





# **SENIOR LECTURER**

**DEPARTMENT/UNIT** Civil Engineering Department

FACULTY/DIVISION Faculty of Engineering

**CLASSIFICATION** Level C

WORK LOCATION Clayton campus

## **ORGANISATIONAL CONTEXT**

Everyone needs a platform to launch a satisfying career. At Monash, we give you the space and support to take your career in all kinds of exciting new directions. You'll have access to quality research, infrastructure and learning facilities, opportunities to collaborate internationally, as well as the grants you'll need to publish your work. We're a university full of energetic and enthusiastic minds, driven to challenge what's expected, expand what we know, and learn from other inspiring, empowering thinkers. Discover more at: <a href="https://www.monash.edu">www.monash.edu</a>.

The **Faculty of Engineering** is one of the largest in Australia, renowned worldwide for the quality and calibre of our teaching, research and graduates. We offer a comprehensive range of undergraduate, graduate, postgraduate and higher degree by research programs in a wide range of engineering disciplines. Our research activities provide a platform for establishing a thriving educational enterprise and our staff are committed to creating a dynamic learning environment. The research activities range from fundamental studies to research with a strong applications orientation. To learn more about the Faculty of Engineering, please visit our website: <a href="www.eng.monash.edu">www.eng.monash.edu</a>.

The Faculty of Engineering has a strong commitment to diversity, inclusion and flexibility in the workplace. The Faculty aims to improve gender diversity among academic staff and has gender equity targets for shortlisting candidates.

The **Department of Civil Engineering** aims to provide high quality education, research and professional services globally for the mutual benefit of the students, the staff, the University, industry, the profession and the wider community. We offer several undergraduate degrees as well as postgraduate coursework degrees via Off-Campus Learning. The Department actively pursues innovative and significant multi-disciplinary research to address the challenges for engineering in the 21st century. For more information about us and the work we do, <u>please visit our website</u>.

# **POSITION PURPOSE**

The appointee is expected to play a major role, as part of a team, in the Transportation Program with a particular focus on intelligent transport systems/smart cities and future mobility. This is an opportunity to be part of shaping the future of transportation education at Monash University. The appointee is required to undertake academic duties that include lecturing in, and some administration of, the undergraduate and postgraduate teaching

programs, and supervision of postgraduate research students. The successful applicant is also expected to be involved in and/or lead research programs in his/her specialist area. These may include smart mobility, connected autonomous vehicles and transport network modelling and management.

The appointee is expected to strengthen the existing capability of Monash University and to further enhance its reputation as a leader in research and teaching.

Reporting Line: The position reports to the Head of Department

Supervisory Responsibilities: Not applicable

Financial Delegation: Not applicable

**Budgetary Responsibilities:** Not applicable

# **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES**

Specific duties required of a Level C academic may include:

- 1. The conduct of tutorials, practical classes, demonstrations, workshops, student field excursions, clinical sessions and studio sessions Initiation and development of subject material
- 2. The initiation and development of course material in line with best practice methodologies
- **3.** Consultation with students including marking and assessment of coursework and guidance on areas of development
- **4.** Course coordination and course content and delivery enhancement, including the preparation and delivery of lectures and seminars, and the design, implementation and review of educational innovations
- **5.** The conduct of research and the undertaking of a significant role in research projects including, where appropriate, leadership of research teams
- **6.** Contribution to scholarly debate within the profession, production of quality research that has industry relevance and presentation of research results at national and international forums.
- **7.** Supervision of the program of study and research conducted by honours and postgraduate students engaged in course work and research projects
- **8.** The conduct of high-quality research and the undertaking of a significant role in research projects including, where appropriate, leadership of research teams
- **9.** Involvement in professional activities such as networking and industry events to stay abreast of academic and industry changes and developments and how these can be applied at Monash Consultation with students
- **10.** Broad administrative functions; the majority of which are connected with the subjects in which the academic teaches Marking and assessment
- 11. Attendance at departmental and/or faculty meetings and a major role in planning or committee work

#### **KEY SELECTION CRITERIA**

#### **Education/Qualifications**

- **1.** The appointee will have:
  - A doctoral qualification in science or engineering fields relevant to transportation or smart mobility

## **Knowledge and Skills**

- **2.** Demonstrated experience and proven ability in undertaking outstanding cross-disciplinary research and taking a lead role in research, scholarship and teaching matters
- **3.** Demonstrated publication record in high-quality refereed journals, conferences, equivalent textbooks or teaching resources

- **4.** Evidence of or potential to secure significant nationally-competitive grants and/or other sources of funding for research
- **5.** Demonstrated record of or potential to successfully supervising postgraduate research students to completion
- **6.** Demonstrated experience and ability to develop and deliver high quality teaching and curriculum, at the undergraduate and postgraduate level, with positive student feedback, in areas of transportation such as traffic engineering, transport systems and transport planning
- 7. High-level written and verbal communication skills and proven ability to establish a good working relationship with colleagues and students, and to develop and maintain strong professional links with relevant industry business, government agencies and professional bodies and the community
- **8.** Proven ability to plan, organise and achieve work targets, sometimes in demanding circumstances, and work harmoniously and constructively with academic colleagues and other University staff
- **9.** Proven leadership qualities in undertaking outstanding research and leading research projects with capacity for administrative responsibilities, and a willingness to make a substantial contribution to all activities of the department, including administration and planning such as organising and running student field trips
- **10.** Proven ability, commitment and passion for engaging in scholarly and research activities that promote the discipline internally within the University as well as externally at a national level
- **11.** Possess a high level of interpersonal skills and demonstrated ability to work independently and as part of a team across both the education and service sectors

## OTHER JOB RELATED INFORMATION

- Travel and block teaching at other campuses of the University may be required
- There may be a requirement to work additional hours from time to time
- There may be peak periods of work during which taking of leave may be restricted

#### **GOVERNANCE**

Monash University expects staff to appropriately balance risk and reward in a manner that is sustainable to its long-term future, contribute to a culture of honesty and integrity, and provide an environment that is safe, secure and inclusive. Ensure you are aware of and adhere to University policies relevant to the duties undertaken and the values of the University. This is a standard which the University sees as the benchmark for all of its activities in Australia and internationally.