Further Particulars for Fixed-term Stipendiary Lecturership in Mathematics

Trinity College invites applications for a Stipendiary Lecturership in Mathematics, for one year from 1st October 2018 to 30th September 2019 in the first instance. The lecturer will primarily liaise with Dr Ian Hewitt and Dr Melanie Rupflin, the senior Subject Tutors in Mathematics. The Lecturer will take on two hours teaching per week for students at Trinity College.

Teaching of Mathematics at Trinity College
Trinity College admits five or six students a year to read Mathematics. The teaching required is primarily for the first- and second-year modules in Probability and Statistics, which are core modules for the first years and optional modules for the second years. The syllabus is available at https://courses.maths.ox.ac.uk/overview/undergraduate or on request from the Academic Administrator at Trinity (academic.administrator@trinity.ox.ac.uk).

Duties of the Lecturer(s)
• to be responsible for teaching the first- and second-year modules in Probability and Statistics to Trinity students;
• to teach up to two hours a week, averaged over the three eight-week terms. The number of contact hours is somewhat reduced where the teaching is in pairs or larger groups. For example, teaching a pair for one hour counts as 1.25 hours, and teaching a group of three counts as 1.5 hours, etc;
• to undertake other duties connected with the mathematics course, such as participating in the undergraduate admissions exercise for mathematics, which takes place annually in December, and taking part in college Open Days.

Selection Criteria
• education to degree level in mathematics; research in a relevant area of mathematics or statistics; a doctorate or substantial progress towards a doctorate.
• some experience of tutorial teaching in the relevant subject areas would be an advantage;
• ability and willingness to undertake the associated duties as specified above.

Term of appointment
This is a fixed-term appointment for twelve months only.

Stipend
The current annual salary is £4,416-£4,967 for the two hours. The lecturer will be eligible for membership of the USS pension scheme.
Attendance at Open Days and admissions interviews, and similar duties, are covered by the stipend.

**Other benefits**
- The lecturer will be able to use a shared teaching room in Trinity College for tutorials.
- Senior Common Room membership, entitling the lecturer to two free lunches and one free dinner a week.

**How to apply**
Candidates should submit the following documents electronically to the Academic Administrator (academic.administrator@trinity.ox.ac.uk):
- a short letter outlining how they believe they meet the criteria set out for the post;
- an academic CV;
- the names of two referees who should be asked by the candidate to email their references directly to the Academic Administrator. **It is the responsibility of the candidate to ensure that the references arrive by the closing date.**

The closing date for applications is **12 noon (UK time) on Friday 6th July.**

**Appointment Process**
**Interviews will be held on Friday 20th July.** Candidates invited for interview will be asked to present to the panel a topic of their own choice from the current first-year course in Probability. The presentation should not last for more than ten minutes, and should be pitched at first-year undergraduate level. On this occasion, a white-board (but no other visual aids) will be available.

The policy and practice of Trinity College require that entry into employment within the Colleges and progression within employment will be determined only by personal merit and the application of criteria that are related to the duties of each particular post and the relevant salary structure. In all cases, ability to perform the job will be the primary consideration.