Hong Kong Shue Yan University

Vacancies (Academic)

The Arts, Culture and Technology (ACT) Programme of the Department of Sociology invites applications for a visiting professorship (4-12 months) within the period July 2025 to August 2026. Rank will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. Candidates should have extensive research and teaching experience at the university level, with a track record of expertise in generative AI and/or metaverse technologies. Candidates will be expected to make contributions to teaching and research in the following broad fields of specialization:
Digital Heritage, Geographic Information System (GIS), Heritage Studies, 3D Modelling, VR/AR, Cultural Computing, Cultural Technology, and Digital Humanities.

The programme in Arts, Culture and Technology seeks to bridge knowledge of arts and culture with digital innovation. It delves into the dynamics of how arts, culture and technology impact society, and vice versa. Faculty of the new programme are expected to take an interdisciplinary approach to teaching and research, and should be adept at navigating the disruptive effects of digital technology in the arts and culture sector and related industries.

Candidates are expected to have extensive experience in teaching and curriculum development, as well as a good track record in research and publication. Faculty members on sabbatical from their home institutions are welcome. Proficiency in English is required, while proficiency in Chinese will be an advantage.

Applications should be sent to recruit_ap@hksyu.edu and include the following:
 (1) cover letter
 (2) application form (Please click here)
 (3) full CV (including list of research projects and publications)
 (4) teaching statement (250 words)
 (5) research statement (250 words)
 (6) two representative publications
 (7) three references to be sent directly from the referees

For further information about the University and the Department of Sociology, please visit https://sociology.hksyu.edu/en. For information on the ACT programme, please visit https://sociology.hksyu.edu/en/act/detail/home. For enquiries, please send email to soc@hksyu.edu.

The Search Committee will begin reviewing applications from 16 June 2025 and continue until 29 August 2025 or when the position is filled. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. Personal data received will be kept confidential and used for recruitment purposes only.