

# Faculty Position in Applied Linguistics / TESOL / Academic Writing

Company:

**KIMEP University**

Location:

**Kazakhstan / Almaty**

Discipline:

**Applied Linguistics / TESOL / Academic Writing**

Employment Type:

**Permanent Full-time**

Posted:

**13/11/2024**

Contact Person:

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KIMEP University

**[College of Human Sciences and Education \(CHE\)](#)**

## **Faculty Position (Open Rank) in Applied Linguistics/TESOL/Academic Writing**

### **Position Summary**

KIMEP University **College of Human Sciences and Education** invites applications for **faculty positions**. The positions are full-time academic appointment to begin in August 2025 with possibility of extension. Responsibilities include teaching, research, scholarly activities, advising, and service. The new faculty will assist in the undergraduate and graduate programs offered by the college, particularly in our BA and MA in TESOL programs as well as General Education and Academic English programs.

We seek talented instructors and innovative scholars who can teach some or all of the following courses: Academic Writing, Teaching Methods, Curriculum Development, Assessment, Psycholinguistics, Pragmatics, Discourse Analysis, etc.

### **Minimum qualifications:**

Expertise is desired in the following areas: Applied Linguistics/TESOL and other relevant areas.

## **Applicants for professorial positions should have:**

- a doctorate degree in the relevant area from an internationally-recognized, accredited university;
- at least 3-5 years of teaching experience in reputable universities;
- prior research publications or clear evidence of research potential;
- Administrative experience in education sector would also be viewed favorably.

For all instructors experience with remote or online course design and teaching is strongly desired. Familiarity with CIS countries or similar international experience is welcome.

ABD's will be considered who meet the position qualifications and include in their application materials a letter from the dissertation chair confirming defense date prior to the position's start date.

## **KIMEP University**

KIMEP University is the leading American-style, internationally-accredited, English-speaking academic institution in the Commonwealth of Independent States. It provides a world-class academic experience and a unique international environment to all its students and faculty members. KIMEP University was established in 1992 and has built a very strong regional reputation as a leading provider of higher education. All graduate and undergraduate programs are accredited by at least one recognized international accreditation agency. Academic programs are regularly rated in the top rank of provision by national bodies.

## **Almaty, Kazakhstan**

The city of Almaty is situated at the base of the majestic Tien Shan Mountains in Southeast Kazakhstan. About 2 million people live in or near Almaty because it is the financial, cultural, summer and winter sports and cosmopolitan capital of Kazakhstan. Kazakhstan is located in the heart of Eurasia with important commercial inroads bridging Asia and Europe. Boasting the Silk Road of the 21<sup>st</sup> century, Kazakhstan offers unique positions in oil and gas, economic development, and trade. Kazakhstan's dynamically changing economic, social, educational and cultural environment provides incredible opportunities for significant and original research.

## **Compensation**

Rank and salary are competitive and commensurate with experience and qualifications. Compensation after tax compares favorably with net salaries in western countries.

Limited on campus housing is available to rent, or alternatively, help is available in finding off campus housing. In addition to salary, a benefit package includes basic healthcare insurance, reduced tuition rates for KIMEP courses, and subsidy for relocation allowance. New faculty members are provided with a reduced teaching schedule during the first semester. Summer paid teaching is typically available.

The salary will be subject to deduction of taxes (10% Personal Income tax in general) as required by the Law of Kazakhstan.

## **Application Process**

Please submit the following documents to KIMEP University **HR portal**:

<https://hr.kimep.kz/en-US/Home/Vacancy/636>

- **Filled and submitted application form**
- **Cover letter that** indicates the position applied, how you meet the minimum and preferred qualifications, course(s) you can teach, and your research activities.
- **Shortlisted candidates are required to submit 2 referees' names/contact details and if you have the recommendation letters.**
- **The teaching evaluation forms for last 2 semesters.**

Address any questions to: [recruitment@kimep.kz](mailto:recruitment@kimep.kz)

**Closing date for submission of applications:** December 31, 2024 (11:59 pm Almaty time).

***Personal data provided by applicants will be kept confidential and used for recruitment purposes only.***

Only shortlisted candidates will be informed and invited for interviews by the CHSE Hiring Committee.

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