

Position Description

Associate Professor, Psychology

At ACAP we are a student focused institution that is committed to changing the lives of our learners. We are dedicated to equipping our students with an understanding of human behaviour and the skills to make a positive difference and the resilience to enjoy long, healthy careers.

As Director of Postgraduate Professional Programs Psychology in the Discipline of Psychological Science, you will make a significant contribution to the delivery of our professional psychology programmes and equip the next generation of psychologists with expert knowledge and real-life experience.

Role Overview

The successful candidate will lead and oversee the delivery and administration of our suite of professional psychology programmes. ACAP have a committed and diligent post graduate team of academics and you will provide support and leadership to enhance this high performing team culture. This is an ongoing full-time role.

This is an opportunity to work with others committed to transforming lives through education in a purpose driven, engaging and supportive team environment. If working in a vibrant, student focused environment with a growing team that is committed to innovative teaching and providing the highest standards of student experience and outcomes appeals to you, you will flourish here.

Responsibilities

- Provide a leadership role in developing, delivering, and managing a suite of postgraduate professional training courses in psychology.
- To build staff capacity for the postgraduate professional psychology courses at ACAP, which will involve staff recruitment, management, and mentoring.
- Participate as part of the executive team in the Discipline of Psychology.
- Teach into the professional psychology programs both online and on campus.
- Assist staff with the development and review of teaching materials for the professional psychology programmes.
- Assist staff with placement coordination and supervision as required.
- Supervise honours and/or postgraduate research projects.
- Conduct scholarly research.

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For this role you will have the following qualifications and experience

- A PhD or professional doctorate in psychology or a cognate discipline.
- Registered with AHPRA as a psychologist and are an AHPRA-board approved clinical supervisor.
- Have clinical psychology and/or clinical neuropsychology as your area of practice endorsement.
- Have experience teaching in higher education or equivalent, in an area relevant to clinical psychology. Ideally you will have experience with mixed modes of program delivery including online education.
- You have experience with a range of psychological tests appropriate to your specialisation.
- You have conducted research leading to publications in peer reviewed journals.

Skills

- You have excellent interpersonal skills, with the ability to work and build relationships with all levels of staff at the campus.
- You have a student-focussed approach and the ability to engage students in the learning process.
- You have excellent oral and written communication skills.
- You are committed to continuous improvement of your teaching practice.

Why you should apply for the role

- Opportunities for growth and development
- Enjoy a positive and supportive culture
- Be part of making a difference to the lives of others
- Be part of a great team and lead their development and direction.

There are also some nice perks at ACAP:

- Annual Professional Membership Fees reimbursed
- Flexible employment options (full time, job-share, part-time, WFH flexibility)
- Health & Wellbeing packages including free counselling for employees and family, discounted gym membership, movie tickets, travel, hotels and insurance
- Salary packaging and novated leasing
- Up to 75% off study scholarships on all our courses
- 2 paid volunteer days per year for your passionate causes

About the Australian College of Applied Professions (ACAP)

Formerly named the Australian College of Applied Psychology, The Australian College of Applied Professions (ACAP) is Australia's leading independent provider of tertiary education, delivering accredited courses in psychology, counselling, coaching, criminology, social work and business management and leadership (MBA) with legal practice soon to be offered

ACAP offers personalised and specialised education experiences, with intimate classes and tailored programs specifically designed to support genuine development and transformation through individualised teaching and learning. Uniquely human-centred in approach, our courses provide students with deep and real-world insights into why humans think and act the way we do, understanding the connection between an individual, society, culture, and industry.

Founded in 1983 and forming part of global education provider Navitas, ACAP has grown to become one of the largest providers of human services programs in Australia and now operates campuses in Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth and Byron Bay as well as the largest campus Online.

Attracting diverse cohorts seeking new careers or opportunities, ACAP outperforms the sector in providing access to education for students who identify as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, mature age, first-in-family to attend university or having a disability.

Diversity and Inclusion

ACAP promotes and embraces an inclusive and diversified workforce. We believe equality, flexibility and diversity in the workplace will deliver a rich and collaborative environment for our employees, students and clients. We encourage applications from candidates with disabilities, of all ages and genders, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders and diverse community groups.

If this looks like your perfect next role, do not delay in applying

Australian College of Applied Professions (ACAP) is partnering with UniRecruit to undertake a national search for high caliber candidates for this position.

Confidential enquiries should be made to: Graham MacAulay on 0419 704 686, or graham.macaulay@uni-recruit.com.au

Applications

Your application should include a covering letter in which you address the Qualifications, Experience and Skills for this role.

In addition, your application should contain your full curriculum vitae including the following:

- Full name, address, mobile and telephone number(s) and email address
- Names, telephone numbers and email contact of at least three referees including current/most recent supervisor (no contact will be made without your permission)
- Employment history, including present position and notice required, and an indication of the earliest date on which you would be able to commence
- Details of qualifications and professional memberships
- Teaching experience including range of units taught
- Academic leadership experience including course co-ordination
- Details of relevant professional, consulting or industry experience
- Confirmation of the right to work in Australia.

All applications should be emailed to Graham MacAulay at: graham.macaulay@uni-recruit.com.au

Applications close on 12 May 2022

