

Position Description

Teaching and Research - Lecturer

Position No:	50142593
Department:	Law
School:	La Trobe Law School
Campus/Location:	Melbourne (Bundoora)
Classification:	LEVEL B - Lecturer
Employment Type:	Continuing, Full Time
Position Supervisor:	Professor
Number:	50121001
Other Benefits:	http://www.latrobe.edu.au/jobs/working/benefits

Further information about:

La Trobe University - <http://www.latrobe.edu.au/about>

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Level B – Lecturer

A Level B teaching and research academic is expected to develop curriculum, teach and undertake research or other scholarly work relevant to the development of their discipline or professional field. They will have an active research agenda reflected in contemporary activity and a track record of productivity consistent with experience. They will have emerging national standing as a legal scholar, reflected in the production of high quality scholarly work. They will demonstrate a willingness to engage in effective teaching across a range of subjects and in a range of delivery modes, including online. They will have excellent interpersonal skills and a collegiate approach to Law School life, and a willingness to co-ordinate and implement service projects within the Law School.

Position Context

The Criminology Program at La Trobe University is coordinated by the Law School and jointly taught by the Law School and the School of Humanities and Social Sciences. The successful candidate will teach into the Criminology Program but may need to teach into the Law Program from time to time. The successful candidate will teach into core subjects, and electives subject to need.

The position is a Teaching and Research Position.

Duties at this level may include:

- Develop, coordinate and teach a high quality learning experience that engages students through the conduct of tutorials, practical classes, demonstrations, workshops, student field excursions and clinical sessions.
- Demonstrate a scholarly approach to learning and teaching and contribute to disciplinary teaching pedagogy and research.
- Keep abreast of innovations in teaching and learning in areas such as, but not restricted to, online and blended delivery and incorporate where appropriate.
- Participate in innovative course level curriculum design, development and review.
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- Conduct and publish, or otherwise disseminate high quality and/or high impact research as a member of a team or independently and produce conference/seminar papers and publications from that research.
- Contribute to writing up research findings for publication and dissemination.
- Co-supervise or, where appropriate supervise Higher Degree by Research (HDR) postgraduate students as required.
- Contribute to a robust and ambitious research culture.
- With mentoring support, obtain necessary research funding from external funding sources.
- Continue to develop professional practice skills/knowledge and expertise.
- Perform allocated administrative functions effectively and efficiently.
- Participate in continuing education for the profession or the teaching community.
- Contribute to building relationships at local and national level.
- Undertake other duties commensurate with the classification and scope of the position as required by the Head of School or Associate Head of School as appropriate.

Key Selection Criteria

ESSENTIAL

- A doctorate in Law, or a doctorate in Criminology plus either a law degree with first class honours or a master of laws (generalist or specialist).
- Experience coordinating subjects in law and/or criminology, including lecturing, tutoring, grading and student administration.
- Positive teaching evaluations.
- Research productivity, reflected in the production of publications in journals and books.
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively and productively with staff and students from a diverse range of backgrounds.
- Evidence of the ability to work as a member of a team in a co-operative and collegial manner.

DESIRABLE

- Experience in generating research funding and/or research consultancy, whether individually or as part of a team.
- Experience in clinical supervision.

Essential Compliance Requirements

To hold this La Trobe University position the occupant must:

- hold, or be willing to undertake and pass, a Victorian With Children Check; AND
- take personal accountability to comply with all University policies, procedures and legislative or regulatory obligations; including but not limited to TEQSA and the Higher Education Threshold Standards.

La Trobe Cultural Qualities

Our cultural qualities underpin everything we do. As we work towards realising the strategic goals of the University we strive to work in a way which is aligned to our four cultural qualities:

- We are **Connected**: We connect to the world outside — the students and communities we serve, both locally and globally.
- We are **Innovative**: We tackle the big issues of our time to transform the lives of our students and society.
- We are **Accountable**: We strive for excellence in everything we do. We hold each other and ourselves to account, and work to the highest standard.
- We **Care**: We care about what we do and why we do it. We believe in the power of education and research to transform lives and global society. We care about being the difference in the lives of our students and communities.

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