



UNIVERSITY OF MAURITIUS

VACANCY

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for the post of **Trainee Project Assistant (Full-Time)**, to work on the research project entitled "*Employees and Customers' Acceptance of Service Robots in the Hotel Sector*", for a contractual period of 7 months.

Qualifications Required:

- A degree in Management, Marketing, Tourism, Economics, Psychology, Sociology, or any other related field.

Profile

Candidates must have:

- Excellent writing skills.
- Excellent research and communication skills.
- Analytical skills and adequate knowledge in the relevant field of research.
- Knowledge of quantitative (survey) and qualitative (e.g., interviews) research methods.
- Sound knowledge of statistics, SPSS, and qualitative data analysis techniques.

Responsibilities & Duties

- Reviewing the literature on the topic.
- Engaging in the qualitative and quantitative data collection.
- Analyzing qualitative and quantitative data using appropriate software.
- Writing up the final project report.
- Any other duties assigned by the project investigators.

Remuneration

A monthly all-inclusive allowance of **Rs13,000/-**, plus salary compensation at approved rate, plus travelling expenses by bus.

Duration of Contract

Appointment will be offered for an initial contractual period of 7 months, renewable if required. The proposed starting date will be 1 April 2024.

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 **Professor (Dr.) Robin Nunkoo, Head, International Center for Sustainable Tourism and Hospitality, 2nd Floor, New Academic Complex, University of Mauritius, Réduit**, OR email address (r.nunkoo@uom.ac.mu) by **22 April, 2024 at latest**.

The envelope should be clearly marked "**Trainee Project Assistant for the project "Employees and Customers' Acceptance of Service Robots in the Hotel Sector"**" on the top right-hand corner.

Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

The University reserves the right:

- to call for interview only the most appropriately and best qualified applicants
- not to make any appointment as a result of this advertisement.
- to conduct a written/aptitude test as and when required.

**Head, International Center for Sustainable Tourism and Hospitality
1 April 2024**