UNIVERSITY OF MAURITIUS

VACANCY

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for the post of **Trainee Project Assistant (Part-Time)** to work on the research project entitled "Road Traffic Deaths and Injuries: The Shadow to GDP and Welfare in Mauritius – Part 2", for a contractual period of five (5) months, renewable if required.

Qualifications Required

• Degree in Mathematics, Economics, Statistics, Engineering or any equivalent qualification.

Profile

Candidates must have:

- Good research and communication skills.
- Good analytical and scientific writing skills.
- Good econometric and statistical techniques for data analysis.
- Prior experience in conducting and organizing surveys.
- Adequate knowledge in the relevant field of Research.

Responsibilities & Duties

- Conducting a comprehensive literature review for this research;
- Collect and tabulate appropriate secondary data on the topic;
- Drafting of questionnaires for data collection;
- Organise meetings, interviews and Focus Group Discussions;
- Draft the information obtained from the interviews, meetings and Focus Group Discussions;
- Organise and supervise fieldwork for data collection;
- Collect, input and analyse data;
- Use statistical software for data analysis and interpretation;
- Report to the Principal Investigator and other team members;
- Report and paper writing as well as presentation of obtained results;
- Any other tasks related to the project as identified by the supervisors.

Remuneration

A monthly all-inclusive allowance of Rs6, 500/-, plus travelling expenses by bus while on site.

Duration of Contract

Appointment will be offered for an initial contractual period of **5 months**, renewable if required. The tentative starting date will be **Monday 15**th **May 2023**.

While the recruited candidate(s) will **NOT** be expected to be on site on a daily basis, arrangements should be made to attend meetings with the research team on the University of Mauritius campus as per supervisors' requirements.

Mode of Application

Letter of application together with a detailed Curriculum Vitae and photocopies of qualifications, birth certificate, marriage certificate (if applicable), testimonials and equivalence of qualifications (where applicable) should reach **the Dean of the Faculty of Engineering (Attention: Mr Z. Doomah), University of Mauritius, Réduit,** OR **preferably** by email to m.doomah@uom.ac.mu and copied to deanfeng@uom.ac.mu by 5th May 2023 at latest.

The envelope should be clearly marked **Trainee Project Assistant for the project** "Road Traffic Deaths and Injuries: The Shadow to GDP and Welfare in Mauritius – Part 2" on the top right-hand corner, or if your application is sent by email, your email subject should be same as the aforementioned description.

Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

Any request for further information and/or clarification should be directed to Mr. Z. Doomah via email (m.doomah@uom.ac.mu).

The University reserves the right:

- to call for interview only the most appropriate and best qualified applicants;
- not to make any appointment as a result of this advertisement.

27 April 2023

Dean, Faculty of Engineering