

Position Description

Position Title:	Lecturer
Position Classification:	Level B
Faculty/Office:	Health & Medical Sciences
School/Division:	Population & Global Health
Centre/Section:	Biostatistics
Supervisor Title:	Head of School

Your work area

The School of Population & Global Health (SPGH) in the Faculty of Health & Medical Sciences at The University of Western Australia is a research-intensive academic organisation giving material expression of the belief that excellence in research underpins excellence in education and community partnerships. The School has a reputation for an evidence based approach to research and education that influences policy and practice development. SPGH aspires to be a school in which staff and students feel valued and supported in their individual and collective efforts to improve community health and wellbeing.

Your role

The Lecturer will be responsible to the Head of School of Population & Global Health to provide unit co-ordination, academic teaching, tutoring, administration, research student supervision and undertake research. The applicant must be motivated to teach, contribute to the academic environment of the School of Population & Global Health generally and develop a research portfolio.

Key responsibilities

The individual appointed to this position will be expected to:

Participate in unit co-ordination and innovative face-to-face and online teaching in undergraduate and postgraduate biostatistics and related courses, both at the introductory and advanced levels

Contribute to supervision of undergraduate and/or postgraduate dissertation and research thesis students including PhD students.

Conduct research and publication, independently and/or in collaboration with others, both within and external to School and University

Actively seek and attract, independently and/or in collaboration with others, research funding from external sources.

Undertake administrative duties and service roles as required by the Head of School

Participate in the School, Faculty and University meetings and committees as required by the Head of School.

Work collaboratively within undergraduate and postgraduate teaching teams and support the University's commitment to equity and diversity principles.

Undertake other duties as required.

Your specific work capabilities (selection criteria)

PhD in biostatistics or related discipline or having substantial progress towards one with intended completion within 12 - 18 months

Demonstrated willingness, expertise and/or experience in teaching biostatistics at the undergraduate, postgraduate and/or professional levels

Demonstrated experience and expertise in biostatistical analyses of health and medical research data.

Demonstrated ability to be an effective biostatistician collaborator in public health and medical research

Demonstrated ability to publish high quality scholarly research papers involving substantial biostatistical content

Demonstrated willingness to seek funding for research projects.

Ability to supervise research students and/or staff

Familiarity with flexible and innovative teaching methods

Demonstrated ability to relate well to staff and students at all levels and from diverse disciplines and evidence of a commitment to equity and diversity principles

Evidence of high level interpersonal skills and verbal and written communication

Evidence of administrative involvement and service contribution within an institution and/or the wider public health or biostatistics community