

# Job Description

Position: Lecturer Foundation Skills (Sport & Exercise)

Date: September 2024

Reports to: Academic Portfolio Manager

## Te Tirohanga Whakamua; Our Vision:

To be the skills engine driving the economic and social development of the Central North Island.

## Nga Whāinga; Our Goals:

- Partnerships that make a difference
- An Institution for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century
- All our people are equipped for the new world
- Global outreach and globalization

# Nga Whanonga Pono; Our Values:

- Relationships Whanaungatanga
- Excellence Kia eke panuku, eke Tangaroa
- Transformation Te huringa whakaaro
- Agility Kia kakamā

# Purpose of the Position:

To provide high quality delivery of subjects or units of learning as required of the programme and defined by the curriculum. To ensure our ākonga | students can succeed academically in a safe, healthy and supportive learning environment. To provide such support duties as required to maintain the effective running of the course, the Faculty and UCOL.

Note: This position is based "behind the wire" at Northland Prison (Ngapha Springs, Kaikohe)

# Responsible for:

No direct reports

# Internal Relationships:

- Executive Director Education and Applied Research
- Executive Directors
- Executive Deans
- Faculty Administrators
- Own team

## External Relationships:

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# Key Result Areas

#### Key Performance Indicator (KPI) 1 – Development of learning material

Development of appropriate learning material for the delivery of the learning outcomes of the curriculum and develop activities which enhance learning opportunities.

What will I be doing?	How will I know I am doing it well?
Develop the appropriate lecture material	The material is current, complete, and meets
using multimedia.	UCOL's standards.
Develop student workbooks.	
Develop an interactive learning internet site	
for subjects taught.	
Develop formative assessment tasks and	Each module has a variety of tasks to ensure that
model answers.	well-rounded learning is achieved.
Develop practical activities and laboratories.	

### Key Performance Indicator (KPI) 2 – The delivery of learning material

Provide high quality delivery of learning material and assess learning outcomes using a variety of appropriate assessment tools.

What will I be doing?	How will I know I am doing it well?
Delivery of the material is done so in an	Student and peer evaluations are positive. The
energetic manner and with enthusiasm.	incumbent is able to constructively self-reflect.
Delivery of the material is done so in a	
structured and coherent manner.	
The assessment schedule is developed for	The assessment schedule meets the moderation
each module.	requirements.
All learning outcomes are assessed with the	
appropriate ranges.	
Assessment tool meets assessment	
requirements.	

#### Key Performance Indicator 3 – Pastoral Care

Ensure delivery and support of akonga|students meets the organisations obligations under The Education (Pastoral Care of Tertiary and International Learners) Code of Practice 2021 (The Code).

What will I be doing?	How will I know I am doing it well?
Ensure the teaching environment supports	Interactions with learners is professional and
the wellbeing and safety of learners.	supportive.
Work alongside other internal departments	Where required, akonga are referred to other
to effectively refer students to the	internal services (Raukura and/or Student
appropriate support service	Success)
Attend training in relation to The Code,	Training engagement is genuine and ways of
including but not limited to:	working are adjusted to incorporate the course
Te Tiriti o Waitangi	outcomes.
Understanding diverse learners and	
appropriate cultural competencies	

Incident reporting	
Violence prevention and response	
Privacy and safe handling of personal	
information	
Referral pathways and escalation procedures	
Wellbeing and safety awareness	

## Key Performance Indicator (KPI) 3 – Academic records

Maintain appropriate academic records to meet faculty requirements and ensure high quality standards.

What will I be doing?	How will I know I am doing it well?
All student grades are appropriately	Student grades are entered into ARION in a timely
recorded using ARION.	manner to ensure the database is kept current.
Work records are maintained.	
Conducts student reviews on all units.	Provides documented analysis of student reviews
Conducts a self-reflective analysis on each	and self-reflective analysis.
unit.	

## Key Performance Indicator (KPI) 4 - Research

Publish applied research projects to reputable journals (personal professional development).

What will I be doing?	How will I know I am doing it well?
Develop a plan to either improve current qualifications and/or add to personal publication / presentation portfolio.	The incumbent passes papers and/or submits a paper for publication or conference presentation.
Keeps specialist knowledge current.	The incumbent attends at least one (per year) conference in the subject area and provides a report,
Develops a plan to improve delivery capacity and ability.	Actively participates and documents performance review process for the Faculty and UCOL's professional development programmes.

#### Key Performance Indicator (KPI) 5 – Stakeholder Relations

Build and maintain UCOL's stakeholder relationships.

What will I be doing?	How will I know I am doing it well?
Develop and maintain strong stakeholder relationships within industry	UCOL is well placed to maximise communications with industry and provide students with opportunities to connect with key stakeholders
Plan and facilitate real work projects /	Industry engagement with students and UCOL will
internships / guest lectures / networks for students	promote UCOL and its students as market leaders.

## Key Performance Indicator (KPI) 6 – Student focus

Maintain a student focus/availability to students.

What will I be doing?	How will I know I am doing it well?
Available to students for an appropriate	Positive student reviews are received.
amount of time.	
Maintains good student relations.	
Identifies, develops and delivers appropriate	
programmes for Māori and Pacifica learners,	
including assisting implementation of Te	
Atakura, and in consultation with Iwi.	
Where required, connect and assist	Conversations with prospective learners during
prospective learners as they go through the	the application and enrolment process are timely,
enquiry / application / enrolment journey,	thoughtful, and responsive.
working with Student Enrolment and Registry	
Teams.	

### Key Performance Indicator (KPI) 7 – Health and Safety

As an employee, under the Health & Safety at Work Act 2015, you are deemed to be a "Worker" and are responsible for the practical implementation of the systems and processes established to protect your health, safety and wellbeing while not endangering others. As an employee of UCOL, employees must ensure that they comply with UCOL's Health and Safety Policies, Procedures, and any Standard Operating Procedures along with any relevant Legislation or Industry Standards, which apply to the delivery of their tasks or are required by their Faculty or Department.

What will I be doing?	How will I know I am doing it well?
Undertake your work safely and do not	Nothing that the incumbent does or doesn't do
participate in activities that may place yourself and others in danger or at risk.	results in others being put in danger or risk or harmed.
Comply with all health and safety	You actively participate in any health and safety
information, instruction, training, and	training appropriate to the role, and will at all
supervision.	times comply with health and safety policies,
Super vision	procedures and standards.
Report any health and safety hazards,	All health and safety hazards, incidents, and near
incidents, and near misses accurately and in	misses are required to be entered into the health
a timely manner to your Line Manager and	and safety management system immediately. If
enter into the electronic health and safety	this cannot be done immediately, it must be done
management system (Vault).	as soon as practicable after the hazard, incident,
	near miss occurred. Serious incidents and hazards
	should also be reported immediately to the Line
	Manager and verbally to your Senior Manager and
	entered into the health and safety management system.
Comply with all requirements of return to	You will comply with all of the requirements of a
work or rehabilitation plans.	return to work or rehabilitation plan to ensure that
	they return to work in a sensible, healthy, and safe
	way.
Report any faults or issues relating to health	Any faults or issues relating to health and safety
and safety into the Vault, Health & Safety	need to be reported to your Line Manager and/or
Management system and ensure that your	to the Health and Safety team immediately. If this

Line Manager is kept fully informed of any	cannot be done immediately, it must be done as
issues.	soon as practicable after becoming aware of the
	fault or issues.

To be successful we need to work as a team, so the responsibilities set out in this job description are not exhaustive. As a result, after mutual agreement, we may require you to undertake other reasonable tasks as required, which are within the ability of the jobholder.

## Core Competencies – compressed version

### Tangata Tiriti – how we embrace culture.

- **Engagement** establish and maintain effective professional relationships focussed on the learning and wellbeing of our ākonga and staff, demonstrate commitment to ongoing professional learning and development of personal professional practice by engaging in He Kākano Rua (UCOL's Cultural Competency Framework).
- Enlightenment continue to develop understanding of Te Tiriti o Waitangi / the Treaty of Waitangi and continue to develop knowledge of Tikanga Māori and the appropriate usage and accurate pronunciation of te Reo Māori.
- **Empowerment** demonstrate commitment to bicultural partnership in Aotearoa New Zealand, works effectively within the bicultural context of UCOL.

Please note, the list below is a condensed version of the behaviours and practices; for descriptors of each behaviour, please refer to 'Staff Competencies' on our website or the Teams Portal.

#### Professional behaviours – how we behave at work.

- Dependable/compliant
- Resilience
- Flexibility
- Risk Conscious/ Zero Harm Attitude
- Self-Insight

#### Work practice – how we achieve results.

- Achievement
- Mental Power
- Critical Thinking
- Logical Reasoning
- Numerical Reasoning
- Results focus

#### Relationships – how we work together.

- Communication
- Verbal Reasoning
- Teamwork
- Negotiation/ Conflict management
- Building relationships

- High Emotional Intelligence
- Shows initiative
- Ethics and integrity
- Personal responsibility
- Digital competence / IT literacy
  - Information
  - Communication
  - Innovative
  - Safety
  - Problem-solving
  - Strategic agility
  - Values diversity
  - Collaboration
  - Keeps student focus

## Qualifications and/or Skills:

- A relevant tertiary qualification
- An Adult Tertiary Teaching qualification and/or the NZ Certificate in Adult Literacy and Numeracy Education and/or unit 4098 workbased assessor or be working toward these
- Experience delivering at the tertiary level and/or extensive experience industry, including training in an applied sport and exercise context.

## Personal Characteristics/Attributes:

- Strong industry networks
- Ability to work effectively both independently and as part of a team
- Effective time management skills and the ability to meet deadlines
- Understands the importance of confidentiality, professionalism and integrity

## Other Requirements:

- Must have a full driver's licence.
- Pre-employment Criminal Convictions Checks (NZ Police Vetting and Ministry of Justice (MoJ) check
- Clean from the influences of drugs and alcohol in the workplace at all times.

We aim for a "can-do!" attitude where we help one another and UCOL. For that reason, you will need to be open to reasonable changes in your duties and responsibilities and this job profile being updated from time to time, after mutual agreement, as we adapt to change and keep striving to deliver all that we can for our students.