

## JOB DESCRIPTION

POST TITLE: Professor/ Reader in Sociology and Social

**Policy** 

POST NUMBER: T7603

GRADE: Professor/ Reader

RESPONSIBLE TO: Dean of School

LOCATION: School of Social Sciences and Law

JOB PURPOSE: To undertake research and teaching in Social

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## **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

1. To develop a programme of research and scholarly activity in sociology and social policy commensurate with the focus of the Social Futures Institute.

- 2. Provide leadership for the Criminology and Sociology subject group.
- 3. To contribute to the teaching of sociology and social policy at undergraduate and postgraduate levels.
- 3. To contribute to the Criminology and Sociology subject group in both administration and key roles/areas e.g. participation in student recruitment activities.
- 4. To network with external agencies and organisations to promote the research of the School and Institute.
- 5. To generate significant research and enterprise income in accordance with Institute, School and University protocols.
- 6. To raise the profile of the Institute and School through research and consultancy and more general external engagement.
- 7. To enhance the Institute's and School's profiles of research outputs, contributing to the Research Excellence Framework 2020 (UoA 22) and beyond.
- 8. To contribute to postgraduate and research degree supervision as appropriate.
- 9. To participate in the development and promotion of new and existing course provision within the School Social Sciences and Law.

- 10. To undertake such personal development activities as may be identified through the University's staff development scheme and agreed by the Director of the Social Futures Institute and the Dean of School.
- 11. To adhere to the University's Health and Safety Policy and guidelines.
- 12. To promote Equality and Diversity for staff and students.
- 13. To undertake such duties as may arise from changing circumstances and as prescribed by the Dean of the School and by the University.