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Position Description

College/Division:	ANU College of Asia and the Pacific (CAP)
Faculty/School/Centre:	Coral Bell School of Asia-Pacific Affairs
Department/Unit:	Strategic and Defence Studies Centre (SDSC)
Position Title:	Lecturer
Classification:	Level B
Position No:	
Responsible to:	Department Head, SDSC
Number of positions that report to this role:	Nil
Delegation(s) Assigned:	Nil

PURPOSE STATEMENT:

The ANU College of Asia and the Pacific leads intellectual engagement with the Asia-Pacific region through research, teaching and contributions to public debate, and seeks to set the international standard for scholarship concerning the region.

The Coral Bell School of Asia Pacific Affairs forms part of the ANU College of Asia and the Pacific and is dedicated to advancing analysis and understanding of the international, political, societal, and strategic affairs of Asia and the Pacific. The School is constituted by five academic operational areas: Asia-Pacific College of Diplomacy; International Relations; Political and Social Change; State, Society and Governance in Melanesia; and Strategic and Defence Studies Centre.

The Strategic and Defence Studies Centre (SDSC) is the leading Australian university research centre on strategic studies. This Lecturer position will play a key role in supporting the strategic goals of the SDSC in providing world-class research, education, and engagement in public and policy debates.

KEY ACCOUNTABILITY AREAS:

The Lecturer position works with SDSC, School, College and University colleagues to deliver key strategic outcomes in education, research and outreach, as well as providing an active contribution to the University's intellectual and administrative communities. Demonstrated excellence in published research and teaching is expected in this role. The Lecturer is responsible to the Head of SDSC.

Position Dimension & Relationships:

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Role Statement:

The key duties of the Associate Lecturer/ Lecturer may include:

- Develop and teach undergraduate courses and/or graduate courses and contribute to the development of SDSC's education programs.
- Undertake and publish research in Strategic and Defence Studies.
- Contribute to public and/or policy debates on strategic and defence policy issues.
- Supervise Honours and Masters sub-theses and PhD candidates.
- Contribute to the management of SDSC and the organisation of its activities.

- Secure external funding to support research and other activities.
- Develop SDSC's relations with external stakeholders.
- Conduct other duties as consistent with the classification of the position.
- Comply with all ANU policies and procedures, and in particular those relating to work health and safety and equal opportunity.

Skill base:

A Level B academic will undertake independent teaching and research in his or her discipline or related area. In research and/or scholarship and/or teaching a Level B academic will make an independent contribution through professional practice and expertise and coordinate and/or lead the activities of other staff, as appropriate to the discipline.

A Level B academic will normally contribute to teaching at undergraduate, honours and postgraduate level, engage in independent scholarship and/or research and/or professional activities appropriate to his or her profession or discipline. He or she will normally undertake administration primarily relating to his or her activities at the institution and may be required to perform the full academic responsibilities of and related administration for the coordination of an award program of the institution.

SELECTION CRITERIA:

LEVEL B: Lecturer

1. PhD in Strategic Studies or related field.
2. Record of published research in a relevant field.
3. The potential to attract external funding for research projects and develop and engage in collaborative research projects.
4. Clear capacity to teach and lead the management of high-quality graduate and undergraduate courses in relevant fields.
5. Clear capacity to engage effectively in public and policy debates in relevant areas of expertise and to establish and maintain effective relations with colleagues and staff within the University.
6. Capacity and willingness to undertake administrative duties appropriate to the level of appointment.
7. A demonstrated understanding of equal opportunity principles and policies and a commitment to their application in a university context.

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Supervisor/Delegate Signature:

Date:

Printed Name:

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References:

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