An academic position in Speech Therapy: Language, communication and sensory (dys)functions (1 EFT)

The Université catholique de Louvain invites applications for a tenure track or tenured full time position in Speech Therapy: Language, communication and sensory (dys)functions

Teaching
The successful candidate will have teaching assignments in the field of Speech Therapy, in the various study cycles offered by the Faculty of psychology and educational sciences (PSP), and more in particular in the context of the Bachelor and Master programs in Speech Therapy within the School of Speech Therapy (ELOG) as well as a subject within the School of Psychology (EPSY) that is common to both programs.

Research
The successful candidate will carry out research in the field of sensory functions and dysfunctions in relation to (spoken and written) language learning and its disorders, and to the development of suppletive and/or palliative communication systems. These research activities will be developed in collaboration with colleagues from other disciplines (ORL, Ophtalmology, Neuropsychology, Psycholinguistics, Orthopedagogy).
He or She will join the Psychological Sciences Research Institute (IPSY).

Other conditions
To show an experience in speech therapy, notably in the field of neuropsychology or special education.

Practical information
Starting date : 1st of September, 2018

Further information :
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Localization : Humanities Sector
Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences (PSP) (https://uclouvain.be/en/faculties/psp)

General conditions
Tasks : the applicant will
- be responsible for teaching courses at all study levels (i.e. undergraduate and postgraduate), as well as in programmes of continuing education;
- supervise the final diploma research (i.e. theses) of undergraduate and graduate students, as well as Ph.D. theses;
- be involved in (and/or supervise, promote) research programmes;
- contribute to the international visibility of the University through teaching and research excellence;
- be available to ensure, in the long term, different service activities and responsibilities within the University and its entities;
- contribute to activities of the University with a societal impact in the fields of the economy, socio-cultural changes or cooperation with developing countries.
Qualifications: the applicant must have
- a Ph.D. degree in Psychological Sciences (orientation Speech Therapy), or any related discipline;
- significant scientific record with international publications;
- either studied abroad for an extensive period or have had substantial experience outside UCL;
- experience in and the aptitude for teaching at University level;
- capacity to work within a team of teachers and to integrate research findings into teaching;
- creativity and must be open to teaching innovation and interdisciplinarity;
- capacities required to undertake high-level academic research: capacity to raise research fundings, to supervise projects, to animate and lead a research team;
- good knowledge of both spoken and written French and English. If this is not the case, the applicant accept to learn French and/or English in order to be able to teach in French and English within 2 years. Fluency in other languages is an asset.