

Faculty of Psychology, Speech Therapy and Educational Sciences

Academic vacancy in the field of Clinical Child Psychology.

Start date: 1 September 2021

Description of the course load:

A full-time, indivisible position in the field of Clinical Child Psychology within the Department of Psychology. This post includes teaching, research and services to the Community.

Teaching activities:

Teaching activities include the following courses:

- Child Psychology: Emotional and cognitive development;
- Emotional and cognitive development: theoretical and clinical approaches
- Child Psychopathology;
- Evaluation methods in child clinical practice: interviewing, observation and questionnaires;
- Childhood and Institutions;
- Intervention methods in child clinical practice.

In addition to courses, the workload involves the organisation and supervision of practical work and/or placements, as well as the supervision of dissertations (TFE).

The candidate must demonstrate that they have sufficient practical experience in the field of "clinical child psychology" to take on the teaching load. It is important to note that the teaching load may change and that this change will take into account the candidate's areas of expertise.

A description of the applicant's teaching plan should be attached to the application (maximum one page). The candidates must demonstrate that their teaching and clinical practice will adopt an "evidence-based" approach.

Research Activities:

The successful applicant will have to develop a research programme in line with the teaching load.

Services to of the Community:

The candidate will be expected to make a significant contribution to the smooth running of the university by taking on their share of the responsibilities and administrative tasks that surround teaching and are an integral part of the life of the Faculties and the University. Given the clinical issues covered by the workload, the future academic will have to contribute to the development of activities in clinical psychology within the University Psychology and Speech Therapy Clinic (CPLU).

Qualifications required / profile:

- The candidate should have a PhD thesis.
- They will be required to show through their research activities:
- That they have been the main author of at least three publications in international or national peer-reviewed and referenced scientific journals (e.g., ISI, Scopus, ERIH) or in books or chapters of scientific studies; research reports published by recognised national or international organisations and papers presented in an international scientific assembly will also be considered.
- The candidate will have to demonstrate their ability to develop a research project in relation to the teaching load. To do so, they will have to provide a description of a research plan that is sufficiently developed to be the subject of a grant application, for a four-year doctoral thesis, to an organisation such as the FNRS (FRESH grant) or to the calls of the ULiège institution such as the SHS grants. The plan should not exceed 2 pages.

Selection procedure:

The evaluation of the applicant will take into account teaching experience in a university setting, but such experience is not essential. Nevertheless, as part of the selection process, the applicant will have to prepare a public lecture (1/2 hour), open to academic and scientific members of the Faculty, in order to evaluate their teaching qualities.

Applications:

Applicants are requested to submit their applications electronically, to the following address: Postesacademiques@uliege.be with a copy to Ms. Cindy Minconetti, C.Minconetti@uliege.be no later than 30 April 2021.

Required documents:

- ✓ An application with a curriculum vitae;
- ✓ A cover letter;
- ✓ A complete list of publications;
- ✓ A copy and a summary of the five most significant publications;
- ✓ A description of the teaching plan (one page maximum);
- ✓ A description of the research plan (two pages maximum) demonstrating the ability to develop a research programme related to the teaching workload;
- ✓ One or more employment certificates proving professional experience as a clinical psychologist, signed by the employer and containing the following information: department, position held, period of practice, signature and stamp of the institution.

Conditions of recruitment:

The position shall be assigned either from the outset on a permanent basis or for a fixed term of four years, which may lead to the permanent appointment of the person concerned.

In the case of a four-year appointment, an evaluation of the person concerned will be carried out at the end of the third year.

- If the evaluation is negative, the person concerned will complete the four-year term but will not be able to extend it.
- If the assessment is positive, the person concerned shall be appointed on a permanent basis.

Our institutional policy is based on diversity and equal opportunities. We select candidates on the basis of their qualities regardless of age, sexual orientation, origin, beliefs, disability or nationality.

Information:

Any further information can be obtained from the Faculty of Psychology, Speech Therapy and Educational Sciences, **Mme Cindy Minconetti** – tel.: +32 4 366 20 23 – C.Minconetti@uliege.be

Salary:

Salary scales and how they are applied are available from the human resources department of the University: **Ms Ludivine Depas** – tel.: +32 4 366 52 04 – <u>Ludivine.Depas@uliege.be</u>