

RESEARCH, INNOVATION & ENGAGEMENT Innovation & Technology Transfer

POST TITLE	Director: Innovation & Technology Transfer		
REFERENCE NUMBER	• 977	CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS	• 01 July 2016
POST LEVEL	• P-5		
MINIMUM QUALIFICATION	• Master's degree in Engineering or Technology Management or equivalent and professionally registered at ECSA or equivalent		
MINIMUM EXPERIENCE & OTHER REQUIREMENTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 years' experience in innovation, technology transfer and innovation. • At least 2 years' experience in the management of an intellectual property portfolio. • Experienced in the management of an incubator facility. • Experienced in the functioning of Government funding agencies such as TIA and NIPMO 		
DESIRED QUALIFICATION AND/OR EXPERIENCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Doctorate in Engineering or Technology Management or equivalent and professionally registered at ECSA or equivalent. • 10 years' experience in innovation, technology transfer and innovation. • At least 4 years' experience in the management of an intellectual property portfolio. • Experienced in the management of an incubator facility. • Experienced in the functioning of Government funding agencies such as TIA & NIPMO. • Knowledgeable in Act 51/2008 with experience in the management of intellectual property. 		
DIRECT ENQUIRIES TO	• Prof HJ De Jager (hdejager@cut.ac.za) 051 507 3005		

MAIN TASKS

1. Strategic Partnerships and Advancement	2. Promote innovation and technology transfer
3. General Management of the PDTS as a commercial unit for the development of new mechanical products	4. Financial budgeting, control and administration
5. Strategy and Compliance	6. Leadership, Staff & Self Development
7. Management of an incubator facility and CUT Idea Generator	8. Assessment of potential of new proposed projects
9. Overseeing implementation of the IPR Act	

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR APPLICATION

(Kindly ensure that you read and comply before submitting your application)

- Please complete a separate application form for each post.
- The University may decide to consider only completed applications consisting of ALL the documents listed below for selection.
 - A completed and signed CUT application form;
 - A comprehensive Curriculum Vitae;
 - A **certified** copy of a South African identity document or a passport;
 - A complete set of **certified** copies of qualifications (only certified copies of documents are required. Please do NOT submit any original documents); and
 - A **certified** copy of the SAQA accreditation of any qualifications obtained at education institutions outside South Africa.

GENERAL REMARKS

- Candidates will be recruited and appointed in accordance with the Employment Equity and Affirmative Action Programmes of the Central University of Technology, Free State.
- The Central University of Technology, Free State reserves the right to conduct/employ a third party to conduct a background investigation in respect of all short-listed candidates.
- Correspondence will be limited to short listed candidates only.
- The Central University of Technology, Free State reserves the right not to make an appointment in the advertised post and/or to appoint other suitable persons recruited by means other than this advertisement. Appointment, either on a permanent or contract basis, will be negotiated with the successful candidate.
- Application forms are available from the Human Resources section, ZR Mahabane Building, CUT Campus, Bloemfontein or on CUT's website.

- Complete applications, quoting the specific reference number, should reach CUT on or before the closing date via:

By hand:

The Resourcing office, Human Resources
Central University of Technology, Free State
ZR Mahabane building
20 Pres. Brand Street
Bloemfontein

By mail:

The Resourcing Office, Human Resources
Central University of Technology, Free State
ZR Mahabane building
Private Bag X20539
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By e-mail:

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