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Closing date:
21 October 2018

First stage interview date:
8 November 2018

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Dean of the Faculty of Health and Medicine

Drive new innovations in health and closely related areas of education and research through your outstanding academic and strategic leadership.

In this high-profile executive level role, you will ensure Lancaster University continues to build its reputation as a major international presence in health, medicine and life sciences. Our Division of Health and Medicine brings together a unique blend of biomedical, medical, and social science researchers to pursue global challenges and offer outstanding education opportunities.

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An outstanding leader, you will combine a record of academic achievement in life sciences, health or medicine, with the ability to develop and implement successful academic and leadership strategies. Experience of large-scale resource management and financial control is, essential. At the same time, you will have the interpersonal skills to inspire and motivate others, and foster a supportive environment for intra-faculty and inter-disciplinary work.

In return, we offer a highly competitive salary and a comprehensive set of benefits including a choice of either NHS or USS pension scheme, work-life balance, development opportunities and staff recognition schemes. The initial term for the role will be 5 years, but there is the possibility of renewable for a further term. However, an underlying indefinite professorial/academic contract will also be made available.

Lancaster University provides an environment that strongly supports the individual needs of each employee, promoting a healthy work-life balance. We are committed to family-friendly and flexible working policies on an individual basis. The University is a member of the Athena SWAN Charter which recognises and celebrates good employment practice undertaken to address gender equality in higher education and research.

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Lecturer/Senior Lecturer in Ship Design
Lecturer in Communications and Signal Processing
Lecturer in Geomatic Engineering
Lecturer in Geotechnical Engineering
Lecturer in Hydrology



*QS World University Rankings 2018

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We inspire all people to come together, to work in our laboratories and test-beds, to learn, explore and solve the most pressing issues facing our region and the world.

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Our vibrant, welcoming and collaborative atmosphere is underpinned by our ambitious, innovative, and diverse staff and student body. Our 'living laboratory', test-bed approach to investigation will support you in thinking differently, experimenting, and challenging the norms to create long-lasting innovation.

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- Top 10 in Europe Teaching Rankings*
- TEF Gold

*Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2018

As one of Europe's leading research universities, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität (LMU) in Munich is committed to the highest international standards of excellence in research and teaching. Building on its more than 500-year-long tradition, it offers a broad spectrum that covers all areas of knowledge within its 18 Faculties, ranging from the humanities, law, economics and social sciences, to medicine and the natural sciences.

The **Faculty of Languages and Literatures** invites applications for a

Professorship (W2) (6 years/tenure track) of Comparative Literature and Literary Theory

commencing as soon as possible.

The applicant's work in the field of Comparative Literature must be indicative of philological expertise in at least two different languages and of an interest in Literary Theory.

International research, respectively teaching experience is desirable. A special interest in an East European or Non-European Literature would be welcome. In addition, we would welcome a methodological interest in Gender Studies.

LMU Munich seeks to appoint a highly qualified junior academic to this professorship and, therefore, especially encourages early-career scholars to apply. Prerequisites for this position are a university degree and a doctoral degree or a comparable specific qualification in one of the relevant philological areas. With an excellent record in research and teaching to date, prospective candidates will have demonstrated the potential for an outstanding academic career.

The initial appointment will be for six years. After a minimum of three years, it can be converted into a permanent position pending a positive evaluation of the candidate's performance in research and teaching as well as his or her personal aptitude, and if all legal conditions are met.

Under the terms of the „LMU Academic Career Program“, in exceptional cases and subject to outstanding performance in research and teaching, the position may be converted from a W2 into a W3 Full Professorship at a later date.

LMU Munich makes a point of providing newly appointed professors with various types of support, such as welcoming services and assistance for dual career couples.

LMU Munich is an equal opportunity employer. The University continues to be very successful in increasing the number of female faculty members and strongly encourages applications from female candidates. LMU Munich intends to enhance the diversity of its faculty members. Furthermore, disabled candidates with essentially equal qualifications will be given preference.

Please submit your application comprising a curriculum vitae, documentation of academic degrees and certificates as well as a list of publications to the **Dean of the Faculty of Languages and Literatures, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Geschwister-Scholl-Platz 1, 80539 Munich, Germany**, no later than **27 October 2018**.

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The Leverhulme Trust is currently accepting applications for the following awards

Research Fellowships enable experienced researchers to undertake a programme of research on a topic of their choice. Up to £55,000 is available for research costs, replacement teaching costs, or loss of earnings. Fellowships are offered for periods of 3 to 24 months. Approximately 100 fellowships are available.

Closing date: 8 November 2018

International Academic Fellowships provide established UK researchers with an opportunity to spend time in one or more research centres outside the UK, to develop new knowledge and skills, for example by learning new techniques, collaborating with colleagues overseas, or developing innovations in teaching. Up to £45,000 is available to provide replacement teaching costs, research and travel costs. Fellowships are offered for periods of 3 to 12 months. Approximately 15 fellowships are available.

Closing date: 8 November 2018

Emeritus Fellowships enable retired academics from UK institutions to complete a body of research for publication. Up to £22,000 is available for research costs. Fellowships are offered for periods of 3 to 24 months. Approximately 35 fellowships are available.

Closing date: 31 January 2019

Study Abroad Studentships support a period of advanced study or research anywhere in the world, except for the UK and USA. £21,000 a year is available for maintenance and travel; additional help with fees, research costs, and maintenance for dependents may also be provided. Studentships are offered for periods of 12 to 24 months. Approximately 20 studentships are available.

Closing date: 7 January 2019

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