UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH PACIFIC

Research Fellow

FACULTY OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENT

Pacific Centre for Environment and Sustainable Development - Ref. FES008

The appointees will work with postgraduate students and staff within the University on a wide range of duties focusing on adaptation to climate change. These duties will include project management, supervision of research students, developing and implementing community adaptation projects in several island countries, conducting short courses at various levels and providing consultancies to assist island governments in various matters relating to climate change and sustainable development. Applicants must have a PhD or Masters degree and 3 to 5 years experience in the broad areas of climate change and or environmental management. Good interpersonal skills and the capacity to conduct research as evidenced from publications will also be required. Preference will be given to applicants with experience in working in small island communities on development projects, tertiary teaching experience, experience with project management and who can demonstrate the ability to represent USP in regional technical meetings.

The position is available for a fixed term of 12 months initially and maybe renewed by mutual agreement.

Salary Range: F$59,813 to F$78,700 per annum

(Inclusive of 15% Gratuity)

In addition to the above benefits, the University contributes 10% of basic salary to an approved superannuation scheme, provides airfare and relocation costs where appropriate.

Applications with a detailed curriculum vitae can be submitted on-line using the University’s E-Recruitment system which can be accessed at this address: www.usprecruits.usp.ac.fj; or by post to The Recruitment Manager, The University of the South Pacific, Private Mail Bag, Suva, Fiji.

Applicants can also submit their applications on-line or by hard copy at any of the University’s campuses throughout the region and at the Human Resources Office on Laucala campus.

Closing date for applications 08th October, 2010.