



LECTURER

DEPARTMENT/UNIT	Econometrics and Business Statistics
FACULTY/DIVISION	Faculty of Business and Economics
CLASSIFICATION	Level B
WORK LOCATION	Caulfield 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 <u>www.monash.edu</u>.

The **Monash Business School** is structured into seven discipline-based departments (Accounting, Banking and Finance, Business Law and Taxation, Econometrics and Business Statistics, Economics, Management, and Marketing) along with the specialist Leadership and Executive Education unit and a number of research centres, units and groups in specialist areas such as behavioural economics, development economics, employment and work, finance, global business, and retail studies. To learn more about the Monash Business School, please visit our website, https://www.monash.edu/business.

To support the core operations and strategic priorities of the Monash Business School, administrative functions are divided into seven dedicated teams: Engagement and Marketing Services, Finance Services, Leadership and Executive Education Services, Operational Services, Performance and Quality Services, Research Services and Student and Education Services. Each team has areas of functional specialisation that are aligned with central functions in the co-delivery of services, fostering excellence in service delivery, and capitalising on strategic opportunities for growth and diversification in research and education.

The **Department of Econometrics and Business Statistics** is recognised worldwide for the quality of its research and teaching and has been designated by Monash as an area of outstanding strength, 'demonstrably preeminent relative to other Australian universities and competitive with the strongest international equivalents'. In the Excellence in Research for Australia assessment conducted by the Australian Research Council in 2018, Monash University received a rank of 5, which is the highest possible rank, in Econometrics. In the top 10% of institutions in the field of Econometrics ranked by IDEAS (a Research Papers in Economics service maintained by the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, USA) the Department appears among the best institutions in the world.

We provide the quantitative training in the Bachelor of Business, the Bachelor of Commerce, as well as several Masters by Coursework programs and we offer a comprehensive curriculum at the undergraduate and 2 postgraduate levels in econometrics, business statistics, financial econometrics and actuarial studies. Many of our senior staff are editors and associate editors of reputable academic journals in econometrics and statistics and we

enjoy significant success in gaining grants and contract research. For more information about our Department and the work we do, please visit our website: <u>https://www.monash.edu/business/econometrics-and-business-</u><u>statistics</u>.

Econometrics at Monash University is a well-established discipline in the Department of Econometrics and Business Statistics, with an undergraduate and honours degree that incorporates a major in econometrics and a postgraduate coursework program that includes a major in applied econometrics. The department has a high level of national and international research activities.

POSITION PURPOSE

A Level B academic is expected to make contributions to the teaching effort of the University and to carry out activities to maintain and develop their scholarly, research and/or professional activities relevant to the profession or discipline.

The fields of specialisation for this role are econometric theory, computational econometrics and/or statistics.

Reporting Line: The position reports to a Professor in the Discipline area

Supervisory Responsibilities: Not applicable

Financial Delegation: Not applicable

Budgetary Responsibilities: Not applicable

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

Specific duties required of a Level B academic may include:

- 1. The conduct of tutorials, practical classes, and demonstrations
- 2. Initiation and development of subject material
- 3. Acting as subject coordinator; the preparation and delivery of lectures, workshops and seminars
- 4. Supervision of the program of study of honours students or of postgraduate students engaged in course work
- 5. Supervision of major honours or postgraduate research projects
- 6. The conduct of research
- 7. Involvement in professional activity
- 8. Development of course material with appropriate advice from and support of more senior staff
- 9. Marking and assessment
- 10. Consultation with students
- **11.** A range of administrative functions the majority of which are connected with the subjects in which the academic teaches
- 12. Attendance at departmental, school and/or faculty meetings and/or membership of a number of committees

KEY SELECTION CRITERIA

Education/Qualifications

- 1. The appointee will have:
 - A doctoral qualification (or near-complete doctorate) in econometrics, statistics, or a closely related discipline;

Knowledge and Skills

- 2. 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
- **3.** Evidence of an emerging track record of high quality independent research including an active research interest in econometric theory, computational econometrics and/or statistics
- **4.** Ability to work positively and cooperatively with students, internal and external teams and external organisations
- 5. Demonstrated strong record of teaching experience in a tertiary environment
- 6. Demonstrated ability to motivate, actively engage and educate a given audience
- 7. Proven ability, commitment and passion for engaging in scholarly and research activities
- 8. A demonstrated capacity to work in a collegiate manner with other staff in the workplace

OTHER JOB RELATED INFORMATION

- Travel to 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
- A current satisfactory Working With Children Check is required

LEGAL COMPLIANCE

Ensure you are aware of and adhere to legislation and University policy relevant to the duties undertaken, including: Equal Employment Opportunity, supporting equity and fairness; Occupational Health and Safety, supporting a safe workplace; Conflict of Interest (including Conflict of Interest in Research); Paid Outside Work; Privacy; Research Conduct; and Staff/Student Relationships.