

Post-doctoral Fellow (Ref: 2401374) Department of Early Childhood Education

Project Title: Bilingual children's reading development

[Appointment Period: 12 months]

The appointee will assist in several projects focusing on reading development among Chinese-English bilingual children. The appointee will be responsible for providing support to the project team led by the principal investigator, Dr. Li Yixun Annie. He/She will assist in and receive training and supervision on (a) coordinating a diverse research team with members at different levels, (b) planning and conducting data collection and analysis, (c) manuscript writing and revisions, and (d) performing any other duties as assigned. The appointee is highly encouraged and will be trained to propose and conduct their line of research related to early reading development. The appointment will be for a period of 12 months, with the possibility of renewal upon mutual agreement. The start date is negotiable, ideally 1 March 2025, or as soon as thereafter.

Applicants should possess a Ph.D. degree in related disciplines, with considerable research experience in child development. They are expected to possess good work ethics, good communication and interpersonal skills, the ability to work independently with initiative and under pressure, a good appreciation of teamwork, a strong sense of responsibility, and proficiency in spoken and written English. International conferencing and publishing experience are desirable. Proficiency in Chinese is an advantage but is not required.

For further enquiries about the post, please contact Dr. Li Yixun Annie at lyixun@eduhk.hk.

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Initial appointment will be made on a fixed-term contract. Fringe benefits include contract-end gratuity, leave, medical and dental benefits.

The University only accepts and considers applications submitted online for this post. Applicants should complete the <u>online application form</u> and upload a full CV on or before **19 December 2024**. Applications which are incomplete or without the required documents may not be considered. Personal data provided by applicants will be used for recruitment and other employment-related purposes. For details of the Personal Information Collection Statement, please refer to http://www.eduhk.hk/jobsopp/index.php?glang=en.

All applications will be treated in strict confidence. Only those who are shortlisted will be contacted. The University reserves the right not to fill the position(s) advertised.

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