



Lupane State University

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## VACANCY NOTICE

**Applications are invited from suitably qualified and experienced candidates for the following posts:**

### **1. FACULTY OF COMMERCE**

**Department of Accounting and Finance**

**Lecturer/Senior Lecturer/Professor/Associate Professor (1 Post)**

Applicants must hold a good Bachelor of Commerce Honours Degree in Economics or related subject area, passed with at least an upper second class, and a relevant Master's degree passed with at least a merit. A relevant PhD would be a distinct advantage. Applicants must be able to teach the following courses at undergraduate level; Health Economics, Advanced Microeconomics, Advanced Macroeconomics, Labour Economics, Environmental Economics and Development Economics.

### **2. FACULTY OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES**

**Department of Crop and Soil Sciences**

**Agricultural Economics**

**Lecturer/Senior Lecturer/Professor/Associate Professor (1 Post)**

#### **Qualifications**

Ideally the successful candidate should possess an MSc in Agricultural Economics, Agribusiness, Economics or equivalent, with considerable teaching and research in Agricultural Economics or Agribusiness and related areas and a proven record of publications in refereed scientific journals. A PhD in Agricultural Economics will be an added advantage.

#### **Duties and Responsibilities**

- Teaching at the undergraduate and post graduate levels on the subject areas of Microeconomics, Applied Production Economics, Agricultural Finance and Risk Management, Financial Analysis and Management, Cost Benefit Analysis, Agribusiness Management and Project Planning.
- Supervising projects in areas of competence
- Participating in outreach activities in the agricultural sector.
- Participating in income generating activities.

**Applicants who responded to our previous advertisements need not re-apply.**

3. **FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
**Department of Development Studies**  
**Sociology**  
**Lecturer/Senior Lecturer/Professor/Associate Professor (1 Post)**

Ideally the successful candidate should possess a Bachelor's degree and a Master's degree in Sociology. A PhD in Sociology is a distinct advantage. The applicant will be expected to teach the following courses: Introduction to Sociology, Social Psychology, Introduction to Anthropology, Contemporary Sociological Theories, Classical Social Theories, Contemporary Social Theories, among others, at undergraduate and post graduate levels. The candidate will also be expected to undertake research in the relevant field, to supervise undergraduate and post graduate research, assist with administrative duties and render community service. The successful applicant will report to the Head of Department.

**Qualifying female candidates are encouraged to apply.**

**Personal Attributes**

The University places high priority on individuals who can work well in a team environment. Candidates should possess good communication and interpersonal skills. A good command of both oral and written English is essential. Candidates must also be;

- Able to contribute significantly to the teaching, research and curriculum development
- Able to supervise graduate students
- Student centred

**APPLICATIONS**

Interested and qualified persons should submit six (6) sets of applications each consisting of the application letter, certified copies of educational and professional certificates, transcripts and Curriculum Vitae giving full personal details including full names, place and date of birth, qualifications, experience, present salary, date of availability, names, e-mail addresses and telephone numbers of at least three referees. Applications should be sent through post or hand delivered to the following address:-

Senior Assistant Registrar  
Human Resources Section  
Lupane State University  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor Faculty of Agricultural Sciences Building  
Lupane Main Campus  
P O Box 170  
**LUPANE**

**or**

Senior Assistant Registrar  
Human Resources Section  
Lupane State University  
3<sup>rd</sup> Floor CBZ Building  
Cnr 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue/Fife Street  
P.O. Box AC 255, Ascot  
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The closing date for the receipt of applications is Friday, 16 August 2019. **Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.**