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Department of Sociology, Maynooth University

Expressions of Interest sought to form a panel of Adjunct Lecturers for Kilkenny campus

Expressions of Interest are sought to be placed on a panel from which we may draw to deliver the First Year Arts programme in Sociology on the Kilkenny Campus. Students who successfully pass the first year transfer to Second Arts on the main campus at Maynooth University.

The Department of Sociology will offer two 7.5 CREDIT modules in Sociology in the academic year 2016-17 (subject to sufficient enrolment numbers). Ms. Stephanie McDermott the Sociology subject leader will deliver one module in the first semester.

We are seeking expressions of interest for the provision of the second semester module SO152K, Sociological Imagination. SO152K Sociological Imagination will introduce the discipline of Sociology through the lens of social class, gender, race, ethnicity and nationhood. The modules taught in Kilkenny will follow the same format and mirror the content of the similarly coded module at MU as far as is practicable. Students at Kilkenny will sit the same examination as students at Maynooth University.

The successful candidates will have to:

- Liaise closely with the First Year lecturing team at Maynooth University on the content of the module to be taught
- Engage in a style of teaching suitable for a relatively small group of students
- Follow the curriculum sufficiently closely so that students will be adequately prepared for assessment.
- Be available to communicate with and support students enrolled on the Kilkenny programme on a weekly basis throughout the second semester.

Expressions of interest should be made in the form of a one page biography and a covering letter outlining your lecturing/teaching experience and academic expertise. Applications should be sent by email on or before **5pm, Thursday, Sept 1, 2016** to mary.corcoran@nuim.ie. Applications will be reviewed by a Departmental committee which reserves the right to hold interviews. Further details on pay and mileage rates are available from the Department office upon request.