**The University of British Columbia**

**Faculty of Education**

**Department of Curriculum & Pedagogy**

**Assistant/Associate Professor in Media & Technology Studies Education**

**(Tenure Stream)**

The Department of Curriculum and Pedagogy in the Faculty of Education at the University of British Columbia (Vancouver Campus) invites applications for a tenure stream faculty position at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor in the field of Media & Technology Studies Education. The appointment is expected to start **July 1, 2017**, or a date agreed upon by the University and the successful candidate.

Scholars with an established record of academic accomplishments consistent with an appointment as an Assistant or Associate Professor at UBC in Media & Technology Studies Education are encouraged to apply. The successful candidate must possess a doctoral degree with a specialization in a relevant field (e.g., technology education, educational technology, STEM). They should demonstrate expertise and a research agenda for media & technology studies and STEM education. Candidates are expected to have a clear plan for research grants and infrastructure funding. Applicants for either the Assistant Professor or the Associate Professor rank must demonstrate a record of high quality publications in peer-reviewed journals, the potential to secure competitive external research funding and the evidence of effective teaching. Applicants for the Associate Professor rank must, in addition, demonstrate a track record of having been awarded competitive external research funding.

The successful candidate will be expected to: 1) teach in undergraduate and graduate programs coordinated by the Department, 2) supervise graduate students enrolled in the Department’s programs, 3) be engaged in sustained and productive scholarly activity, 4) contribute to the scholarly community and service work of the Department, the Faculty of Education and the University, and 5) participate in engagement or outreach within the broader educational community. The candidate is expected to contribute to the Department’s STEM education cluster and provide disciplinary leadership (e.g., educational technology, technology education, or media studies).

The University of British Columbia is located in beautiful Vancouver, a multicultural, multilingual city ranked as one of the world’s best places to live. The University is recognized internationally as a leading research institution and, recently, was ranked as #1 in Canada in the social sciences and humanities by the Higher Education Strategy Associates. The Faculty of Education shares this commitment to research excellence and provides a comprehensive set of programmatic offerings at the baccalaureate, magisterial and doctoral levels. Academic units include the Department of Curriculum and Pedagogy, the Department of Educational and Counselling Psychology, and Special Education, the Department of Educational Studies, the Department of Language and Literacy Education, and the School of Kinesiology. The Faculty is a leader in Indigenous Education and offers additional cross-Faculty initiatives in Early Childhood Education, Educational Technology and Interdisciplinary Studies. For further details about the Faculty and its research, please visit the website at [www.educ.ubc.ca](http://www.educ.ubc.ca).

EDCP offers graduate programs leading to PhD, MA, and MEd degrees in Curriculum Studies, Art, Business, Home Economics, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Science, Social Studies, and Media and Technology Studies. Complementing disciplinary and interdisciplinary graduate studies, EDCP is home to secondary teacher education majors and a rich variety of elementary teacher education courses.Our commitment to diversity and inclusion enriches our local, national and international engagement and reputation. Our research supports the study of curriculum and pedagogy in school, post-secondary, community, and informal learning settings. The Department of Curriculum and Pedagogy is widely known for its research, scholarly excellence, and funding success. Its faculty, staff, and students characterize the Department’s hallmark of quality in all matters of research, teaching, learning and engagement. To learn more, please visit the Department website at<http://edcp.educ.ubc.ca/>.

This position is subject to final budgetary approval. Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience. Review of applications will begin on **November 15, 2016** and will continue until the search is completed.

Interested individuals should send their letter of application, including statements of their potential contributions to Media & Technology Studies Education, a curriculum vitae, teaching philosophy and evidence of teaching effectiveness/excellence, sample publications, and names and contact details of four referees to: **Dr. Samson Nashon**, Professor and Head, Department of Curriculum and Pedagogy, Faculty of Education, The University of British Columbia, 2125 Main Mall, Vancouver, BC, Canada, V6T 1Z4. These materials may be sent electronically to samson.nashon@ubc.ca with cc to anna.ip@ubc.ca.

*The University of British Columbia hires on the basis of merit and is strongly committed to employment equity and diversity within its community. We especially welcome applications from visible minority group members, women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, persons of minority sexual orientations and gender identities, and others with the skills and knowledge to productively engage with diverse communities and who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas. All qualified persons are encouraged to apply; however, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.*