinguistics (with a focus on education), or a related field. Priority will be given to candidates who can demonstrate research expertise, and/or practical experience, in one of more of the following areas: technology (including AI) and teaching and learning methodologies at primary and/or secondary level, curriculum development, task-based language learning, grammar and/or phonology in language teaching and learning, and in-service teachers' professional development.

Applicants should submit evidence of research publications in the relevant field(s), evidence of high-quality teaching, plans for future development, and demonstrate commitment to work with schools and education professionals. Qualified teacher status (QTS) is not required but will be considered favourably.

For information on the Department, please visit: <http://www.eduhk.hk/ele/>

For further enquiries about the posts, please contact Head of Department, Prof Hans J. Ladegaard, at [hjladegaard@eduhk.hk](mailto:hjladegaard@eduhk.hk)

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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 **5 March 2026**. 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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