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# Background

The U21 Teaching Indicators Framework was developed in response to a perceived need amongst members of the network for a common framework that could be used by institutions to review current HR policies and practices in relation to the appointment and ongoing management of staff who wish to, or have, focused or built their academic careers on the basis of their performance in, and/or contributions through, teaching.

Many institutions within the U21 Network have, or are currently exploring, the creation of "Teaching Focused" academic positions. However, in moving in this direction, institutions have realized that a number of fundamental Human Resource (HR) management issues must be resolved if they, and any staff that they might appoint to such positions, are to benefit from such a move. Central amongst these issues are:

- 1. How would "Teaching Focused (TF)" positions distinguish themselves from traditional "Research and Teaching (RT)" positions?
- 2. What qualifications and experience might we expect of those who are appointed to such positions?
- 3. How might our current approach to recruitment, selection, orientation, induction, performance review, professional and career development, promotion, and recognition and reward of academic staff need to change?
- 4. What indicators, metrics and standards might we use to review and evaluate the performance and contributions of staff appointed to "Teaching Focused" positions? How would these differ from those appointed to "Research and Teaching" positions?
- 5. How can we ensure that the approaches we take and that the standards we set in establishing such roles and reviewing the performance of those appointed to them, are consistent with our peers, locally and globally?

To assist U21 member institutions to address these issues, the U21 Educational Innovation Steering Group established a multi-year strategic project aimed at developing guidelines, resources and support mechanisms that might be used to address these issues. This project included the development of:

- <u>A conceptual framework for teaching</u> that could be used throughout the network as a common basis for reviewing and revising current approaches to the definition, development, practice, evaluation and recognition of teaching in "Teaching Focused" and "Research and Teaching" positions;
- 2. <u>A standards framework for teaching</u> that might be used to review, evaluate and benchmark the teaching performance and contributions of those individuals appointed to "Teaching Focused" and "Research and Teaching" positions; and
- 3. <u>A college of expert peer reviewers of teaching</u> certified members of which might be drawn upon by U21 institutions to provide expert external assessment of applications for promotion, grants, and/or awards based on teaching, using the common conceptual and standards frameworks developed.

The outcomes of the first two parts of this project are contained herein.

# **U21** Conceptual Framework for Teaching

# **The Framework**

The U21 Conceptual Framework for Teaching recognises that those involved in teaching in research intensive universities typically *engage in four key areas or* DIMENSIONS *of teaching related activity*. These are:

# 1. Learning Facilitation

That dimension of teaching that involves <u>engaging, challenging, scaffolding,</u> <u>supporting and providing students with feedback</u> on their learning.

# 2. Educational Design

That dimension of teaching that involves <u>designing</u>, <u>developing & deploying</u> <u>resources</u>, <u>learning activities</u>, <u>support</u>, <u>and assessment tasks within physical and/or</u> <u>digital environments</u> to enable and support learning.

# 3. Reflective Practice

That dimension of teaching that involves the <u>collection & analysis of data to inform</u> <u>ongoing efforts to assure and improve</u> the quality of one's teaching, learning & curricula.

# 4. Scholarly Practice

That dimension of teaching that involves <u>engaging in and with, and/or contributing</u> <u>to,</u> the scholarship of teaching and learning (SOTL) through the <u>dissemination of</u> <u>teaching approaches and/or enhancements</u>.

However, the framework also recognises that those involved in teaching in research intensive institutions typically engage in these four key areas of teaching related activity *in one or more of three different* ROLES, that of the:

# 1. Teacher Practitioner

Whose focus is on the work the individual does in any of these areas of teaching <u>to</u> <u>facilitate and support the learning of their</u> students.

# 2. Teacher Leader

Whose focus is on the work the individual does to *influence and support others to innovate or change* their practice in any of these areas of teaching.

# 3. Teacher Manager

Whose focus is on the work the individual does <u>to create the organisational</u> <u>conditions</u> necessary to enable and support learning and the development of teaching in any of these areas of teaching practice.

The juxtaposition of these *dimensions* and *roles* creates a variety of different ways in which individuals may engage in teaching. See **Figure 1**. The particular combination of *dimensions and roles* that best describes an individual's involvement in teaching at any given time depends on a number of factors including:

- the *nature of their appointment* (e.g., whether they hold a teaching focused, research and teaching, or research focused position)
- their *job description* (e.g., whether their responsibilities are those of a professional instructor/tutor, academic, head of school, dean, or institutional manager)
- the *stage of their career* (e.g., whether they are an early career, mid career, or later career teacher)

|                          |  |   | Teaching Role  |  |
|--------------------------|--|---|--|--|
| Dimension of Teaching    |  | Practitioner<br>(Do)<br>Focus on the work the<br>individual does in any of<br>these areas of teaching <u>to</u><br>facilitate and support the<br>learning of their students | Leader<br>(Influence Develop)<br>Focus on the work the<br>individual does to influence<br>and support others to<br>innovate or change their<br>practice in any of these areas<br>of teaching | Manager<br>(Enable)<br>Focus on the work the<br>individual does <u>to create the</u><br><u>organisational conditions</u><br>necessary to enable and<br>support learning and the<br>development of teaching in<br>any of these areas of<br>teaching practice. |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | That dimension of teaching that<br>involves <u>engaging, challenging,</u><br><u>scaffolding, supporting and</u><br><u>providing students with feedback</u><br>on their learning  | 1   | 2  | 3  |
| Educational<br>Design    | That dimension of teaching that<br>involves <u>designing</u> , <u>developing &amp;</u><br><u>deploying resources</u> , <u>learning</u><br><u>activities</u> , <u>support</u> , and <u>assessment</u><br><u>tasks within physical and/or digital</u><br><u>environments</u> to enable and<br>support learning | 4   | 5  | 6  |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | That dimension of teaching that<br>involves the <u>collection &amp; analysis</u><br><u>of data to inform ongoing efforts</u><br><u>to assure and improve</u> the quality<br>of one's teaching, learning &<br>curricula.  | 7   | 8  | 9  |
| Scholarly<br>Practice    | That dimension of teaching that<br>involves <u>engaging in and with,</u><br><u>and/or contributing to, the</u><br>scholarship of learning and<br>teaching through the<br><u>dissemination of teaching</u><br><u>approaches and /or enhancements</u>  | 10  | 11   | 12   |

Figure 1: U21 Conceptual Framework for Teaching

The framework is not meant to be prescriptive. It is not meant to imply that all those involved in teaching must "tick all the boxes" at all times to be considered to be performing satisfactorily. Rather, the framework should be used and interpreted flexibly, to reflect the particular context, circumstances and responsibilities an individual holds in relation to teaching at any *particular* time. Thus, each individual's "teaching profile" will:

- Be different, reflecting their own unique particular context and circumstances, and
- Change throughout their career as their teaching responsibilities evolve.

The framework should be seen as providing policy makers, administrators and teachers with a common language and set of constructs for describing teaching, that can be used to facilitate meaningful and effective discussions about teaching and how one contributes to it.

# Examples of how the framework might be applied to different individuals

The following six examples illustrate how the U21 Conceptual Framework for Teaching can be used to articulate the different contributions that might be expected of individuals on different types of appointment, with different job descriptions (or responsibilities), and at different stages of their career.

# Early Career Academic – Tenure Track for a Research and Teaching (RT) Position

Such an individual might be expected to:

- Engage in three of the four dimensions of teaching (learning facilitation, educational design, and reflective practice) as a *teacher practitioner*.
- Focus their teaching on maximising the quality and effectiveness of:
  - their students' learning
  - their own development as a teacher practitioner.
- Develop familiarity with best practice approaches to teaching within their discipline and teaching context(s).
- *Align their teaching practices* (learning facilitation, educational design and reflective practice) *with these approaches*.
- Use knowledge of developments in their discipline/profession to support ongoing review and development of the content, foci and purposes of the subjects they teach.

# Early Career Academic – Tenure Track for a Teaching Focused (TF) Position

Such an individual might be expected to:

- *Engage in all four* dimensions of teaching (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly practice) as a teacher practitioner.
- Focus their teaching on maximising the quality and effectiveness of:
  - their students' learning.
  - their development as a teacher practitioner, teacher leader AND teacher manager.
- Develop and maintain familiarity with research-based approaches to teaching within their discipline/profession and teaching context(s).
- Align their practice as a teacher practitioner, teacher leader and teacher manager with these approaches.
- Support and influence the development of learning and teaching within their own classes and amongst those teaching in the same subjects and programs.
- Begin developing the capacity to engage in critical research and evidence based review, evaluation and development of their teaching.

# Mid-Career Academic – Tenured Research and Teaching (RT) Position - No FPMR (Formal Position of Management Responsibility (FPMR))

Such an individual might be expected to:

- Engage as a teacher practitioner (i.e., in learning facilitation, educational design, and reflective practice) in an effective manner.
- Focus their teaching on maximising the quality and effectiveness of:
  - their *students' learning*
  - their development as a teacher practitioner, teacher leader and teacher manager.
- Develop and maintain their familiarity with research-based approaches to teaching within their own discipline/profession and teaching context(s).
- Align their practice as a teacher practitioner, teacher leader and teacher manager with these approaches.
- Use knowledge of developments in their discipline/profession to support ongoing review and development of the content, foci and purposes of the subjects they teach.

# Mid-Career Academic – Tenured - Teaching Focused (TF) Position - No FPMR (Formal Position of Management Responsibility (FPMR))

Such an individual might be expected to:

- *Exercise leadership in all four dimensions of teaching* (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly practice).
- Focus their leadership and teaching on maximising the quality and effectiveness of:
  - their own and others' students' learning
  - their own *and others'* development as *scholarly*, reflective teacher practitioners, *leaders and managers*.
- Deepen their familiarity with and make contributions to the scholarship of teaching and learning within their own discipline/profession.
- Align their practice as a teacher practitioner, leader and manager with this scholarship.
- *Influence the development of teaching and learning* within and possibly beyond their own *and others' programs, schools, and faculties*.

# Later-Career Academic – Tenured - Teaching Focused (TF) Position - No FPMR (Formal Position of Management Responsibility (FPMR))

Such an individual might be expected to:

- *Exercise leadership in all four dimensions of teaching* (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly practice).
- Focus their leadership and teaching on maximising the quality and effectiveness of:
  - their own and others' students' learning
  - their own and others' development as *scholarly*, reflective teacher practitioners, *leaders and managers*.
- *Maintain a deep familiarity* with the scholarship of learning and teaching within *and beyond their own discipline by actively engaging with and/or contributing to it.*
- Align their practice as a teacher practitioner, leader and manager with this broader scholarship.
- Influence the development of teaching and learning within their own and others' programs, schools, faculties, and/or institutions.

Mid/Later-Career Academic - Tenured - Teaching Focused (TF) Position - FPMR (Formal Position of Management Responsibility (FPMR) e.g. Head of School)

Such an individual might be expected to:

- *Exercise leadership in all four dimensions of teaching* (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly practice).
- Focus their efforts on maximising the quality and effectiveness of:
  - their own and others' students' learning,
  - their own and others' development as teacher practitioners, leaders, and managers
  - their own and others' *educational leadership and management contributions at* the relevant level(s) (subject, program, school, faculty, and /or institution).
- Influence the development of students, staff, and curricula, as well as the organisational conditions (administrative, structural, political and cultural) necessary to enable and support teaching and learning at the relevant level(s) (subject, program, school, faculty, and /or institution) within their own institution.
- Engage in scholarly leadership, management and practice in relation to learning and teaching development by:
  - continuing to broaden their familiarity with the scholarship of learning and teaching by engaging with and possibly contributing to the educational leadership and educational change literatures, and
  - basing their own leadership, management and practice of teaching on the theories, models and advice found in these literatures.

# **U21 Teaching Standards Framework**

# Introduction

Sharing a common understanding of the nature of teaching and of the expectations that might be held in respect to effective performance in teaching by individuals in different roles, in different types of appointment, and at different stages of their career can significantly improve the quality of policy-making and practice in relation to teaching and teaching development. However, to make meaningful and justifiable decisions related to the level or standard of an individual's contribution and performance as a teacher during, say, promotion decisions, it is necessary to apply a set of agreed standards to the evidence that an individual offers in support of their case. But what should these standards be?

The U21 Teaching Standards Framework, developed using the U21 Conceptual Framework for Teaching, has been designed to assist U21 member institutions resolve this issue.

Like the U21 Conceptual Framework for Teaching, the U21 Teaching Standards Framework is not intended to be prescriptive, but rather, to:

- *Provide guidance* to U21 member institutions *as to the standards* that they might adopt in reviewing the performance and contributions of staff involved in teaching,
- Give U21 member institutions confidence that any standards that they may develop that are in accord with this framework, will be consistent with those agreed to by the wider Network as being appropriate, and
- Provide U21 staff with the information they need to more effectively review their own performance and contributions to teaching when preparing for annual performance review discussions, or making decisions about applying for promotion or the direction of their future professional development as a teacher.

An additional benefit to be gained through the adoption of these standards is that they provide the necessary foundations for more effective *benchmarking* and *external peer review* of teaching due to the fact that the *standards are based on an agreed construct of teaching and its associated indicators and evidence of performance in, and contribution through, teaching.* 

# **The Framework**

In accord with the construct of teaching underpinning it, the U21 Teaching Standards Framework (**See Figure 2**) is defined in terms of the three core roles in which individuals engage when teaching – *Teacher Practitioner, Teacher Leader* and *Teacher Manager*.

|                          |  |   | Teaching Role   |   |
|--------------------------|--|---|---|---|
| Dimension of Teaching    |  | Practitioner<br>(Do)<br>Focus on the work the<br>individual does in any of<br>these areas of teaching <u>to</u><br>facilitate and support the<br>learning of their students | Leader<br>(Influence Develop)<br>Focus on the work the<br>individual does <u>to influence</u><br>and support others to<br>innovate or change their<br>practice in any of these areas<br>of teaching | Manager<br>(Enable)<br>Focus on the work the<br>individual does to create the<br>oranisational conditions<br>necessary to enable and<br>support learning and the<br>development of teaching in<br>any of these areas of<br>teaching practice. |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | That dimension of teaching that<br>involves <u>engaging</u> , <u>challenging</u> ,<br><u>scoffolding</u> , <u>supporting and</u><br><u>providing students with feedback</u><br>on their learning   |   | assess Performance<br>aching Roles and in   |   |
| Educational<br>Design    | That dimension of teaching that<br>involves <u>designing</u> , <u>developing &amp;</u><br><u>deploying resources</u> , <u>learning</u><br><u>activities</u> , <u>support</u> , <u>and assessment</u><br><u>tasks within physical and/or digital</u><br><u>environments</u> to enable and<br>support learning | these Dimensions of Teaching are:   |   |   |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | That dimension of teaching that<br>involves the <i>collection &amp; analysis</i><br>of data to inform onaoina efforts<br>to assure and improve the quality<br>of one's teaching, learning &<br>curricula.  |   |   |   |
| Scholarly<br>Practice    | That dimension of teaching that<br>involves <u>engaging in and with,</u><br><u>and/or contributing to, the</u><br>scholarship of learning and<br>teaching through the<br><u>dissemination of teachina</u><br><u>approaches and /or enhancements</u>  | INFLUENCE<br>SUSTAINABILITY   |   |   |

# Figure 2: U21 Teaching Standards Framework

# Indicators

Four different *indicators* are used to assess an individual's *contribution* and *performance* in each of these roles. They are:

- 1. The **ESTEEM** in which the individual is held *by staff and students* in relation to the work they do as a Teacher Practitioner, Teacher Leader, and /or Teacher Manager in each of the four core dimensions of teaching (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly practice).
- the objective measurable *impact* the individual has had on *improving* those things to which teaching, either as a practitioner, leader or manager, is directed improvements in student learning outcomes; student experience /satisfaction of/with learning, teaching, curricula, or the organisational (administrative, technological, physical, social or cultural) conditions in support of same.
- 3. The **INFLUENCE** the individual has on another's thinking, practice or development as a teacher.
- 4. The **SUSTAINABILITY** of the *individual's performance or contribution*.

Summarized below are the questions that need to be asked in relation to each of these indicators when they are used to assess performance and contribution in teaching in each of the three different roles that individuals engage when teaching.

# Indicator 1: ESTEEM

- Is there evidence that the individual is **held in high esteem** for their **performance as a teacher practitioner** (i.e, for their performance and contributions as a learning facilitator, educational designer, reflective and/or scholarly practitioner)?
- Is there evidence that the individual is **held in high esteem** for their **performance as a teacher leader** (i.e., for their performance and contributions in *influencing and supporting others to innovate or change* their practices as a teacher practitioner, leader or manager)?
- Is there evidence that the individual is **held in high esteem** for their **performance** as a **teacher manager** (i.e., for their performance and contributions to creating the organisational conditions necessary to enable and support learning and teaching within the subjects, programs, school, faculties and/or institutions for which they are responsible)?

# **Indicator 2: IMPACT**

- Is there evidence of a **positive measurable impact** of the individual's work as a **teacher practitioner** (i.e, as a learning facilitator, educational designer, reflective practitioner, scholarly practitioner) **on the quality of the curricula** for which he/she is responsible and/or **his/her students' learning outcomes and experiences**?
- Is there evidence of a positive measurable impact of the individual's work as a teacher leader on the thinking and practices of others in their roles as: teacher practitioners (i.e., as learning facilitators, educational designers, reflective and scholarly practitioners); teacher leaders (i.e., as individuals who influence and support others to innovate or change their thinking and practice); and as teacher managers (i.e., as individuals who create the organisational conditions necessary to enable and support learning and teaching)?
- Is there evidence of a **positive measurable impact** of the individual's work as a **teacher manager** (i.e., as someone responsible for creating the organisational conditions necessary to enable and support learning and teaching) *on their own and others' experience of the organizational environment in which they teach and learn*?

# **Indicator 3: INFLUENCE**

- How widely has the individual's work as a teacher practitioner (i.e, as a learning facilitator, educational designer, reflective practitioner, scholarly practitioner) influenced the thinking, practices and development of others? (Within their own: Program? School? Faculty? Institution? Or perhaps more broadly within the discipline, nationally or internationally?)
- How widely has the individual's work as a teacher leader (i.e., as someone who influences and supports others to innovate or change their thinking and practice as a teacher practitioner, leader or manager) influenced the thinking, practices and development of others? (Within their own: Program? School? Faculty? Institution? Or perhaps more broadly within the discipline, nationally or internationally?)
- How widely has the individual's work as a teacher manager (i.e., as someone responsible for creating the organisational conditions necessary to enable and support learning and teaching) influenced the thinking, practices and development of others? (Within their own: Program? School? Faculty? College? Institution? Or perhaps more broadly within the discipline, nationally or internationally?

# **Indicator 4: SUSTAINABILITY**

- Is there evidence that, relative to opportunity and in light of the nature of the appointment(s) that the individual has held, they have maintained a high level of performance and contribution as a teacher practitioner (i.e, as a learning facilitator, educational designer, reflective and scholarly practitioner) over an extended period of time?
- Is there evidence that, relative to opportunity and in light of the nature of the appointment(s) that the individual has held, that they have **maintained a high level** of performance and contribution as a teacher leader (i.e., as someone who influences and supports others to innovate or change their thinking and practice as a teacher practitioner, leader or manager) over an extended period of time?
- Is there evidence that, relative to opportunity and in light of the nature of the appointment(s) that the individual has held, that they have **maintained a high level** of performance and contribution as a teacher manager (i.e., as someone responsible for creating the organisational conditions necessary to enable and support learning and teaching) over a sustained period of time?

# The Standards

In defining standards that can be used for setting expectations or assessing an individual's performance in teaching using these indicators, consideration needs to be given to:

- 1. the *level* of the individual's appointment OR the *level* of the position for which they are seeking promotion,
- 2. the *nature* of the individual's appointment OR the *nature* of the position for which they are seeking promotion AND
- 3. the *scope and scale* of the *esteem, impact, influence* and *sustainability* that the individual *is able to evidence*.

However, significant variation exists amongst U21 institutions in regard to the structures, hierarchies and titles used to describe "Research and Teaching (RT)" and "Teaching Focused (TF)" positions of different academic rank and responsibilities. So, to avoid any confusion that might arise, the U21 Teaching Standards Framework articulates standards for "Research and Teaching (RT)" and "Teaching Focused (TF)" positions in terms of:

1. Five generic levels of appointment/promotion

Level I – Tutor Level II – Lecturer Level III – Assistant Professor Level IV – Associate Professor Level V – Full Professor

2. Two generic types of appointment/promotion

**Type A** - Those that **include formal management responsibilities** for aspects of teaching and learning *beyond* those directly associated with the subjects they teach.

(e.g., Appointments held by those in Formal Positions of Management Responsibility (FPMR) such as Subject Convenor; Program Director; Head of School; Faculty Dean; Institutional Director of Teaching and Learning, or Deputy/Pro Vice Chancellor Teaching and Learning).

**Type B** - Those that **do NOT include formal management responsibilities** for aspects of teaching and learning *beyond* those directly associated with the subjects they teach.

The academic appointment/promotion structure used to define standards of performance in and contribution to teaching in the *U21 Teaching Standards Framework* can therefore be represented as shown in **Figure 3**.

While this structure does not directly reflect any particular institutional or national approach to career progression, it provides a reference point from which individual institutions can review and assess the standards embedded in their own structures.

| Appointment     |         | Level of Appointment / Promotion |               |           |           |   |
|-----------------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|---|
| Туре            | Level I | Level II                         | Level III     | Level IV  | Level V   | Position of<br>Management<br>Responsibility |
| Research        | Tutor   | Lecturer                         | Assistant     | Associate | Full      | Yes   |
| and<br>Teaching |         | Lecturer                         | Professor Pro | Professor | Professor | No  |
| Teaching        | Tutor   | Lookuway                         | Assistant     | Associate | Full      | Yes   |
| Focused         | Tutor   | Lecturer                         | Professor     | Professor | Professor | No  |

# Figure 3: U21 Teaching Standards Framework Academic Appointment/Promotion Structure

NB: 1. Professorial Level Appointments (Levels III, IV, and V) are typically continuing, tenured positions

2. Lecturer Level Appointments (Level II) are typically not tenured or continuing but may be full-time

3. Tutor Level Appointments (Level I) are not tenured, may or may not be continuing, and often part-time

4. Formal Position of Management Responsibility - any position that includes responsibility for managing aspects of teaching and learning beyond those associated with the Subjects/Courses/Modules/Topics for which they are responsible.

The following pages outline the *General* and *Specific* standards of performance and contribution, *in and through teaching*, that are expected of individuals in *Research and Teaching (RT)* and *Teaching Focused (TF)* positions at each of these five levels of appointment/promotion.

Along with each of these *General* and *Specific* standards, a set of *Additional Standards* is articulated at each level to assist with the review and assessment of performance and contributions of individuals as *Teacher Managers* when they hold/seek appointment to a *Formal Position of Management Responsibility (FPMR)* in relation to teaching.

The standards articulated here represent the *MINIMUM level of performance and contribution* that *might be expected* at each *level* by individuals seeking/holding each *type* of appointment.

A **Table of Evidence** indicative of the performance and contribution expected by individuals at each level is included.

For an overview of the *standards* that apply to ALL levels of appointment for both Research and Teaching (RT) and Teaching Focused (TF) positions see **Appendix One**.

# LEVEL I - TUTOR

**LEVEL I - TUTOR appointments are recognized as entry level teaching positions**. As such, the standards articulated here relate to *expectations of performance and contribution once individuals have been appointed to such positions* and *not as standards for appointment*.

### **General Standard**

The individual should be *recognised* and *possibly* ESTEEMED as an <u>EFFECTIVE</u> and **REFLECTIVE** teacher **practitioner**, with **positive IMPACT** and **INFLUENCE** on student **learning** and **experience**, **WITHIN** the **SUBJECTS** they teach.

# **Specific Standards**

#### In Terms of the Key Indicators

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position, working at LEVEL I - TUTOR, should provide evidence of:

- 1. Recognition and **possibly ESTEEM** for being an *EFFECTIVE teacher practitioner* in their *discipline/profession*, in the areas of *learning facilitation* and *reflective practice*.
- 2. Their positive IMPACT on the *learning outcomes* and experiences of their students.
- 3. Their **positive INFLUENCE** on the *approaches to learning* adopted by their students.
- 4. SUSTAINED and regular:
  - *review* and *reflection,* based on *feedback from students* and *peers,* on their *teaching* and *its* **IMPACT** *on their students' learning* and *experience.*
  - *participation* in *PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT* activities focused on *effective facilitation of student learning*.

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 4.

An individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at the LEVEL I - TUTOR, should, *IN ADDITION, provide evidence, from students and peers WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the SUBJECTS* in which they teach, of:

- 5. Recognition and *possibly* ESTEEM for their:
  - capacity to *design* learning activities, assessment tasks, feedback strategies <u>and</u> learning environments that *EFFECTIVELY* scaffold <u>and</u> support student learning.
  - *reflective, EVIDENCE BASED* approach to the *ongoing development* of their *teaching*.
- 6. Their *INFLUENCE* on the *approaches to teaching adopted by their peers* as a result of them sharing their approaches to teaching with others.

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 5.

# Figure 4: Standards Profile for LEVEL I - TUTORS in Research and Teaching (RT) Appointments

|                                    | Research and Teaching (RT) Appointment – LEVEL I - Tutor |                             |   |   |  |  |
|------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Held in<br><b>ESTEEM</b><br>as a : |  | Has had an<br>IMPACT<br>on: | Scope of<br><b>INFLUENCE</b><br>has been: | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |  |  |
|                                    | Learning   | Learning                    | International                             | 7+ years                                  |  |  |
| Practitioner<br>of                 | Facilitation   | Learning                    | National                                  | /+ years                                  |  |  |
|                                    | Educational  | Teaching                    | Regional                                  | 5 to 7 years                              |  |  |
| Leader                             | Design   |                             | Institutional                             |   |  |  |
| 01                                 | Reflective   |                             | Faculty                                   | 3 to 5 years                              |  |  |
|                                    | Practice   | Curriculum                  | School                                    |   |  |  |
| Manager<br>of                      | Scholarly  | Organisational              | Program                                   | Devied of oppointment                     |  |  |
|                                    | Practice   | Environment                 | Subject                                   | Period of appointment                     |  |  |

# Figure 5: Standards Profile for LEVEL I - TUTORS in Teaching Focused (TF) Appointments

|                                    | Teaching Focused (TF) Appointment – LEVEL I - Tutor |                                   |                                    |   |  |  |
|------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Held in<br><b>ESTEEM</b><br>as a : |   | Has had an<br>IMPACT<br>on:       | Scope of<br>INFLUENCE<br>has been: | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |  |  |
|                                    | Learning  | Learning                          | International                      | 7+ years                                  |  |  |
| Practitioner<br>of                 | Facilitation  | Learning                          | National                           | 7+ years                                  |  |  |
|                                    | Educational   | Teaching                          | Regional                           | 5 to 7 years                              |  |  |
| Leader<br>of                       | Design  |                                   | Institutional                      |   |  |  |
| 01                                 | Reflective  | Reflective Curriculum<br>Practice | Faculty                            | 3 to 5 years                              |  |  |
|                                    | Practice  |                                   | School                             |   |  |  |
| Manager<br>of                      | Scholarly   | olarly Organisational             | Program                            | Deried of our cinter out                  |  |  |
|                                    | Practice Environment                                |                                   | Subject                            | Period of appointment                     |  |  |

# In Terms of the Core Teaching Roles

# **Teacher Practitioner Standard**

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at **LEVEL I - TUTOR** should *provide evidence*, from *students* <u>and</u> *peers*, of:

- 1. Recognition for achievement in the *EFFECTIVE deployment* of:
  - Learning activities and resources that engage, challenge, scaffold, and advance student enquiry and learning; and meet required quality standards;
  - Assessment and feedback strategies and learning environments (physical and virtual) that scaffold and support student learning and facilitate and enable student agency;
  - **Evaluation instruments and tools** that support ongoing review <u>and</u> development of their teaching <u>and</u> students' learning experience.
- 2. Engagement in professional development activities to develop the knowledge, skills, and capabilities necessary to EFFECTIVELY deploy
  - Learning programs, activities, and resources;
  - Assessment and feedback strategies;
  - Learning environments;
  - Evaluation instruments and tools to support ongoing review and improvement.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a **Teaching Focused (TF)** position working at **LEVEL I - TUTOR**, should provide evidence of:

- 3. *Recognised* capacity to *design/create* EFFECTIVE:
  - Learning programs, activities, and resources;
  - Assessment and feedback strategies;
  - Learning environments;
  - Evaluation instruments and tools to support ongoing review and improvement.
- 4. **Engagement** in **activities** to develop the *knowledge, skills, and capabilities* to be an **effective educational designer.**

#### **Teacher Leader Standard**

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL I - TUTOR *might provide evidence from peers WITHIN* and *possibly BEYOND* the SUBJECTS in which they teach, of:

1. **CONTRIBUTIONS** to **LEADERSHIP** in the **development of teaching and/or learning** within the **subject(s) in which they teach** – developments that come about through the **sharing of their practice** with others.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a **Teaching Focused (TF)** position working at **LEVEL I - TUTOR**, *might provide evidence* of:

2. Recognised and ESTEEMED capacity to successfully foster and build collaborative

and collegial approaches to the development of teaching within the subject(s) in which they teach - approaches that result in significant and SUSTAINED improvement in student learning outcomes and/or experience.

# Teacher Manager Standard

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL I - TUTOR *should provide evidence* of:

1. Recognition for *creating positive student learning experiences* through *effective MANAGEMENT* <u>and/or</u> *ADMINISTRATION* of the *business processes, resources* <u>and</u> *environments* associated with the *SUBJECTS* they teach.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a **Teaching Focused (TF)** position working at **LEVEL I - TUTOR**, should provide evidence of:

 A capacity to *IMPROVE students' learning experiences* by *contributing ideas to, and support for,* the *on-going improvement* of the administrative <u>and</u> *business processes, resources,* <u>and</u> *environments* associated with *teaching* <u>and</u> *learning* in the *SUBJECTS*\_they teach.

# **Additional Standards**

As individuals appointed at **LEVEL I - TUTOR** are generally not expected to assume formal management responsibilities for aspects of teaching and learning beyond those associated with the individual's own subjects/students, *no additional standards apply*.

Examples of the types of *evidence* that might be provided to enable the assessment of performance and/or contributions through teaching against U21 indicators at **LEVEL I** – **TUTOR** can be found in **Figure 6**.

# Figure 6: Examples of the Type of Evidence to Enable Assessment of Performance and/or Contributions Through Teaching Against U21 Indicators and Standards at LEVEL I – TUTOR

| <b>D</b> : ·             |  | Role                        |                                  |                       |
|--------------------------|--|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Dimension<br>of Teaching | Teacher Practitioner   | Teacher Leader              | Teacher Manager                  | For those in FPMR     |
| <b>RT Positions</b>      | -  |                             |                                  |                       |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | <ul> <li>Data concerning the subjects taught by<br/>the individual (Names, purpose foci, level,<br/>numbers of students enrolled and<br/>examined, teaching role(s) assumed.)</li> <li>Examples of the individual's <i>approach to</i><br/><i>facilitating learning</i> within and beyond<br/>the classroom.</li> <li>Student experience data that speaks to<br/>the <i>effectiveness of these approaches</i> on<br/>facilitating students' learning.</li> <li>Student examination and assessment<br/>results <i>benchmarked</i> against other<br/>cohorts.</li> <li>Peer/mentor/supervisor reports on the<br/><i>quality, appropriateness, and</i><br/><i>effectiveness</i> of the individual's efforts to<br/>facilitate learning</li> <li>Unsolicited testimonials from students or<br/>peers.</li> </ul> |                             |                                  |                       |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Samples of the learning activities and resources, assessment tasks and feedback mechanisms, and learning environments <i>deployed by the individual</i>.</li> <li>Student experience data that speaks to the effectiveness of these in supporting student learning.</li> </ul>  |                             |                                  |                       |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the individual has<br/>improved their approach to facilitating<br/>learning through critical reflection on<br/>feedback from students and peers.</li> </ul>   |                             |                                  |                       |
| Scholarly<br>Practice    | <ul> <li>Examples of participation in professional<br/>learning activities to <i>share, examine and</i><br/><i>critique</i> the thinking that underpins their<br/>approach to learning facilitation and<br/>reflective practice.</li> </ul>  |                             |                                  |                       |
| TF Positions (In a       | ddition to the evidence described above a  | n individual in a TF positi | ion <i>might</i> also provide th | e following evidence) |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | As for RT positions  |                             |                                  |                       |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Samples of learning activities and<br/>resources, assessment tasks, feedback<br/>mechanisms and/or learning<br/>environments <i>designed by the individual</i></li> <li>Expert peer assessments of the quality of<br/>these designs</li> </ul>  |                             |                                  |                       |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the individual has<br/>improved the quality of learning activities<br/>and resources, assessment tasks,<br/>feedback mechanisms and/or learning<br/>environments that they use, through<br/><i>critical reflection on feedback</i> from<br/>students and peers.</li> </ul>  |                             |                                  |                       |
| Scholarly<br>Practice    | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's participation<br/>in professional learning activities<br/>designed to develop their capability as an<br/><i>independent designer</i> of learning<br/>activities, resources, assessment tasks,<br/>and feedback mechanisms that<br/>effectively facilitate and support<br/>students' learning.</li> </ul>   |                             |                                  |                       |

# LEVEL II - LECTURER

The standards articulated here relate to the *expectations of performance and contribution through teaching* that individuals *seeking promotion to, or holding, a* LEVEL II – LECTURER *appointment should be able to demonstrate*.

### **General Standard**

The individual should be *recognised* and **ESTEEMED** as an <u>EFFECTIVE</u> and <u>REFLECTIVE</u> teacher practitioner, leader and manager, with positive SUSTAINED IMPACT and INFLUENCE on student learning and experience, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the SUBJECTS they teach.

# **Specific Standards**

# In Terms of the Key Indicators

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position, working at LEVEL II – LECTURER, should *provide evidence* from their *STUDENTS* and *PEERS* of:

- 1. Recognition and **ESTEEM** for being an *EFFECTIVE teacher practitioner* in their *discipline/profession,* in the areas of *learning facilitation, educational design,* and *reflective practice.*
- 2. Their positive **IMPACT** on the *learning outcomes* and *experiences* of *students* and on the *continuing development* of:
  - learning activities
  - assessment and feedback strategies
  - learning environments

deployed and utilized WITHIN the SUBJECT(S) for which they are responsible.

- 3. Their positive INFLUENCE on their students' approaches to learning.
- 4. **SUSTAINED** performance as an *EFFECTIVE teacher practitioner* in the areas of *learning facilitation, educational design, and reflective practice* for *at least 3 years.*

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 7.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at LEVEL II – LECTURER, should provide evidence, *from WITHIN* and *possibly BEYOND* the *PROGRAMS* in which they teach, of:

- 5. Recognition and **ESTEEM** from peers for their *engagement with*, *understanding and use of*, the *scholarship of teaching and learning* in their discipline/ profession, in *exercising their roles* as *teacher practitioner*, *leader* and *manager*.
- 6. The positive IMPACT and INFLUENCE of their KNOWLEDGE of the scholarship of teaching and learning on the design, development and adoption of research or evidence-based approaches to educational design, learning facilitation, and review/evaluation of learning/ teaching/curricula WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the SUBJECTS they teach.

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 8.

# Figure 7: Standards Profile for a LEVEL II – LECTURER in a Research and Teaching (RT) Appointment

|                    | Research and Teaching (RT) Appointment – LEVEL II - Lecturer |                             |                                    |   |  |  |
|--------------------|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| EST                | d in<br>EEM<br>a :   | Has had an<br>IMPACT<br>on: | Scope of<br>INFLUENCE<br>has been: | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |  |  |
|                    | Learning   | Learning                    | International                      | 71 years                                  |  |  |
| Practitioner<br>of | Practitioner Facilitation of                                 | Learning                    | National                           | 7+ years                                  |  |  |
|                    | Educational  | Teaching                    | Regional                           | 5 to 7 years                              |  |  |
| Leader<br>of       | Design   |                             | Institutional                      |   |  |  |
|                    | Reflective   | Curriculum                  | Faculty                            | 3 to 5 years                              |  |  |
| P                  | Practice   | Practice                    | School                             |   |  |  |
| Manager<br>of      | Scholarly  | ,                           | Program                            |   |  |  |
|                    | Practice   |                             | Subject                            | Period of appointment                     |  |  |

# Figure 8: Standards Profile for a LEVEL II – LECTURER in a Teaching Focused (TF) Appointment

|                    | Teaching Focused (TF) Appointment – LEVEL II - Lecturer |                             |                                    |   |              |  |
|--------------------|---|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| EST                | d in<br>EEM<br>a :                                      | Has had an<br>IMPACT<br>on: | Scope of<br>INFLUENCE<br>has been: | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |              |  |
|                    | Learning  | Loorning                    | International                      | 7+ years                                  |              |  |
| Practitioner<br>of | Facilitation  | Learning                    | National                           | 77 years                                  |              |  |
|                    | Educational   | Teaching                    | Regional                           | 5 to 7 years                              |              |  |
| Leader<br>of       | Design  |                             | Institutional                      |   |              |  |
|                    | Reflective<br>Practice                                  |                             | Curriculum                         | Faculty                                   | 3 to 5 years |  |
|                    |   | Currentum                   | School                             |   |              |  |
| Manager<br>of      | Scholarly   | ' Urganisational I          | Program                            | Danied of annoistee ant                   |              |  |
|                    | Practice  | Environment                 | Subject                            | <ul> <li>Period of appointment</li> </ul> |              |  |

# In Terms of the Core Teaching Roles

# **Teacher Practitioner Standard**

An individual in a **Research and Teaching (RT)** position working at **LEVEL II – LECTURER** should provide evidence from **students** and **peers** of:

- 1. *Recognition* and **ESTEEM** for **SUSTAINED** achievement in the effective deployment of:
  - Learning programs, activities and resources that engage, challenge, scaffold, and advance student enquiry and learning; and meet required quality standards.
  - Assessment and feedback strategies and learning environments (physical and virtual) that scaffold and support student learning and facilitate and enable student agency.
  - **Evaluation instruments** and **tools** that support ongoing review <u>and</u> improvement of student learning experience, teaching strategies, curricula, <u>and</u> the organisational environments in which learning and teaching occur.
- 2. A *developing familiarity* with *the scholarly, research based thinking* that underpins *current approaches to the design, development* <u>and</u> *deployment* of:
  - Learning programs, activities, and resources;
  - Assessment and feedback strategies;
  - Learning environments;
  - Evaluation instruments and tools to support ongoing review and improvement.
- 3. **Engagement** in **professional development activities designed** to develop their **capabilities** as a**n effective, reflective teacher PRACTITIONER**.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a **Teaching Focused (TF)** position working at **LEVEL II – LECTURER**, *should provide evidence* of:

- 4. SUSTAINED achievement in the design and development of EFFECTIVE:
  - Learning programs, activities, and resources;
  - Assessment and feedback strategies;
  - Learning environments;
  - Evaluation instruments and tools to support ongoing review and improvement.
- 5. **Engagement** in **professional learning activities designed** to <u>develop</u> their **capabilities** as a**n effective, reflective teacher LEADER** and **MANAGER**

# Teacher Leader Standard

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL II – LECTURER *might provide evidence* of:

- 1. Recognition and *possibly* ESTEEM for SUSTAINED CONTRIBUTION to LEADERSHIP in:
  - ongoing critical review of the currency of the purposes, foci and content of the SUBJECTS they teach, in light of developments in their discipline/ profession

- the design, development, delivery and review of professional development activities to develop and/or maintain their colleagues' awareness of the implications of developments in their discipline/profession for the future development of the SUBJECTS in which they teach.
- 2. Their INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the *evolution of the content, foci* and *purposes* of the *SUBJECTS in which they teach*.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a **Teaching Focused (TF)** position working at **LEVEL II – LECTURER**, *should provide evidence* of:

- 3. Recognition <u>and</u> **possibly ESTEEM** for **CONTRIBUTIONS** to **LEADERSHIP WITHIN** <u>and</u> **possibly BEYOND** the **PROGRAMS** in which they teach, in:
  - evidence-based review, (re)design <u>and</u> (re)development of learning and teaching designs, activities, resources and environments to align with advances in the discipline/profession
  - **fostering and building** collaborative and collegial approaches to **educational innovation** <u>and</u> **change**
  - **realising SUSTAINED improvement** in *learning, teaching, curricula,* and/or *the organizational conditions* that enable and support such activities.
  - the **design** and **delivery** of **professional development activities** designed to improve the *knowledge, skills,* and *capabilities* of individuals as *effective, reflective* teacher *practitioners, leaders* and *managers.*

# Teacher Manager Standard

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL II – LECTURER *should provide evidence* of:

 Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for SUSTAINED contributions to positive student learning experiences through effective MANAGEMENT and/or ADMINISTRATION of the business processes, resources and environments associated with the SUBJECTS they teach.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a **Teaching Focused (TF)** position working at **LEVEL II – LECTURER**, *should provide evidence* of:

 Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for SUSTAINED IMPROVEMENT of students' learning experiences by LEADING and MANAGING the development and on-going improvement of the administrative and business processes, resources, and environments associated with teaching and learning in the SUBJECTS and PROGRAMS in which they teach.

# **Additional Standards**

As individuals appointed at **LEVEL II - LECTURER** are generally not expected to assume formal management responsibilities for aspects of teaching and learning beyond those associated with the individual's own programs/subjects/ students, *no additional standards apply*.

# Figure 9: Examples of the Types of Evidence that Could be used to Enable Assessment of Performance and/or Contributions Through Teaching Against U21 Indicators at LEVEL II – LECTURER

|                          | Role  |   |   |                   |
|--------------------------|---|---|---|-------------------|
| Dimension<br>of Teaching | Teacher Practitioner  | Teacher Leader  | Teacher Manager   | For those in FPMR |
| RT Positions             |   |   |   |                   |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | <ul> <li>At least 3 years:</li> <li>Data concerning the subjects taught by the individual (Names, purpose foci, level, numbers of students enrolled and examined, teaching role(s) assumed.)</li> <li>Examples of the individual's approach to facilitating learning within and beyond the classroom.</li> <li>Student experience data that speaks to the effectiveness of these approaches in facilitating their students' learning.</li> <li>Student examination and assessment results benchmarked against other cohorts.</li> <li>Peer/mentor/supervisor reports on the quality, appropriateness, and effectiveness of the individual's efforts to facilitate learning</li> <li>Prizes, awards and/or testimonials from students or peers for the quality and effectiveness of their approaches to the facilitation of learning.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of changes to the ways in which the individual facilitates learning in light of changes made to the purposes, foci and content of the subjects they teach, due to developments in their discipline/profession.</li> <li>Reports/comments from expert peer reviewers in relation to these changes.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Clear, timely accessible<br/>information for prospective<br/>students to assist decision-<br/>making regarding enrolment<br/>in the subjects the individual<br/>teaches.</li> <li>Clear, timely accessible<br/>subject outlines/guides that<br/>provide students with<br/>information about the<br/>purpose, foci, content,<br/>learning activities, resources<br/>environments, assessment,<br/>and schedules for the<br/>subjects they teach.</li> <li>Data concerning the ways in<br/>which the individual<br/>manages their availability<br/>to support student learning<br/>out of classroom times.</li> <li>Evidence of the provision of<br/>feedback to students in a<br/>manner that enables them<br/>to learn from it prior to<br/>them having to engage in or<br/>complete high stakes<br/>assessment tasks.</li> <li>Evidence of timely<br/>submission of all census,<br/>assessment, examination<br/>and other required data by<br/>designated dates.</li> </ul> |                   |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Samples of learning<br/>activities and resources,<br/>assessment tasks and<br/>feedback mechanisms,<br/>learning environments<br/>designed, developed and<br/>deployed by the individual.</li> <li>Student experience data<br/>that speaks to the: (a)<br/>effectiveness of these in<br/>supporting their learning;<br/>(b) the influence of these<br/>on the approach that they<br/>take to learning.</li> <li>Expert pedagogical peer<br/>assessments of the quality<br/>and appropriateness of<br/>these designs</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of collaborations<br/>with peers to review and<br/>revise the educational<br/>designs of the subjects they<br/>teach in light of<br/>developments in their<br/>discipline/ profession</li> <li>Examples of new or revised<br/>educational resources (e.g.,<br/>text books, simulations)<br/>and/or learning<br/>environments (physical or<br/>virtual) developed by the<br/>individual, or in<br/>collaboration with peers, in<br/>light of developments in<br/>their discipline/ profession</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's management of the scheduling, development, maintenance and/or deployment of the learning resources (e.g., reading lists, simulations, case studies, equipment, technology) and environments (physical and virtual - rooms, VLEs) that they employ in their subjects.</li> <li>Student experience data</li> <li>Testimonials from peers and expert subject assessors</li> <li>External quality verification reports</li> </ul>   |                   |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has <i>improved</i><br/><i>their</i> approach to<br/><i>facilitating learning</i><br/><i>through reflection on</i><br/><i>feedback</i> from their<br/>students and peers.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of the changes<br/>made to the content, foci<br/>and purpose of the subjects<br/>they teach, in light of their<br/>ongoing analysis of<br/>developments in their<br/>discipline/profession</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's<br/>approach to management of<br/>the business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>student and peer review<br/>processes associated with<br/>the subjects they teach.</li> </ul>   |                   |
| Scholarly<br>Practice    | <ul> <li>Examples of participation in<br/>professional learning<br/>activities to share, examine<br/>and critique the thinking<br/>that underpins their<br/>approach to learning<br/>facilitation and reflective<br/>practice.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of activities<br/>initiated by the individual<br/>that engage others in critical<br/>review of the currency of the<br/>purposes, foci and content<br/>of the subjects they teach, in<br/>light of developments in<br/>their discipline/ profession</li> </ul>   | • Examples of how the<br>individual has managed the<br>development, scheduling<br>and running of professional<br>learning activities of the<br>type described for staff<br>associated with the subjects<br>they teach.  |                   |

| TF Positions (II         | n addition to the evidence des   | cribed above an individual in a   | a TF position <i>might</i> also provide the following evidence)   |
|--------------------------|--|---|---|
| Learning<br>Facilitation | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has based their<br/>approach to the <i>facilitation</i><br/>of student learning on<br/>scholarly, evidence-based<br/>research.</li> <li>Data showing sustained<br/>improvement in student<br/>feedback, learning<br/>outcomes, attrition and<br/>progression rates as a result<br/>of adopting scholarly,<br/>evidence based approaches<br/>to the <i>facilitation of student</i><br/><i>learning</i>.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has influenced<br/>changes in the way others<br/>within and possibly beyond<br/>the programs in which they<br/>teach approach the<br/>facilitation of student<br/>learning.</li> <li>Testimonials from others<br/>who have changed their<br/>practices as a learning<br/>facilitator as a result of the<br/>individual's influence.</li> <li>School/Faculty/Institution<br/>prizes or awards for leading<br/>such change.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual<br/><i>initiating and engaging</i><br/>their peers in ongoing<br/>processes to <i>review, and</i><br/><i>where necessary advocate</i><br/><i>for more effective, business/</i><br/><i>administrative processes for</i><br/><i>facilitating learning</i> in the<br/><i>subjects</i> they teach</li> <li>Examples of <i>improvements</i><br/><i>to business/administrative</i><br/>processes associated with<br/><i>facilitating learning,</i><br/>managed by the individual</li> <li>Data on the impact of these<br/>changes.</li> </ul>                                 |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has based their<br/>approach to <i>educational</i><br/><i>design</i> on scholarly,<br/>evidence-based, research.</li> <li>Data showing <i>sustained</i><br/><i>improvement</i> in student<br/>feedback, learning<br/>outcomes, attrition and<br/>progression rates as a result<br/>of adopting scholarly,<br/>evidence based approaches<br/>to <i>Educational Design</i>.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has influenced<br/>changes in the way others<br/>within and possibly beyond<br/>the programs in which they<br/>teach approach the<br/>facilitation of student<br/>learning.</li> <li>Testimonials from others<br/>have changed their practices<br/>as educational designers as<br/>a result of the individual's<br/>influence.</li> <li>School/Faculty/Institution<br/>prizes or awards for leading<br/>such change</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual<br/>initiating &amp; engaging their<br/>peers in ongoing processes<br/>to review, and where<br/>necessary advocate for<br/>more effective, business/<br/>administrative processes in<br/>educational (re)design in<br/>the subjects they teach</li> <li>Examples of the changes to<br/>business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>educational (re)design,<br/>managed by the individual</li> <li>Data on the impact of these<br/>changes.</li> </ul>   |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has based their<br/>approach to the review and<br/>improvement of the quality<br/>and effectiveness of the<br/>ways in which they engage<br/>in the facilitation of<br/>learning and educational<br/>design, on scholarly,<br/>evidence-based, research.</li> <li>Data showing sustained<br/>improvement in student<br/>feedback, learning<br/>outcomes, attrition and<br/>progression rates as a result<br/>of adopting scholarly,<br/>evidence based approaches<br/>to Reflective Practice.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has influenced<br/>others within and possibly<br/>beyond the programs in<br/>which they teach to adopt a<br/>scholarly, evidence based<br/>approach to the review and<br/>improvement of the quality<br/>and effectiveness of the<br/>ways in which they engage<br/>in the facilitation of learning<br/>and educational design.</li> <li>Testimonials from others<br/>who have changed their<br/>approach to reflective<br/>practice as a result of the<br/>individual's influence.</li> <li>School/Faculty/Institution<br/>prizes or awards for leading<br/>such change</li> </ul>                                 | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual<br/>initiating &amp; engaging their<br/>peers in ongoing processes<br/>to review, and where<br/>necessary advocate for<br/>more effective, business/<br/>administrative processes to<br/>support the critical reflection<br/>necessary to improve<br/>learning facilitation and<br/>educational design in the<br/>subjects they teach</li> <li>Examples of changes to<br/>business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>the processes of reflective<br/>practice, managed by the<br/>individual</li> <li>Data on the impact of these<br/>changes</li> </ul> |
| Scholarly<br>Practice    | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has engaged<br/>with the scholarship of<br/>teaching and learning as<br/>part of their ongoing<br/>professional development<br/>to improve their capability<br/>as an teacher practitioner.</li> <li>Enrolment in formal<br/>programs and courses (e.g.,<br/>Beginning to Teach;<br/>Foundations in Teaching &amp;<br/>Learning; Graduate<br/>Certificates in University<br/>Teaching programs,)</li> <li>Participation in reading<br/>groups with a focus on SOTL</li> <li>Scholarly contributions to<br/>meetings and conferences</li> <li>Prizes, awards, testimonials<br/>for scholarly practices in<br/>relation to teaching and<br/>learning.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has engaged with<br/>the scholarship of teaching<br/>and learning as part of their<br/>ongoing professional<br/>development to improve<br/>their capability as an<br/>teacher leader</li> <li>Examples of contributions<br/>the individual has made to<br/>the design, development<br/>and/or delivery of<br/>professional development<br/>programs/activities/<br/>services to improve the<br/>knowledge, skills, and<br/>capabilities of others within<br/>and possibly beyond the<br/>programs in which they<br/>teach, as effective, reflective<br/>teacher practitioners,<br/>leaders and managers.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>changes</li> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has engaged with<br/>the scholarship of teaching<br/>and learning as part of their<br/>ongoing professional<br/>development to improve<br/>their capability as an<br/>teacher manager.</li> <li>Examples of changes the<br/>individual has made to the<br/>management of the<br/>business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>the subjects and possibly<br/>programs in which they<br/>teach on the basis of their<br/>engagement with and<br/>understanding of the<br/>scholarship of teaching and<br/>learning.</li> </ul>      |

# LEVEL III - ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

The standards articulated here relate to the *expectations of performance and contributions through teaching* that individuals *seeking promotion to or holding a* LEVEL III – ASSISTANT **PROFESSOR** *appointment should be able to demonstrate*.

### **General Standard**

The individual should be *recognised* and **ESTEEMED** as an *EFFECTIVE*, *SCHOLARLY*, and *REFLECTIVE* teacher practitioner, leader and manager, with positive SUSTAINED IMPACT and INFLUENCE on teaching and learning, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the PROGRAM(S) in which they teach.

# **Specific Standards**

# In Terms of the Key Indicators

An individual in a **Research and Teaching (RT)** position, working at **LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR,** should **provide evidence** from **STUDENTS** <u>and</u> **PEERS** from **WITHIN** the **PROGRAM(S)** in which they teach of:

- 1. Recognition and **ESTEEM** for being an *EFFECTIVE, scholarly,* and *reflective, teacher practitioner, leader,* and *manager* in their *discipline/profession.*
- 2. Their positive **IMPACT** on the *learning outcomes* and *experiences* of *students and on* the *quality* of the:
  - learning activities
  - assessment and feedback strategies
  - learning environments

deployed and utilized **WITHIN** the **PROGRAM(S)** in which they teach.

- 3. Their positive **INFLUENCE** on *students' approaches to learning*.
- 4. **SUSTAINED** performance in *ALL FOUR core dimensions of teaching* (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly teaching) for **at least 3 to 5** years.

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 10.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, should *provide evidence, from WITHIN* and *possibly BEYOND* their SCHOOL, of:

- 1. Recognition and **ESTEEM** from peers for their **SUBSTANTIAL engagement with**, **understanding of** <u>and</u> **developing capacity for contribution to**, the scholarship of teaching and learning **WITHIN** the *area of their disciplinary/ professional expertise*.
- The positive IMPACT <u>and</u> INFLUENCE of their LEADERSHIP on the design, development, dissemination and adoption of INNOVATIVE approaches to educational design, learning facilitation, and the review/evaluation of learning/teaching/curricula, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their SCHOOL, for a period of at least 2 years.

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 11.

# Figure 10: Standards Profile for a LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR in a Research and Teaching (RT) Appointment

| Research and Teaching (RT) Appointment – LEVEL III – Assistant Professor |              |   |   |   |  |
|--|--------------|---|---|---|--|
| Held in<br><b>ESTEEM</b><br>as a :                                       |              | Has had an<br>IMPACT<br>on:             | Scope of<br><b>INFLUENCE</b><br>has been: | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |  |
| <b>D</b>   | Learning     | Learning                                | International                             | 7+ years                                  |  |
| Practitioner<br>of   | Facilitation | Learning                                | National                                  | 7+ years                                  |  |
|  | Educational  | Teaching                                | Regional                                  | 5 to 7 years                              |  |
| Leader<br>of   | Design       |   | Institutional                             |   |  |
| 01   | Reflective   | Curriculum                              | Faculty                                   | 3 to 5 years                              |  |
|  | Practice     | Curriculum                              | School                                    |   |  |
| Manager<br>of  | Scholarly    | , | Program                                   |   |  |
|  | Practice     |   | Subject                                   | Period of appointment                     |  |

# Figure 11: Standards Profile for a LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR in a Teaching Focused (TF) Appointment

| Teaching Focused (TF) Appointment – LEVEL III – Assistant Professor |   |                               |                                    |   |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Held in<br><b>ESTEEM</b><br>as a :                                  |   | Has had an<br>IMPACT<br>on:   | Scope of<br>INFLUENCE<br>has been: | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |  |  |  |  |
| Practitioner<br>of  | Learning<br>Facilitation                                    | Learning                      | International                      | 7+ years                                  |  |  |  |  |
|   |   |                               | National                           |   |  |  |  |  |
| Leader<br>of  | Educational<br>Design                                       | Teaching                      | Regional                           | 5 to 7 years                              |  |  |  |  |
|   |   |                               | Institutional                      |   |  |  |  |  |
|   | Reflective  | Curriculum                    | Faculty                            | 3 to 5 years                              |  |  |  |  |
| Manager<br>of   | Practice  | Curriculum                    | School                             |   |  |  |  |  |
|   | Scholarly<br>Practice<br>(With<br>Contributions to<br>SOTL) | Organisational<br>Environment | Program                            | Period of appointment                     |  |  |  |  |
|   |   |                               | Subject                            |   |  |  |  |  |

# In Terms of the Core Teaching Roles

# **Teacher Practitioner Standard:**

An individual in a **Research and Teaching (RT)** position working at **LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR** should **provide evidence** from **students** and **peers** in the **discipline/ profession** in which they work of:

- 1. *Recognition* and **ESTEEM** *for* **SUSTAINED** *excellence* in the *design, development* and *deployment* of:
  - Learning programs, activities and resources that respond to changing priorities; engage, challenge, scaffold, and advance student enquiry and learning; and meet required quality standards.
  - Assessment and feedback strategies and learning environments (physical and virtual) that scaffold and support student learning and facilitate and enable student agency.
  - **Evaluation instruments** and **tools** that support ongoing review <u>and</u> improvement of student learning experience, teaching strategies, curricula, <u>and</u> the organisational environments in which learning and teaching occur.
- 2. *Familiarity* with <u>and</u> *use* of the *scholarly research based thinking* that underpins *current approaches to* the *design, development* <u>and</u> *deployment* of:
  - Learning programs, activities, and resources;
  - Assessment and feedback strategies;
  - Learning environments;
  - Evaluation instruments and tools to support ongoing review and improvement.
- 3. SUSTAINED *engagement* in *professional development activities designed* to develop their *capabilities* as a *scholarly, reflective teacher PRACTITIONER*.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, *should provide evidence* from *WITHIN* <u>and</u> *possibly BEYOND* their *SCHOOL* of:

- 4. A *capacity for* ESTEEMED *contributions* to *scholarly debate* <u>and/or</u> *literature* related to the design, development, and review of teaching, learning, curricula and the organisational environments that support learning and teaching.
- 5. SUSTAINED *engagement* in *professional development activities* designed to <u>develop</u> their *capabilities* as a *scholarly, reflective teacher LEADER* and *MANAGER*.

# **Teacher Leader Standard:**

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL III – ASSISTANT **PROFESSOR** *should provide evidence* from *WITHIN* their *PROGRAM*, *discipline* <u>and/or</u> *profession* of:

1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED LEADERSHIP in engaging others in the:

- ongoing critical review of the currency of the purposes, foci and content of the educational PROGRAMS and services in which they teach, in light of developments in their discipline/profession
- *design, development, delivery* and *review* of *professional development activities* to *develop* and/or maintain their colleagues' awareness of the *implications* of *developments in their discipline/profession* for the *future development* of *educational PROGRAMS* and *services in which they teach.*
- 2. Their **INFLUENCE** and **IMPACT** on the *evolution of the content, foci* and *purposes* of the *educational PROGRAMs* and *services in which they teach*.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at *LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, should provide evidence* of:

- Recognition and ESTEEM for LEADERSHIP WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their SCHOOL in:
  - scholarly, research- and evidence-based review, (re)design <u>and/or</u> (re)development of learning and teaching designs, activities, resources and environments to align with advances in the discipline/profession.
  - **fostering and building** collaborative and collegial approaches to **educational innovation** <u>and</u> **change**
  - **realising SUSTAINED improvement** in *learning, teaching, curricula,* and/or *the organizational conditions* that enable and support such activities.
  - **engaging in** <u>and</u> **disseminating** the outcomes of **scholarly research** in teaching and learning **within** <u>and</u> **possibly beyond their discipline/ profession**.
  - the **design** <u>and</u> **delivery** of **professional development activities** designed to improve the knowledge, skills, and capabilities of individuals as scholarly, reflective teacher practitioners, leaders, <u>and</u> managers.

# **Teacher Manager Standard:**

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR should provide evidence of:

 Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for SUSTAINED contributions to positive student learning experiences through effective MANAGEMENT and/or ADMINISTRATION of the business processes, resources and environments associated with the SUBJECTS and/or PROGRAMS in which they teach.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at **LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**, *should provide evidence* of:

 Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for SUSTAINED IMPROVEMENT of students' learning experiences by LEADING and MANAGING the development and on-going improvement of the administrative and business processes, resources, and environments associated with teaching and learning in the SUBJECTS and PROGRAMS in which they teach.

# **Additional Standards**

Individuals appointed at LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR from time-to-time may be expected to assume *formal management responsibilities* for aspects of teaching and learning *beyond* those directly associated with the Subjects for which they are responsible. Where this is the case, *regardless of the type of appointment (RT or TF)*, the following additional standards apply. The individual *should provide evidence* of:

- Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED achievement, in effectively MANAGING the planning, deployment, monitoring and use of resources to enable and support the design, development, delivery and on-going improvement of major components of their SCHOOL and/or FACULTY's teaching and learning programs, activities and services.
- Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT WITHIN their SCHOOL and/or FACULTY on the governance of learning and teaching through CONTRIBUTIONS to teaching, learning and other related committees and groups.
- 3. *Significant* INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the <u>development</u> of *learning* and *teaching* through *LEADERSHIP* of *PROGRAM, SCHOOL, or FACULTY learning* and *teaching enhancement projects* or *programs,* as required, from time-to-time.

Examples of the *evidence* that might be provided to demonstrate performance and/or contributions against these standards can be found in **Figure 12**.

# Figure 12: Examples of the Types of Evidence that Could be used to Enable Assessment of Performance and/or Contributions Through Teaching Against U21 Indicators at LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

|                          | Role  |  |  |   |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|---|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| Dimension<br>of Teaching | Teacher Practitioner  | Teacher Leader   | Teacher Manager  | For those in FPMR   |  |  |  |  |
| RT Positions             |   |  |  |   |  |  |  |  |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | <ul> <li>Data concerning the subjects taught by the individual over the last 3 to 5 years (Names, purpose foci, level, numbers of students enrolled and examined, teaching role(s) assumed.)</li> <li>Examples of the individual's approach to facilitating learning within and beyond the classroom.</li> <li>Student experience data over 3 to 5 years that speaks to the effectiveness of these approaches in influencing students' approaches to learning.</li> <li>Student examination and assessment results over 3 to 5 years bat to the effectiveness of these approaches in facilitating students' learning.</li> <li>Student examination and assessment results over 3 to 5 years bat to the effectiveness of these approaches in facilitating students' learning.</li> <li>Peer/mentor/supervisor reports on the quality, appropriateness, and effectiveness of the individual's approaches to facilitating student learning.</li> <li>Prizes, awards and/or testimonials from students or peers for the quality and effectiveness of their approaches to the facilitation of learning.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of activities         <ul> <li>initiated by the individual to             engage peers from within             and possibly beyond their             School in reviewing the             approaches taken to             facilitating student learning             in the subjects and/or             programs in which they             teach, in light of advances/             developments in the             discipline/profession</li>             Schedules, agenda and             participant lists for such             activities</ul></li>             Discussion/position papers             developed by the individual             to support such activities             Comments in external             expert peer review reports             related to such activities. </ul> <li>Examples of activities</li> | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual developing and deploying:         <ul> <li>(a) Clear, timely accessible information for prospective students to assist decision-making regarding enrolment in the programs and/or subjects for which the individual is responsible.</li> <li>(b) Clear, timely accessible subject outlines/guides that provide students with information about the purpose, foci, content, learning activities, resources environments, assessment, and schedules for all subjects in the programs for which the individual is responsible .</li> <li>Data concerning the ways in which the individual is responsible .</li> <li>Data concerning the ways in which the individual manages their availability to support students out of classroom times.</li> <li>Evidence of the provision of feedback to students in a manner that enables them to learn from it prior to them having to engage in or complete high stakes assessment tasks.</li> <li>Evidence of timely submission of all census, assessment, examination and other required data by designated dates.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Information concerning the individual's FPMR including:         <ul> <li>a job description that outlines the nature and scope of the responsibilities associated with the position;</li> <li>b. the budget, staff, resources, equipment, and plant that must be managed;</li> <li>c. the key performance targets associated with the position</li> <li>d. a list of the programs and services for which the individual is responsible.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Examples of the strategic, operational and financial plans developed by the individual for the organizational unit (Program, School, Faculty Institution) for which they are responsible.</li> <li>Examples of activities undertaken to build the ongoing capacity and capability of the unit to deliver its educational programs and services.</li> <li>Examples of plans for the development and delivery of the unit's educational programs and services.</li> <li>Examples of the individual's approach to monitoring performance/achievement against: (a) the goals/</li> </ul> |  |  |  |  |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Samples of learning<br/>activities and resources,<br/>assessment tasks, feedback<br/>mechanisms, and learning<br/>environments <i>designed</i>,<br/><i>developed</i> and <i>deployed</i> by<br/>the individual <i>over the last</i><br/><i>3 to 5 years</i>.</li> <li>Student experience data<br/><i>over the last 3 to 5 years</i><br/>that speaks to the: (a)<br/><i>effectiveness of these</i><br/><i>designs</i> in supporting<br/>student learning; (b) the<br/><i>influence of these designs</i><br/>on students' approach to<br/>learning.</li> <li>Expert pedagogical peer<br/>assessments of these<br/>designs.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of activities<br/>initiated by the individual to<br/>engage peers within and<br/>possibly beyond their<br/>School in reviewing the<br/>educational designs of the<br/>subjects and/or programs in<br/>which they teach in light of<br/>advances/developments in<br/>their discipline/ profession</li> <li>Schedules, agenda and<br/>participant lists for such<br/>activities</li> <li>Discussion/position papers<br/>developed by the individual<br/>to support such activities</li> <li>Comments in external<br/>expert peer review reports<br/>related to such activities</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's effective management of the <i>development</i>, <i>maintenance</i> and/or <i>deployment</i> of the <i>learning resources</i> (e.g., reading lists, simulations, case studies, equipment, technology) and <i>environments</i> (physical and virtual - rooms, VLEs) that are employed in <i>the subjects</i> and/or <i>programs</i> for which the individual is responsible.</li> <li>Student experience data</li> <li>Testimonials from peers and expert subject assessors</li> <li>External quality verification reports</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>against: (a) the goals/<br/>targets included in these<br/>plans, and (b) the budgets,<br/>staff, resources, equipment,<br/>and plant allocated to<br/>support these plans.</li> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual responds to<br/>performance data related to<br/>the organizational unit,<br/>programs and services for<br/>which they are responsible.</li> <li>Examples of the<br/>contributions individuals<br/>make to the governance and<br/>of learning and teaching<br/>through their contributions<br/>to program, school, faculty<br/>or institution level learning<br/>and teaching committees.</li> </ul>   |  |  |  |  |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 3 to<br/>5 years of how the<br/>individual has improved<br/>their teaching practice via<br/>critical evidence based<br/>reflection on feedback from<br/>their students and peers.</li> <li>Evaluation instruments and<br/>reports</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of the changes<br/>made to the content, foci<br/>and purpose of the subjects<br/>and programs in which they<br/>teach, in light of<br/>student/peer feedback and<br/>advances/ developments in<br/>their discipline/profession.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's<br/>approach to management of<br/>the business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>student and peer review<br/>processes in the subjects/<br/>programs for which they are<br/>responsible.</li> </ul>   | • Examples of the individual's influence and impact on the <i>development</i> of the organizational infrastructure necessary to enable and support learning and teaching within and possibly beyond the organizational unit (program/school) for  |  |  |  |  |

| Scholarly<br>Practice    | • Examples over 3 to 5 years<br>of how the individual has<br>engaged with the<br>scholarship of teaching and<br>learning as part of their<br>ongoing professional<br>development to improve<br>their capability as a<br>teacher.   | • Examples of activities<br>initiated by the individual<br>that engage others in the<br>critical review of the<br>currency of the purposes,<br>foci and content of the<br>subjects and/or programs in<br>which they teach, in light of<br>advances/developments in<br>their discipline/ profession.   | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's management of professional learning activities for those involved in teaching in the subjects and/or programs for which they are responsible.</li> <li>Schedules, agendas, resources and participant lists for such activities.</li> </ul>  | which they are responsible.<br>• Examples of effective<br>leadership and management<br>of program, school, or<br>faculty learning and<br>teaching enhancement<br>projects or programs, as<br>required, from time-to-time. |
|--------------------------|--|---|---|---|
| TF Positions (I          | n addition to the evidence des   | cribed above an individual in a   | TF position <i>might</i> also provid  | e the following evidence)   |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | • Examples over the last 3 to<br>5 years of how the<br>individual has based their<br>approach to the facilitation<br>of student learning on<br>scholarly, evidence-based<br>research.  | • Examples of how the<br>individual has <i>influenced</i><br><i>others</i> within and possibly<br>beyond their school to<br><i>change</i> their approach to the<br><i>facilitation of student</i><br><i>learning</i> , in light of<br>advances/developments in<br>their discipline/ profession.   | • Examples of how the<br>individual has improved<br>students' learning<br>experiences within and<br>possibly beyond their school<br>by engaging others in<br>processes to review and<br>where necessary revise the<br>business/administrative<br>processes for facilitating<br>learning.  | The additional evidence<br>required from those in TF<br>positions who hold FPMR in<br>relation to teaching is the<br>same as that required from<br>individuals in RT positions,<br>outlined above.                        |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 3 to<br/>5 years of how the<br/>individual has based their<br/>approach to educational<br/>design on scholarly,<br/>evidence-based, research.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has <i>influenced</i><br/><i>others</i> within and possibly<br/>beyond <i>their school</i> to<br/><i>change</i> their approach to the<br/>design of learning activities,<br/>resources, environments,<br/>assessment and/or feedback<br/>mechanisms in light of<br/>advances/developments in<br/>the discipline/profession.</li> </ul>  | • Examples of how the<br>individual has <i>improved</i><br><i>students' learning</i><br><i>experiences within and</i><br><i>possibly beyond their school</i><br><i>by engaging others</i> in<br>processes to <i>review, and</i><br><i>where necessary revise the</i><br><i>business/administrative</i><br><i>processes</i> associated with<br><i>educational (re)design.</i>  |   |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 3 to<br/>5 years of how the<br/>individual has based their<br/>approach to the review and<br/>improvement of the quality<br/>and effectiveness of their<br/>teaching, on scholarly,<br/>evidence-based, research.</li> <li>Data over the last 5 to 7<br/>years showing the impact<br/>of changes the educational<br/>designs and approaches to<br/>learning facilitation in the<br/>subjects /programs for<br/>which they are responsible,<br/>on student experience,<br/>learning outcomes,<br/>attrition and progression<br/>rates.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has influenced<br/>others within and possibly<br/>beyond their school, to<br/>change their approach to the<br/>review and improvement of<br/>the quality and effectiveness<br/>of their teaching in light of<br/>the individuals' increasing<br/>engagement with the<br/>scholarship of teaching and<br/>learning and advances/<br/>developments in the<br/>discipline/profession.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has <i>improved</i><br/><i>students' learning</i><br/><i>experiences within and</i><br/><i>possibly beyond their school</i><br/>by <i>engaging others</i> in<br/>processes to <i>review and</i><br/><i>where necessary revise the</i><br/><i>business/administrative</i><br/><i>processes</i> associated with<br/><i>ongoing critical reflection on</i><br/><i>teaching and learning.</i></li> <li>Data on the impact of these<br/>changes</li> </ul> |   |
| Scholarly<br>Practice    | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 3 to<br/>5 years of how the<br/>individual has engaged with<br/>the scholarship of teaching<br/>and learning as part of<br/>their ongoing efforts to<br/>improve their capability as<br/>a scholarly reflective<br/>teacher practitioner, leader<br/>and manager.</li> <li>Scholarly contributions to<br/>meetings, conferences,<br/>journals</li> <li>Refereed journal articles<br/>and publications</li> <li>Research grants and income</li> <li>Testimonials and citations</li> <li>Prizes, awards, testimonials<br/>for scholarly practices in<br/>relation to teaching and<br/>learning.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual:         <ul> <li>(a) engaging in/<br/>disseminating the outcomes<br/>of scholarly research in<br/>teaching &amp; learning within<br/>and possibly beyond their<br/>school and faculty;</li> <li>(b) contributing to the design,<br/>development and/or<br/>delivery of professional<br/>development programs/<br/>activities/services (e.g.,<br/>mentoring/coaching<br/>services) within and possibly<br/>beyond their School, to<br/>improve the knowledge,<br/>skills, and capabilities of<br/>others, as scholarly,<br/>reflective teacher<br/>practitioners, leaders, and<br/>managers.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of changes the<br/>individual has made to their<br/>management of the<br/>business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>the subjects and programs<br/>in which they teach on the<br/>basis of their engagement<br/>with and understanding of<br/>the scholarship of teaching<br/>and learning.</li> <li>Data on the impact of these<br/>changes</li> </ul>  |   |

# LEVEL IV - ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

The standards articulated here relate to the *expectations of performance and contributions through teaching* that individuals *seeking promotion to or holding a* LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE **PROFESSOR** *appointment should be able to demonstrate*.

#### **General Standard**

The individual should be *recognised* and **ESTEEMED** as an <u>ACCOMPLISHED</u>, SCHOLARLY, and REFLECTIVE teacher practitioner, leader and manager, with positive SUSTAINED IMPACT and INFLUENCE on teaching and learning, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their SCHOOL.

# **Specific Standards**

# In Relation to Key Indicators

An individual in a **Research and Teaching (RT)** position, working at **LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**, *should provide evidence* from *STUDENTS* <u>and</u> *PEERS from WITHIN their SCHOOL* of:

- 1. Recognition and **ESTEEM** for being an *ACCOMPLISHED, scholarly* and *reflective* teacher **practitioner**, **leader** and **manager** in their *discipline/profession*.
- 2. Their positive **IMPACT** on the *learning outcomes* and *experiences* of *students, and on* the *quality* of the:
  - learning activities
  - assessment and feedback strategies
  - learning environments

utilized *WITHIN* their *SCHOOL* in their *area of disciplinary/professional expertise*.

- 3. Their positive **INFLUENCE** on *students' approaches to learning*.
- **4. SUSTAINED** performance in *ALL FOUR core dimensions of teaching* (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly teaching) for **at least 5 to 7 years.**

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 13.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, should *provide evidence, from WITHIN* and *possibly BEYOND* their *FACULTY*, of:

- Recognition and ESTEEM from peers for their DEEP engagement with, understanding of and regular contributions to the scholarship of teaching and learning WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the area of their disciplinary/ professional expertise.
- 6. The positive IMPACT <u>and</u> INFLUENCE of their LEADERSHIP on the design, development, dissemination and adoption of INNOVATIVE approaches to educational design, learning facilitation, and the review/evaluation of learning/ teaching/curricula, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their FACULTY, for a SUSTAINED period of at least 3 years.

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 14.

# Figure 13: Standards Profile for a LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR in a Research and Teaching (RT) Appointment

| Research and Teaching (RT) Appointment – LEVEL IV – Associate Professor |                       |  |               |   |  |
|---|-----------------------|--|---------------|---|--|
| Held in<br><b>ESTEEM</b><br>as a :                                      |                       | Has had an Scope of<br>IMPACT INFLUENCE<br>on: has been: |               | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |  |
| <b>5</b>  | Learning              | Loorning   | International | 7+ years                                  |  |
| Practitioner<br>of  | Facilitation          | Learning   | National      | 7+ years                                  |  |
|   | Educational<br>Design | Teaching   | Regional      | 5 to 7 years                              |  |
| Leader<br>of  |                       |  | Institutional |   |  |
|   | Reflective            | Curriculum   | Faculty       | 3 to 5 years                              |  |
|   | Practice              | Curriculum   | School        |   |  |
| Manager<br>of   | Scholarly             | ,  | Program       | Deried of englishment                     |  |
|   | Practice              |  | Subject       | Period of appointment                     |  |

# Figure 14: Standards Profile for a LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR in a Teaching Focused (TF) Appointment

| Teaching Focused (TF) Appointment – LEVEL IV – Associate Professor |                                    |                                    |   |   |  |
|--|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|---|--|
| Held in<br><b>ESTEEM</b><br>as a :                                 |                                    | Has had an<br>IMPACT<br>on:        | Scope of<br><b>INFLUENCE</b><br>has been: | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |  |
|  | Learning                           | Loorning                           | International                             | 71  |  |
| Practitioner<br>of   | Facilitation                       | Learning                           | National                                  | 7+ years                                  |  |
|  | Educational<br>Design              | Teaching                           | Regional                                  | 5 to 7 years                              |  |
| Leader<br>of   |                                    |                                    | Institutional                             |   |  |
| 01   | Reflective                         | Reflective<br>Practice Curriculum  | Faculty                                   | 3 to 5 years                              |  |
|  | Practice                           |                                    | School                                    |   |  |
| Manager<br>of  | Scholarly<br>Practice              | Organisational                     | Program                                   | Deried of englishment                     |  |
|  | (With<br>Contributions to<br>SOTL) | (With Environment Contributions to | Subject                                   | Period of appointment                     |  |

# In Relation to Teaching Role

#### **Teacher Practitioner Standard:**

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE **PROFESSOR** *should provide evidence* from *WITHIN* their *SCHOOL*, *discipline* <u>and/or</u> *profession* of:

- 1. *Recognition* and **ESTEEM** *for* **SUSTAINED** *excellence* in the *design, development* and *deployment* of:
  - Learning programs, activities and resources that respond to changing priorities; engage, challenge, scaffold, and advance student enquiry and learning; and meet required quality standards.
  - Assessment and feedback strategies and learning environments (physical and virtual) that scaffold and support student learning and facilitate and enable student agency.
  - **Evaluation instruments** and **tools** that support ongoing review <u>and</u> improvement of student learning experience, teaching strategies, curricula, <u>and</u> the organisational environments in which learning and teaching occur.
- 2. **Deep familiarity** with <u>and</u> **use** of the **scholarly research based thinking** that underpins **current approaches to** the design, development <u>and</u> deployment of:
  - Learning programs, activities, and resources;
  - Assessment and feedback strategies;
  - Learning environments;
  - Evaluation instruments and tools to support ongoing review and improvement.
- 3. SUSTAINED *engagement* in *professional development activities designed* to develop their *capabilities* as a *scholarly, reflective teacher PRACTITIONER*.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, *should provide evidence,* from *WITHIN* <u>and</u> *possibly BEYOND* their *FACULTY* of:

- 4. **Regular**, recognised and **ESTEEMED** contributions to scholarly debate and/or literature related to the design, development, and/or review of teaching, learning, curricula and the organisational environments that support learning and teaching.
- 5. SUSTAINED *engagement* in *professional development activities* designed to <u>improve</u> their *capabilities* as a *scholarly, reflective teacher LEADER* and *MANAGER*.

# **Teacher Leader Standard:**

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE **PROFESSOR** *should provide evidence* from *WITHIN* their *SCHOOL, discipline* and/or *profession* of:

- 1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED LEADERSHIP in engaging others in the:
  - ongoing critical review of the currency of their SCHOOL's educational programs and services, particularly their purposes, foci and content, in light of developments in their discipline/profession

- *design, development, delivery* and *review* of *professional development activities* to *develop* and/or maintain their colleagues' awareness of the *implications* of *developments in their discipline/ profession* for the *future development* of their SCHOOL's educational programs and services.
- 2. Their **INFLUENCE** and **IMPACT** on the *evolution of the content, foci* and *purposes* of their **SCHOOL's** *educational programs* and *services*.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at **LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**, *should provide evidence* of:

- 3. Recognition <u>and</u> **ESTEEM** for **SUSTAINED** *LEADERSHIP WITHIN* <u>and</u> *possibly BEYOND* their *FACULTY* in:
  - scholarly, research- and evidence-based review, (re)design <u>and/or</u> (re)development of learning and teaching designs, activities, resources and environments to align with advances in the discipline/profession.
  - **fostering and building** collaborative and collegial approaches to **educational innovation** <u>and</u> **change**
  - **realising SUSTAINED improvement** in *learning, teaching, curricula,* and/or *the organizational conditions* that enable and support such activities.
  - **engaging in** <u>and</u> **disseminating** the outcomes of **scholarly research** in teaching and learning **within** <u>and</u> **possibly beyond their discipline/ profession.**
  - the design and delivery of professional development activities designed to improve the knowledge, skills, and capabilities of individuals as scholarly, reflective teacher practitioners, leaders, and managers.

# **Teacher Manager Standard:**

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE **PROFESSOR** *should provide evidence* of:

 Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED contributions to positive student learning experiences through effective MANAGEMENT and/or ADMINISTRATION of the business processes, resources and environments associated with the SUBJECTS and/or PROGRAMS for which they are responsible.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at **LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**, *should provide evidence* of:

 Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED IMPROVEMENT of students' learning experiences by LEADING and MANAGING the development and on-going improvement of the administrative and business processes, resources, and environments associated with teaching and learning in the SUBJECTS and PROGRAMS for which they are responsible.

# **Additional Standards**

Individuals appointed at **LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR** from time-to-time may be expected to assume *formal management responsibilities* for aspects of teaching and

learning **beyond** those directly associated with the Subjects for which they are responsible. Where this is the case, regardless of the type of appointment (RT or TF), the following additional standards apply. The individual should provide evidence of:

- Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED achievement, in effectively MANAGING the planning, deployment, monitoring and use of resources to enable and support the design, development, delivery and on-going improvement of major components of their SCHOOL's, FACULTY's and/or INSTITUTION's teaching and learning programs, activities and services.
- Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT WITHIN their SCHOOL, FACULTY and/or INSTITUTION on the governance of learning and teaching through CONTRIBUTIONS to teaching, learning and other related committees and groups.
- 3. *Significant* INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the <u>development</u> of *learning* and *teaching* through *LEADERSHIP* of *PROGRAM, SCHOOL, or FACULTY learning* and *teaching enhancement projects* or *programs,* as required, from time-to-time.

Examples of the *evidence* that might be provided to demonstrate performance and/or contributions against these standards can be found in **Figure 15**.

# Figure 15: Examples of the Types of Evidence that Could be used to Enable Assessment of Performance and/or Contributions Through Teaching Against U21 Indicators at LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

|                          | Role   |   |  |   |  |  |
|--------------------------|--|---|--|---|--|--|
| Dimension<br>of Teaching | Teacher Practitioner   | For those in FPMR   |  |   |  |  |
| RT Positions             |  | •   |  |   |  |  |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | <ul> <li>Data concerning the subjects the individual has taught over the last 5 to 7 years (Names, purpose foci, level, numbers of students enrolled and examined, teaching role(s) assumed.)</li> <li>Examples of the individual's approach to facilitating learning within and beyond the classroom.</li> <li>Student experience data over 5 to 7 years that speaks to the effectiveness of these approaches in influencing students' approaches to learning.</li> <li>Student examination and assessment results over 5 to 7 years benchmarked against other cohorts that speak to the effectiveness of these approaches in facilitating students' learning.</li> <li>Peer/mentor/supervisor reports on the quality, appropriateness, and effectiveness of the individual's approaches to facilitating student s to facilitating student for the sustained student for the sustained student for the sustained quality and effectiveness of their approaches to the individual's approaches to the jacilitation of learning.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of activities<br/>initiated by the individual to<br/>engage peers from within<br/>and beyond their School in<br/>reviewing the approaches<br/>taken to facilitating student<br/>learning in the subjects<br/>and/or programs in which<br/>they teach, in light of<br/>advances/ developments in<br/>the discipline/profession</li> <li>Schedules, agenda and<br/>participant lists for such<br/>activities</li> <li>Discussion/position papers<br/>developed by the individual<br/>to support such activities</li> <li>Testimonials from peers of<br/>the positive influence the<br/>individual has had on<br/>maintaining the currency of<br/>the purposes, foci and<br/>content of the subjects/<br/>programs taught in their<br/>school and faculty.</li> <li>Comments in external<br/>expert peer review reports<br/>related to such activities.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual developing and deploying:         <ul> <li>(a) Clear, timely accessible information for prospective students to assist decision-making regarding enrolment in the programs and/or subjects for which the individual is responsible.</li> <li>(b) Clear, timely accessible subject outlines/guides that provide students with information about the purpose, foci, content, learning activities, resources environments, assessment, and schedules for all subjects in the programs for which the individual is responsible.</li> <li>Data concerning the ways in which the individual is responsible.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Data concerning the ways in which the individual manages their availability to support students out of classroom times.</li> <li>Evidence of the provision of feedback to students in a manner that enables them to learn from it prior to them having to engage in or complete high stakes assessment tasks.</li> <li>Evidence of timely submission of all census, assessment, assessment tasks.</li> <li>Evidence of timely submission of all census, assessment, examination and other required data by designated dates.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Information concerning the individual's FPMR including:         <ul> <li>a job description that outlines the nature and scope of the responsibilities associated with the position;</li> <li>b. the budget, staff, resources, equipment, and plant that must be managed;</li> <li>c. the key performance targets associated with the position</li> <li>d. a list of the programs and services for which the individual is responsible.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Examples of the strategic, operational and financial plans developed by the individual for the organizational unit (Program, School, Faculty Institution) for which they are responsible.</li> <li>Examples of activities undertaken to build the ongoing capacity and capability of the unit to deliver is educational programs and services.</li> <li>Examples of plans for the development and delivery of the unit's educational programs and services</li> <li>Examples of the individual's approach to monitoring performance/achievement against: (a) the goals/ targets included in these</li> </ul> |  |  |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Samples of learning<br/>activities and resources,<br/>assessment tasks, feedback<br/>mechanisms, and learning<br/>environments designed,<br/>developed and deployed by<br/>the individual over the last<br/>5 to 7 years.</li> <li>Student experience data<br/>over the last 5 to 7 years<br/>that speaks to: (a) the<br/>effectiveness of these<br/>designs in supporting<br/>student learning; (b) the<br/>influence of these designs<br/>on students' approach to<br/>learning.</li> <li>Expert peer reviews of<br/>these designs.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of activities<br/>initiated by the individual to<br/>engage peers from within<br/>and beyond their school, in<br/>reviewing the educational<br/>designs of the subjects and<br/>programs for which they are<br/>responsible in light of<br/>advances/ developments in<br/>their discipline/profession</li> <li>Schedules, agenda and<br/>participant lists for such<br/>activities</li> <li>Discussion/position papers<br/>developed by the individual<br/>to support such activities</li> <li>Comments in external<br/>expert peer review reports<br/>related to such activities</li> <li>Examples of the changes</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's effective management of the <i>development, maintenance</i> and/or <i>deployment</i> of the <i>learning resources</i> (e.g., reading lists, simulations, case studies, equipment, technology) <i>and environments</i> (physical and virtual - rooms, VLEs) that are employed in <i>the subjects</i> and/or <i>programs</i> for which the individual is responsible.</li> <li>Student experience data</li> <li>Testimonials from peers and expert subject assessors</li> <li>External quality verification reports</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>targets included in these<br/>plans, and (b) the budgets,<br/>staff, resources, equipment,<br/>and plant allocated to<br/>support these plans.</li> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual responds to<br/>performance data related to<br/>the organizational unit,<br/>programs and services for<br/>which they are responsible.</li> <li>Examples of the<br/>contributions individuals<br/>make to the governance and<br/>of learning and teaching<br/>through their contributions<br/>to program, school, faculty<br/>or institution level learning<br/>and teaching committees.</li> <li>Examples of the individual's</li> </ul>   |  |  |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 5 to<br/>7 years of how the<br/>individual has improved<br/>their teaching practice via<br/>critical evidence based<br/>reflection on feedback from<br/>their students and peers.</li> <li>Evaluation instruments and<br/>reports</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of the changes<br/>made to the content, foci<br/>and purpose of the subjects<br/>and programs in which they<br/>teach, in light of<br/>student/peer feedback and<br/>advances/ developments in<br/>their discipline/profession.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's<br/>management of the<br/>business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>student and peer review<br/>processes associated with<br/>the subjects/programs for<br/>which they are responsible.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's<br/>influence and impact on the<br/>development of the<br/>organizational infrastructure<br/>necessary to enable and<br/>support learning and<br/>teaching within and possibly<br/>beyond the organizational<br/>unit (program/school) for</li> </ul>   |  |  |

| Scholarly<br>Practice    | • Examples over 5 to 7 years<br>of how the individual has<br>engaged with the<br>scholarship of teaching and<br>learning as part of their<br>ongoing professional<br>development to improve<br>their capability as a<br>teacher.  | • Examples of activities<br>initiated by the individual<br>that engage others in the<br>critical review of the<br>currency of the purposes,<br>foci and content of the<br>subjects and/or programs in<br>which they teach, in light of<br>advances/developments in<br>their discipline/ profession  | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's management of professional learning activities for those involved in teaching in the subjects/programs for which they are responsible.</li> <li>Schedules, agendas, resources and participant lists for such activities.</li> </ul>   | which they are responsible.<br>• Examples of effective<br>leadership and management<br>of program, school, or<br>faculty learning and<br>teaching enhancement<br>projects or programs, as<br>required, from time-to-time. |
|--------------------------|---|---|---|---|
| TF Positions (In         | n addition to the evidence des  | cribed above an individual in a   | TF position <i>might</i> also provid  | e the following evidence)   |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 5 to<br/>7 years of how the<br/>individual has based their<br/>approach to the facilitation<br/>of student learning on<br/>scholarly, evidence-based<br/>research.</li> <li>Trials of new approaches to<br/>facilitating learning and<br/>associated evaluation data<br/>and findings</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has influenced<br/>others within and possibly<br/>beyond their faculty to<br/>change their approach to the<br/>facilitation of student<br/>learning, in light of<br/>advances/developments in<br/>their discipline/ profession.</li> </ul>  | • Examples of how the<br>individual has improved<br>students' learning<br>experiences in the subjects/<br>programs for which they are<br>responsible by engaging<br>others in processes to<br>review, and where<br>necessary revise the<br>business/ administrative<br>processes for facilitating<br>learning.  | The additional evidence<br>required from those in TF<br>positions who hold FPMR in<br>relation to teaching is the<br>same as that required from<br>individuals in RT positions,<br>outlined above.                        |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 5 to<br/>7 years of how the<br/>individual has based their<br/>approach to educational<br/>design on scholarly,<br/>evidence-based, research.</li> <li>Trials of new educational<br/>designs and associated<br/>evaluation data and<br/>findings</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has influenced<br/>others within and possibly<br/>beyond their faculty, to<br/>change their approach to the<br/>design of the learning<br/>activities, resources,<br/>environments, assessment<br/>and feedback mechanisms<br/>in light of student and peer<br/>feedback and advances/<br/>developments in the<br/>discipline/profession.</li> </ul>  | • Examples of how the<br>individual has improved<br>students' learning<br>experiences within and<br>possibly beyond their<br>faculty, by engaging others<br>in processes to review, and<br>where necessary revise the<br>business/ administrative<br>processes associated with<br>educational (re)design.   |   |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 5 to 7 years of how the individual has based their approach to the review and improvement of the quality and effectiveness of their teaching, on scholarly, evidence-based, research.</li> <li>Data over the last 5 to 7 years showing the impact of changes the individual has made to their educational designs and approaches to learning facilitation, on student experience, learning outcomes, attrition and progression rates.</li> </ul>  | • Examples of how the<br>individual has <i>influenced</i><br>others within and possibly<br>beyond their faculty to<br>change their approach to the<br>review and <i>improvement</i> of<br>the quality and effectiveness<br>of their teaching in light of<br>the individuals' increasing<br>engagement with the<br>scholarship of teaching and<br>learning and advances/<br>developments in the<br>discipline/profession.  | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has improved<br/>students' learning<br/>experiences within and<br/>possibly beyond their<br/>faculty, by engaging others<br/>in processes to review, and<br/>where necessary revise the<br/>business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>ongoing critical reflection on<br/>teaching and learning.</li> <li>Data on the impact of these<br/>changes</li> </ul> |   |
| Scholarly<br>Practice    | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 5 to<br/>7 years of how the<br/>individual has engaged with<br/>the scholarship of teaching<br/>and learning as part of<br/>their ongoing efforts to<br/>improve their capability as<br/>a scholarly reflective<br/>teacher practitioner, leader<br/>and manger.</li> <li>Scholarly contributions to<br/>meetings, conferences,<br/>journals</li> <li>Refereed journal articles<br/>and publications</li> <li>Research grants and income</li> <li>Testimonials and citations</li> <li>Prizes, awards, testimonials<br/>for scholarly practices in<br/>relation to teaching and<br/>learning.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual:         <ul> <li>(a) engaging in/<br/>disseminating the outcomes<br/>of scholarly research in<br/>teaching &amp; learning within<br/>and possibly beyond their<br/>discipline/profession<br/>nationally/internationally;</li> <li>(b) contributing to the<br/>design, development and/or<br/>delivery of professional<br/>development programs/<br/>activities/services (e.g.,<br/>mentoring/coaching<br/>services) within and possibly<br/>beyond their faculty to<br/>improve the knowledge,<br/>skills, and capabilities of<br/>others, as scholarly,<br/>reflective teacher<br/>practitioners, leaders, and<br/>managers.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of changes the individual has made to their management of the business and/or administrative processes associated with the subjects and programs in which they teach on the basis of their deep engagement with and understanding of the scholarship of teaching and learning.</li> <li>Data on the impact of these changes</li> </ul>  |   |

# LEVEL V - FULL PROFESSOR

The standards articulated here relate to the *expectations of performance and contributions through teaching* that individuals *seeking promotion to or holding a* LEVEL V – FULL **PROFESSOR** *appointment should be able to demonstrate*.

#### **General Standard**

The individual should be *recognised* and **ESTEEMED** as an <u>EXPERT</u>, SCHOLARLY, and REFLECTIVE teacher practitioner, leader and manager, with positive SUSTAINED IMPACT and INFLUENCE on teaching and learning, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their FACULTY.

#### **Specific Standards**

#### **In Relation to Key Indicators**

An individual in a **Research and Teaching (RT)** position, working at **LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR,** should **provide evidence** from **STUDENTS** <u>and</u> **PEERS** from **WITHIN** their **FACULTY** of:

- 1. Recognition and **ESTEEM** for being an **EXPERT**, scholarly and reflective teacher practitioner, leader and manager in their discipline/ profession.
- 2. Their positive **IMPACT** on the *learning outcomes* and *experiences* of *students, and on* the *quality* of the:
  - learning activities
  - assessment and feedback strategies
  - learning environments

deployed and utlised *WITHIN* their *FACULTY* in their *area of disciplinary/ professional expertise*.

- 3. Their positive INFLUENCE on *students' approaches to learning*.
- 4. **SUSTAINED** performance in *ALL FOUR core dimensions of teaching* (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly teaching) for **at least 7 years**.

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 16.

**IN ADDITION** to the above, an individual in a **Teaching Focused (TF)** position working at **LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR,** should **provide evidence,** from **WITHIN** <u>and</u> **BEYOND** their **INSTITUTION,** of:

- Recognition and ESTEEM from peers for their DEEP and EXTENSIVE engagement with, understanding of, and contributions to the scholarship of teaching and learning WITHIN and BEYOND the area of their disciplinary/ professional expertise.
- The positive IMPACT <u>and</u> INFLUENCE of their LEADERSHIP on the design, development, dissemination <u>and</u> adoption of INNOVATIVE approaches to the governance, management <u>and/or</u> practice of teaching, WITHIN <u>and</u> BEYOND their INSTITUTION, for a SUSTAINED period of at least 5 years.

This profile of performance and contribution through teaching is represented in Figure 17.

# Figure 16: Standards Profile for a LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR in a Research and Teaching (RT) Appointment

| Research and Teaching (RT) Appointment – LEVEL V – Full Professor |                       |  |               |   |  |
|---|-----------------------|--|---------------|---|--|
| Held in<br><b>ESTEEM</b><br>as a :                                |                       | Has had an Scope of<br>IMPACT INFLUENCE<br>on: has been: |               | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |  |
|   | Learning              | Learning   | International | 71  |  |
| Practitioner<br>of  | Facilitation          | Learning   | National      | 7+ years                                  |  |
|   | Educational<br>Design | Teaching   | Regional      | 5 to 7 years                              |  |
| Leader<br>of  |                       |  | Institutional |   |  |
| 01  | Reflective            | Reflective Curriculum -                                  | Faculty       | 3 to 5 years                              |  |
|   | Practice              |  | School        |   |  |
| Manager<br>of   | Scholarly             | Scholarly Organisational<br>Practice Environment         | Program       | Deried of oppoint                         |  |
|   |                       |  | Subject       | Period of appointment                     |  |

# Figure 17: Standards Profile for a LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR in a Teaching Focused (TF) Appointment

| Teaching Focused (TF) Appointment – LEVEL V – Full Professor |                                    |                             |   |   |  |
|--|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|---|--|
| Held in<br><b>ESTEEM</b><br>as a :                           |                                    | Has had an<br>IMPACT<br>on: | Scope of<br><b>INFLUENCE</b><br>has been: | Contribution<br><b>SUSTAINED</b><br>over: |  |
|  | Learning                           | Looming                     | International                             | 71 20075                                  |  |
| Practitioner<br>of   | Facilitation                       | Learning Learning           | National                                  | 7+ years                                  |  |
|  | Educational<br>Design              | Educational Teaching        | Regional                                  | 5 to 7 years                              |  |
| Leader<br>of   |                                    | reaching                    | Institutional                             |   |  |
| 01   | Reflective<br>Practice             | Curriculum                  | /Faculty                                  | 3 to 5 years                              |  |
|  |                                    |                             | School                                    |   |  |
| Manager<br>of  | Scholarly<br>Practice              | Organisational              | Program                                   |   |  |
|  | (With<br>Contributions to<br>SOTL) | (With Environment           | Subject                                   | Period of appointment                     |  |

# In Relation to Teaching Role

# **Teacher Practitioner Standard:**

An individual in a **Research and Teaching (RT)** position working at **LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR** *should provide evidence* from *WITHIN* their *FACULTY, discipline* <u>and/or</u> *profession* of:

- 1. *Recognition* and **ESTEEM** *for* **SUSTAINED** *excellence* in the *design, development* and *deployment* of:
  - Learning programs, activities and resources that respond to changing priorities; engage, challenge, scaffold, and advance student enquiry and learning; and meet required quality standards.
  - Assessment and feedback strategies and learning environments (physical and virtual) that scaffold and support student learning and facilitate and enable student agency.
  - **Evaluation instruments** and **tools** that support ongoing review <u>and</u> improvement of student learning experience, teaching strategies, curricula, <u>and</u> the organisational environments in which learning and teaching occur.
- 2. **Deep familiarity** with <u>and</u> **use** of the **scholarly research based thinking** that underpins **current approaches to** the design, development <u>and</u> deployment of:
  - Learning programs, activities, and resources;
  - Assessment and feedback strategies;
  - Learning environments;
  - Evaluation instruments and tools to support ongoing review and improvement.
- 3. SUSTAINED *engagement* in *professional development activities designed* to develop their *capabilities* as a *scholarly, reflective teacher PRACTITIONER*.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at **LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR**, *should provide evidence* from *WITHIN* and *BEYOND* their *INSTITUTION* of:

- 4. *Extensive*, *recognised* and **ESTEEMED** *contributions* to *scholarly debate and/or literature* related to the design, development, and/or review of teaching, learning, curricula and the organisational environments that support learning and teaching.
- 5. **SUSTAINED** *engagement* in *professional development activities* designed to <u>further</u> <u>improve</u> their *capabilities* as a *scholarly, reflective teacher LEADER* <u>and</u> *MANAGER*.

# **Teacher Leader Standard:**

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL V – FULL **PROFESSOR** *should provide evidence* from *WITHIN* their *FACULTY, discipline* and/or *profession* of:

- 1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED LEADERSHIP in engaging others in the:
  - ongoing critical review of the currency of their FACULTY's educational programs and services, particularly their purposes, foci and content, in light of developments in their discipline/profession

- *design, development, delivery* and *review* of *professional development activities* to *develop* and/or maintain their colleagues' awareness of the *implications* of *developments in their discipline/profession* for the *future development* of their **FACULTY's** *educational programs* and *services*.
- 2. Their **INFLUENCE** and **IMPACT** on the *evolution of the content, foci* and *purposes* of their **FACULTY's** *educational programs* and *services*.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at **LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR**, *should provide evidence* of:

- 3. Recognition <u>and</u> **ESTEEM** for **SUSTAINED** *LEADERSHIP WITHIN* <u>and</u> **BEYOND** their *INSTITUTION* in:
- scholarly, research- and evidence-based review, (re)design <u>and/or</u> (re)development of learning and teaching designs, activities, resources and environments to align with advances in the discipline/profession.
- **fostering and building** collaborative and collegial approaches to **educational innovation** <u>and</u> **change**
- **realising SUSTAINED improvement** in *learning, teaching, curricula,* and/or *the organizational conditions* that enable and support such activities.
- **engaging in** <u>and</u> **disseminating** the outcomes of **scholarly research** in teaching and learning **within** <u>and</u> **possibly beyond their discipline/ profession**.
- the **design** and **delivery** of **professional development activities** designed to improve the *knowledge, skills,* and *capabilities* of individuals as *scholarly, reflective* teacher *practitioners, leaders,* and *managers.*

# **Teacher Manager Standard:**

An individual in a *Research and Teaching (RT)* position working at LEVEL V – FULL **PROFESSOR** *should provide evidence* of:

 Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED contributions to positive student learning experiences through effective MANAGEMENT and/or ADMINISTRATION of the business processes, resources and environments associated with the SUBJECTS and/or PROGRAMS for which they are responsible.

*IN ADDITION* to the above, an individual in a *Teaching Focused (TF)* position working at *LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR, should provide evidence* of:

 Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED IMPROVEMENT of students' learning experiences by LEADING and MANAGING the development and on-going improvement of the administrative and business processes, resources, and environments associated with teaching and learning in the SUBJECTS and PROGRAMS for which they are responsible.

# **Additional Standards**

Individuals appointed at LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR from time-to-time may be expected to assume *formal management responsibilities* for aspects of teaching and learning *beyond* those directly associated with the Subjects/Courses/Modules/Topics for which they are responsible. Where this is the case, *regardless of the type of appointment (RT or TF)*, the following additional standards apply. The individual *should provide evidence* of:

- Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED achievement, in effectively MANAGING the planning, deployment, monitoring and use of resources to enable and support the design, development, delivery and on-going improvement of major components of their SCHOOL's, FACULTY's and/or INSTITUTION's teaching and learning programs, activities and services.
- Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their SCHOOL, FACULTY and/or INSTITUTION on the governance of learning and teaching through LEADERSHIP in teaching, learning and other related committees and groups.
- 3. Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the <u>development</u> of learning and teaching through LEADERSHIP of PROGRAM, SCHOOL, FACULTY or INSTITUTIONAL learning and teaching enhancement projects or programs, as required, from time-to-time.

Examples of the *evidence* that might be provided to demonstrate performance and/or contributions against these standards can be found in **Figure 18**.

# Figure 18: Examples of the Types of Evidence that Could be used to Enable Assessment of Performance and/or Contributions Through Teaching Against U21 Indicators at LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR

|                          |   | R  | ole  |  |
|--------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Dimension<br>of Teaching | Teacher Practitioner  | Teacher Leader   | Teacher Manager  | For those in FPMR  |
| <b>RT Positions</b>      |   |  | •  | •  |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | <ul> <li>Data concerning the subjects the individual has taught over the last 7 years (Names, purpose foci, level, numbers of students enrolled and examined, teaching role(s) assumed.)</li> <li>Examples of the individual's approach to facilitating learning within and beyond the classroom.</li> <li>Student experience data over the last 7 years that speaks to the effectiveness of these approaches in influencing students' approaches to learning.</li> <li>Student examination and assessment results over the last 7 years that speak to the effectiveness of these approaches in facilitating students' learning.</li> <li>Student experience data oxer the last 7 years benchmarked against other cohorts that speak to the effectiveness of these approaches in facilitating students' learning.</li> <li>Peer/mentor/supervisor reports on the quality, appropriateness, and effectiveness of the individual's approaches to facilitating student learning.</li> <li>Prizes, awards and/or testimonials from within &amp; possibly beyond their faculty and institution for the sustained quality and effectiveness of their approaches to the faculty and supervalues of their approaches to the facultation of learning.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of activities<br/>initiated by the individual to<br/>engage peers from within<br/>and possibly beyond their<br/>School, faculty and<br/>institution in reviewing the<br/>approaches taken to<br/>facilitating student learning<br/>in the subjects and/or<br/>programs in which they<br/>teach, in light of advances/<br/>developments in the<br/>discipline/profession</li> <li>Schedules, agenda and<br/>participant lists for such<br/>activities</li> <li>Discussion/position papers<br/>developed by the individual<br/>to support such activities</li> <li>Testimonials from peers<br/>within and beyond their<br/>institution of the positive<br/>influence the individual has<br/>had on maintaining the<br/>currency of the purposes,<br/>foci and content of the<br/>subjects/ programs taught in<br/>their school, faculty and<br/>institution.</li> <li>Comments in external<br/>expert peer review reports<br/>related to such activities.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual developing and deploying:         <ul> <li>(a) Clear, timely accessible information for prospective students to assist decision-making regarding enrolment in the programs and/or subjects for which the individual is responsible.</li> <li>(b) Clear, timely accessible subject outlines/guides that provide students with information about the purpose, foci, content, learning activities, resources environments, assessment, and schedules for all subjects in the programs for which the individual is responsible.</li> <li>Data concerning the ways in which the individual manages their availability to support their students out of classroom times.</li> <li>Evidence of the provision of feedback to students in a manner that enables them to learn from it prior to them having to engage in or complete high stakes assessment tasks.</li> <li>Evidence of timely submission of all census, assessment, examination and other required data by designated dates.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Information concerning the individual's FPMR including:         <ul> <li>a job description that outlines the nature and scope of the responsibilities associated with the position;</li> <li>b. the budget, staff, resources, equipment, and plant that must be managed;</li> <li>c. the key performance targets associated with the position</li> <li>d. a list of the programs and services for which the individual is responsible.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Examples of the strategic, operational and financial plans developed by the individual for the organizational unit (Program, School, Faculty Institution) for which they are responsible.</li> <li>Examples of activities undertaken to build the ongoing capacity and capability of the unit to deliver is educational programs and services.</li> <li>Examples of plans for the development and delivery of the unit's educational programs and services</li> <li>Examples of the individual's approach to monitoring performance/achievement against: (a) the goals/targets included in these</li> </ul> |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Samples of learning<br/>activities and resources,<br/>assessment tasks, feedback<br/>mechanisms, and learning<br/>environments designed,<br/>developed and deployed by<br/>the individual over the last<br/>7 years.</li> <li>Student experience data<br/>over the last 7 years that<br/>speaks to: (a) the<br/>effectiveness of these<br/>designs in supporting<br/>student learning; (b) the<br/>influence of these designs<br/>on students' approach to<br/>learning.</li> <li>Expert peer reviews of<br/>these designs.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of activities<br/>initiated by the individual to<br/>engage peers from within<br/>and beyond their School,<br/>faculty and institution, in<br/>reviewing the educational<br/>designs of the subjects and<br/>programs for which they are<br/>responsible in light of<br/>advances/developments in<br/>their discipline/profession</li> <li>Schedules, agenda and<br/>participant lists</li> <li>Discussion/position papers<br/>developed by the individual<br/>to support such activities</li> <li>Comments in external<br/>expert peer review reports<br/>related to such activities</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's effective management of the development, maintenance and/or deployment of the learning resources (e.g., reading lists, simulations, case studies, equipment, technology) and environments (physical and virtual - rooms, VLEs) that are employed in the subjects and/or programs for which the individual is responsible.</li> <li>Student experience data</li> <li>Testimonials from peers and expert subject assessors</li> <li>External quality verification reports</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>targets included in these<br/>plans, and (b) the budgets,<br/>staff, resources, equipment,<br/>and plant allocated to<br/>support these plans.</li> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual responds to<br/>performance data related to<br/>the organizational unit,<br/>programs and services for<br/>which they are responsible.</li> <li>Examples of the<br/>contributions individuals<br/>make to the governance and<br/>of learning and teaching<br/>through their contributions<br/>to program, school, faculty<br/>or institution level learning<br/>and teaching committees.</li> </ul>  |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 7<br/>years of how the individual<br/>has improved their teaching<br/>practice via critical<br/>evidence based reflection<br/>on feedback from their<br/>students and peers.</li> <li>Evaluation instruments and<br/>reports</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of the changes<br/>made to the content, foci<br/>and purpose of the subjects<br/>and programs in their<br/>school, faculty or institution<br/>in light of student/peer<br/>feedback and advances/<br/>developments in their<br/>discipline/profession.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Testimonials as to the<br/>quality of the individual's<br/>management of the<br/>business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>student and peer review<br/>processes in the subjects<br/>and programs for which<br/>they are responsible.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's<br/>influence and impact on the<br/>development of the<br/>organizational infrastructure<br/>necessary to enable and<br/>support learning and<br/>teaching within and possibly<br/>beyond the organizational<br/>unit (program/school) for</li> </ul>  |

| Scholarly<br>Practice    | • Examples over the last 7<br>years of how the individual<br>has engaged with the<br>scholarship of teaching and<br>learning within and beyond<br>their discipline/profession<br>as part of their ongoing<br>professional development<br>to improve their capability<br>as a teacher.  | • Examples of activities<br>initiated by the individual<br>that engage others in<br>reviewing the currency of<br>the purposes, foci and<br>content of the subjects<br>and/or programs offered<br>within and beyond their<br>faculty, in light of advances/<br>developments in their<br>discipline/ profession  | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual's expertise in management of professional learning activities for those involved in teaching in the subjects/programs for which they are responsible.</li> <li>Schedules, agendas, resources and participant lists for such activities.</li> </ul>  | which they are responsible.<br>• Examples of effective<br>leadership and management<br>of program, school, or<br>faculty learning and<br>teaching enhancement<br>projects or programs, as<br>required, from time-to-time. |
|--------------------------|--|--|---|---|
| TF Positions (I          | n addition to the evidence des   | cribed above an individual in a  | TF position <i>might</i> also provid  | e the following evidence)   |
| Learning<br>Facilitation | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 7<br/>years of how the individual<br/>has based their approach to<br/>the facilitation of student<br/>learning on scholarly,<br/>evidence-based research.</li> <li>Testimonials for expertise in<br/>regard to same</li> <li>Trials of new approaches to<br/>facilitating learning and<br/>associated evaluation data<br/>and findings</li> </ul>  | • Examples of how the<br>individual has <i>influenced</i><br>others within and beyond<br>their institution to change<br>their approach to the<br><i>facilitation of student</i><br><i>learning</i> , in light of<br>advances/developments in<br>the scholarship of teaching<br>and learning and/or their<br><i>discipline/profession</i> .   | • Examples of how the<br>individual has improved<br>students' learning<br>experiences in the subjects/<br>programs for which they are<br>responsible by engaging<br>others in processes to<br>review, and where<br>necessary revise the<br>business/ administrative<br>processes for facilitating<br>learning.  | The additional evidence<br>required from those in TF<br>positions who hold FPMR in<br>relation to teaching is the<br>same as that required from<br>individuals in RT positions,<br>outlined above.                        |
| Educational<br>Design    | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 7<br/>years of how the individual<br/>has based their approach to<br/>educational design on<br/>scholarly, evidence-based,<br/>research.</li> <li>Testimonials for expertise in<br/>regard to same</li> <li>Trials of new educational<br/>designs and associated<br/>evaluation data and findings</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has <i>influenced</i><br/>others within and beyond<br/>their institution, to change<br/>their approach to the design<br/>of learning activities,<br/>resources, environments,<br/>assessment and feedback<br/>mechanisms in light of<br/>advances/developments in<br/>the scholarship of teaching<br/>and learning and/or their<br/>discipline/profession.</li> </ul>  | • Examples of how the<br>individual has improved<br>students' learning<br>experiences within and<br>possibly beyond their<br>faculty, by engaging others<br>in processes to review, and<br>where necessary revise the<br>business/ administrative<br>processes associated with<br>educational (re)design.   |   |
| Reflective<br>Practice   | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 7<br/>years of how the individual<br/>has based their approach<br/>to the review and<br/>improvement of the quality<br/>and effectiveness of their<br/>teaching, on scholarly,<br/>evidence-based, research.</li> <li>Data over the last 7 years<br/>showing the impact of<br/>changes the individual has<br/>made to their educational<br/>designs and approaches to<br/>learning facilitation, on<br/>student experience,<br/>learning outcomes,<br/>attrition and progression<br/>rates.</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has <i>influenced</i><br/><i>others</i> within and beyond<br/>their institution to change<br/>their approach to the <i>review</i><br/>and <i>improvement</i> of the<br/><i>quality</i> and <i>effectiveness</i> of<br/>their <i>teaching</i> in light of<br/>advances/developments in<br/>the scholarship of teaching<br/>and learning and/or their<br/><i>discipline/ profession</i>.</li> <li>Data on the impact of these<br/>changes</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Examples of how the<br/>individual has improved<br/>students' learning<br/>experiences within and<br/>possibly beyond their<br/>institution, by engaging<br/>others in processes to<br/>review, and where<br/>necessary revise the<br/>business/administrative<br/>processes associated with<br/>ongoing critical reflection on<br/>teaching and learning.</li> <li>Data on the impact of these<br/>changes</li> </ul> |   |
| Scholarly<br>Practice    | <ul> <li>Examples over the last 7<br/>years of how the individual<br/>has engaged with the<br/>scholarship of teaching and<br/>learning as part of their<br/>ongoing efforts to improve<br/>their capability as a<br/>scholarly reflective teacher<br/>practitioner, leader and<br/>manager.</li> <li>Scholarly contributions to<br/>meetings, conferences,<br/>journals</li> <li>Refereed journal articles<br/>and publications</li> <li>Research grants and income</li> <li>Testimonials and citations<br/>Prizes, awards, testimonials<br/>for scholarly practices in<br/>relation to teaching and<br/>learning.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of the individual:         <ul> <li>(a) engaging in/<br/>disseminating the outcomes<br/>of scholarly research in<br/>teaching &amp; learning within<br/>and beyond their institution,<br/>discipline/profession<br/>nationally/internationally;</li> <li>(b) contributing to the<br/>design, development and/or<br/>delivery of professional<br/>development programs/<br/>activities/services (e.g.,<br/>mentoring/coaching<br/>services) within and beyond<br/>their institution to improve<br/>the knowledge, skills, and<br/>capabilities of others, as<br/>scholarly, reflective teacher<br/>practitioners, leaders, and<br/>managers.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Examples of changes the individual has made to their management of the <i>business and/or administrative processes</i> associated with the <i>subjects and programs in which they teach</i> on the basis of their <i>expert</i> understanding of the <i>scholarship of teaching and learning</i>.</li> <li>Data on the impact of these changes</li> </ul>  |   |

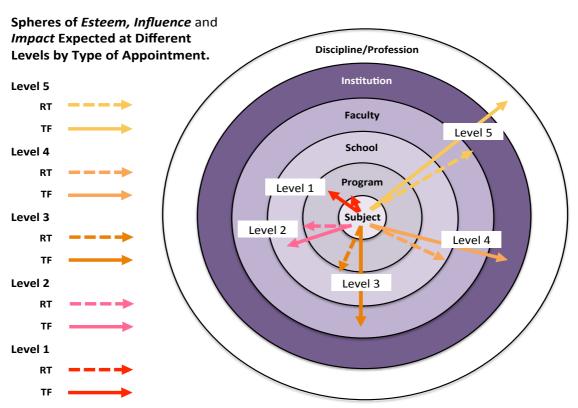
# **Using the Standards**

To assess performance and/or contributions to teaching using the U21 Teaching Standards Framework, the *following questions must be asked of the evidence provided*.

Does the data/information *provide evidence* of:

- 1. The level of **ENGAGEMENT** in **each** of the *key roles* and *dimensions* of *teaching* **expected at this level**?
- 2. EFFECTIVENESS in each of the *key roles* and *dimensions* of *teaching* expected at this level?
- 3. ESTEEM at the level expected of a teacher at this level?
- 4. IMPACT of the type and at the level expected of a teacher at this level?
- 5. INFLUENCE of the type and at the level expected of a teacher at this level?
- 6. The level of **SUSTAINABILITY** of performance/contribution **expected of a teacher at this level**?

Figure 19 illustrates the **spheres of** *Esteem, Influence* and *Impact* expected at different levels promotion/appointment by type of appointment.





# Glossary

# Accomplished

An individual is deemed to be an *accomplished teacher* when they can provide evidence of a sustained capacity for high quality teaching, underpinned by a deep knowledge of scholarly, evidence-based thinking, that produces high quality learning outcomes and experiences for students, within their discipline or profession.

#### **Assistant Professor**

A tenure track position in a higher education institution that requires the incumbent to assume significant responsibilities for teaching including those of the teacher practitioner, teacher leader and teacher manager.

# **Associate Professor**

A continuing, tenured position in a higher education institution that requires the incumbent to demonstrate considerable leadership in fulfilling the responsibilities of a scholarly, reflective evidence based teacher practitioner, teacher leader and teacher manager.

# Discipline

A branch of knowledge, study, enquiry and research that is strongly associated with a given scholastic subject area or business unit within a higher education institution. For example, the disciplines of mathematics, physics and chemistry are strongly associated with the scholastic subject area of Science and are critical disciplines underpinning the work in faculties like medicine and engineering.

#### **Educational Design**

That dimension of teaching that involves designing, developing & deploying resources, learning activities, support, and assessment tasks within physical and/or digital environments to enable and support learning.

#### Effective

An individual is deemed to be an *effective teacher* when they can provide evidence of a sustained capacity for quality teaching, underpinned by scholarly, reflective, evidence-based thinking, that produces high quality learning outcomes and experiences for students, within their discipline or profession.

#### Esteem

The respect in which an individual is held based upon their achievements, performance, contributions or abilities.

#### Evidence

The available body of facts or information indicating whether a belief or proposition is true or valid.

# Expert

An individual is deemed to be an *expert teacher* when they can provide evidence of a sustained capacity for high quality teaching, underpinned by a deep knowledge of the

scholarship of learning and teaching, that produces high quality learning outcomes and experiences for students, within and beyond their discipline or profession.

# Faculty

The name given to the largest of the constituent business units of a higher education institution associated with a broad area of scholarly interest (e.g., Medicine, Law, Education or Engineering).

# **Full Professor**

A continuing, tenured position in a higher education institution that requires the incumbent to demonstrate expert, scholarly, reflective, and evidence-based leadership in fulfilling the responsibilities of a teacher practitioner, teacher leader and teacher manager

#### Impact

the objective measurable *change* in those things to which teaching, either as a practitioner, leader or manager, is directed - improvements in student learning outcomes; student experience /satisfaction of/with learning, teaching, curricula, or the organisational (administrative, technological, physical, social or cultural) conditions in support of same.

# Indicator

A thing that indicates the state or level of something. For example, teaching indicators are things that indicate the particular condition of an individual's teaching at a specific point in time.

# Influence

The effect that an individual has on another's thinking, practice or development as a teacher (e.g., a colleague changes their approach to the provision of assessment feedback as a result the individual's advocacy for the change). Influence could therefore be evidenced by: narratives or testimonials from others; copies of personal statements of teaching philosophy; curriculum artefacts; evaluation strategies/instruments; and/or scholarly articles/presentations

#### **Learning Facilitation**

That dimension of teaching that involves engaging, challenging, scaffolding, supporting and providing students with feedback on their learning.

#### Lecturer

An entry level, non-tenured, often full-time teaching position in a higher education institution that requires the incumbent to assume significant responsibilities for teaching including those of the teacher practitioner, teacher leader and teacher manager.

#### Program

The body of work that must be satisfactorily completed for a qualification (e.g., a diploma or degree) to be awarded.

#### Recognition

Is the appreciation someone shows for another's achievements, performance, contributions or abilities.

#### **Reflective Practice**

That dimension of teaching that involves the analysis of data to inform ongoing efforts to assure and improve the quality of one's teaching, student learning & curricula.

# **Research and Teaching (RT) Positions**

Positions that incorporate expectations of *substantive contributions to both disciplinary research and teaching* related activities. Typically, 40% of a full-time workload is devoted to each of these activities, with the balance (20%) taken up with institutional- or communityservice related activities. Such positions carry expectations of *significant contributions to research through supervision, publications and leadership in relation to the development of the discipline, and excellence in relation to teaching within the normative practices of the discipline*. RT positions may or may not be tenured and/or continuing in nature, and are identified by a variety of different job titles (e.g., Lecturer, Senior Lecturer, Assistant/Associate/Full Professor) within and across institutions.

# **Scholarly Practice**

That dimension of teaching that involves engaging in and with, and/or contributing to, the scholarship of teaching and learning (SOTL) through the dissemination of teaching approaches and /or enhancements.

#### School

The name given to the constituent business units of a Faculty within a higher education institution. Typically, Schools focus on studies in particular components (e.g., Public Health or Mechanical Engineering) of broader areas of scholarly interest (e.g., Medicine or Engineering). Sometimes called a department or discipline.

#### **Scope of Influence**

The extent to which an individual is able to influence or affect the thinking, practice, or development of others. (e.g., The individual was able to influence colleagues within and beyond their own institution.)

# Standard

A level of quality or attainment.

# Subject

The name given to the components of the program of studies that must be satisfactorily completed for the award of a qualification (diploma or degree). Sometimes called a course, topic, or module.

#### Sustainability

The ability to maintain a certain rate or level of performance and/or contribution over time.

#### **Teacher Leader**

The focus of the *Teacher Leader* is on the work the individual does in any of the four key areas or dimensions of teaching (Learning Facilitation, Educational Design, Reflective or Scholarly Practice) to *influence and support others to innovate or change their practice* in any of these areas of teaching.

#### **Teacher Manager (FPMR)**

The focus of the *Teacher Manager* role, for individuals occupying a Formal Position of Management Responsibility (FPMR) in relation to teaching beyond those of a Subject convener, is on the work the individual does to create and maintain organisational conditions to enable and support learning and teaching within the organizational unit(s) for which they are responsible.

#### **Teacher Manager (NFPMR)**

The focus of the *Teacher Manager* role for individuals with No Formal Position of Management Responsibility (NFPMR) beyond those of a Subject convener, is on the work the individual does to create and maintain organisational conditions necessary to enable and support learning and teaching within the Subject for which they are responsible.

#### **Teacher Practitioner**

The focus of the Teacher Practitioner is on the work the individual does in any of the four key areas or dimensions of teaching (Learning Facilitation, Educational Design, Reflective or Scholarly Practice) to *facilitate and support the learning of their* students

#### **Teaching Focused (TF) Positions**

Positions that require *significantly larger* contributions to *teaching and teaching related activities* than to *disciplinary research*. Typically, 60 to 80% of full-time workload is devoted to teaching and teaching related activities with the balance taken up with disciplinary research and/or institutional- or community-service. Such positions carry expectations of *significant leadership* in the *enhancement of teaching and* learning and in the *management of the organizational environments that support and/or enable high quality learning and teaching,* through the adoption of *scholarly, evidence based approaches.* TF positions may or may not be tenured and/or continuing in nature, and are identified by a variety of different job titles (e.g., Instructor, Lecturer, Assistant/Associate/Full Professor) within and across institutions.

#### Tutor

A non-tenured, usually part-time and fixed-term position in a higher education institution that requires the incumbent to assume the responsibilities of teacher practitioner for one or more cohorts of students enrolled in a subject offered and managed by a more senior individual.

|  |   |   | Level of Appointment   |  |   |
|--|---|---|--|--|---|
| Standard   | Level I - TUTOR   | Level II – LECTURER   | LEVEL III – ASSISTANT PROFESSOR  | LEVEL IV – ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR   | LEVEL V – FULL PROFESSOR  |
| General<br>Overall<br>Standard for<br>R&T and TF<br>Appointments | The individual should be <i>recognised</i> and<br><i>possibly</i> ESTEEMED as an <u>EFFECTIVE</u> and<br><b>REFLECTIVE</b> teacher practitioner, with positive<br>IMPACT and INFLUENCE on student learning<br>and experience, WITHIN the SUBJECTS they<br>teach.  | The individual should be <i>recognised</i> and<br><b>ESTEEMED</b> as an <u>EFFECTIVE</u> and <u>REFLECTIVE</u><br>teacher practitioner, leader and manager,<br>with positive SUSTAINED IMPACT and<br>INFLUENCE on student learning and<br>experience, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the<br>SUBJECTS they teach.  | The individual should be <i>recognised</i> and<br>ESTEEMED as an <u>EFFECTIVE</u> , SCHOLARLY,<br>and REFLECTIVE teacher practitioner,<br>leader and manager, with positive<br>SUSTAINED IMPACT and INFLUENCE on<br>teaching and learning, WITHIN and<br>possibly BEYOND the PROGRAM(S) in<br>which they teach.  | The individual should be <i>recognised</i> and<br>ESTEEMED as an <u>ACCOMPLISHED</u> ,<br>SCHOLARLY, and REFLECTIVE teacher<br>practitioner, leader and manager, with<br>positive SUSTAINED IMPACT and<br>INFLUENCE on teaching and learning,<br>WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their<br>SCHOOL.   | The individual should be <i>recognised</i> and<br>ESTEEMED as an <u>EXPERT</u> , SCHOLARLY, and<br>REFLECTIVE teacher practitioner, leader<br>and manager, with positive SUSTAINED<br>IMPACT and INFLUENCE on teaching and<br>learning, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND<br>their FACULTY.  |
| Specific<br>In terms of<br>Key Indicators                        | <ul> <li><u>RT Appointments</u></li> <li>The individual should <i>provide evidence</i> from their <i>STUDENTS</i> and <i>PEERS</i>, of: <ol> <li>Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for being an <i>EFFECTIVE teacher practitioner</i> in their <i>discipline/profession</i>, in the areas of <i>learning facilitation</i> and <i>reflective practice</i>.</li> <li>Their positive IMPACT on the <i>learning outcomes</i> and experiences of their students.</li> <li>Their positive INFLUENCE on the <i>approaches to learning</i> adopted by their students.</li> <li>SUSTAINED and <i>regular:</i> <ul> <li><i>review</i> and <i>reflection</i>, based on <i>feedback from students</i> and <i>peers</i>, on their <i>teaching</i> and <i>its</i> IMPACT on <i>their students' learning</i> and <i>experience</i>.</li> <li><i>participation</i> in <i>PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT</i> activities focused on <i>effective facilitation of student learning</i>.</li> </ul> </li> </ol></li></ul> | <ul> <li><u>RT Appointments</u></li> <li>The individual should <i>provide evidence</i> from their <i>STUDENTS</i> and <i>PEERS</i> of:</li> <li>1. Recognition and ESTEEM for being an <i>EFFECTIVE teacher practitioner</i> in their <i>discipline/profession</i>, in the areas of <i>learning facilitation, educational design</i>, and <i>reflective practice</i>.</li> <li>2. Their positive IMPACT on the <i>learning outcomes</i> and <i>experiences</i> of <i>students</i> and on the <i>continuing development</i> of: <ul> <li><i>learning activities</i></li> <li><i>assessment</i> and <i>feedback strategies</i></li> <li><i>learning environments</i> deployed and utilized <i>WITHIN the SUBJECT(S)</i> for which they are responsible.</li> </ul> </li> <li>3. Their positive INFLUENCE on <i>their students' approaches to learning</i>.</li> <li>4. SUSTAINED performance as an <i>EFFECTIVE teacher practitioner</i> in the areas of <i>learning facilitation, educational design</i>, and <i>reflective practice</i> for <i>at least 3 years</i>.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li><u>RT Appointments</u></li> <li><u>The individual should provide evidence</u></li> <li>from STUDENTS and PEERS from WITHIN</li> <li>the PROGRAM(S) in which they teach of: <ol> <li>Recognition and ESTEEM for being an</li> <li><i>EFFECTIVE, scholarly, and reflective, teacher practitioner, leader, and manager</i> in their discipline/profession.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Their positive IMPACT on the <i>learning outcomes</i> and <i>experiences</i> of students and on the quality of the: <ol> <li><i>learning activities</i></li> <li>assessment and feedback strategies</li> <li><i>learning environments</i></li> <li>deployed and utilized WITHIN the PROGRAM(S) in which they teach.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Their positive INFLUENCE on students' approaches to learning.</li> <li>SUSTAINED performance in ALL FOUR core dimensions of teaching (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly teaching) for at least 3 to 5 years.</li> </ul> | RT Appointments         The individual should provide evidence         from STUDENTS and PEERS from WITHIN         their SCHOOL of:         1. Recognition and ESTEEM for being an         ACCOMPLISHED, scholarly and reflective         teacher practitioner, leader and manager         in their discipline/profession.         2. Their positive IMPACT on the learning         outcomes and experiences of students,         and on the quality of the:         • learning activities         • assessment and feedback strategies         • learning environments         deployed and utilized WITHIN their         SCHOOL in their area of disciplinary/         professional expertise.         3. Their positive INFLUENCE on students'         approaches to learning.         4. SUSTAINED performance in ALL FOUR         core dimensions of teaching (learning         facilitation, educational design, reflective         and scholarly teaching) for at least 5 to 7         years. | <ul> <li><u>RT Appointments</u></li> <li>The individual should <i>provide evidence</i></li> <li>from <i>STUDENTS</i> and <i>PEERS</i> from <i>WITHIN</i></li> <li><i>their FACULTY</i> of:</li> <li>1. Recognition and ESTEEM for being an <u>EXPERT</u>, <i>scholarly</i> and <i>reflective</i> teacher <i>practitioner</i>, leader and manager in their discipline/ profession.</li> <li>2. Their positive IMPACT on the learning outcomes and experiences of students, and on the quality of the: <ul> <li>learning activities</li> <li>assessment and feedback strategies</li> <li>learning environments</li> <li>deployed and utlised WITHIN their <i>FACULTY</i> in their area of disciplinary/ professional expertise.</li> </ul> </li> <li>3. Their positive INFLUENCE on students' approaches to learning.</li> <li>4. SUSTAINED performance in ALL FOUR core dimensions of teaching (learning facilitation, educational design, reflective and scholarly teaching) for at least 7 years.</li> </ul> |
| In terms of  | <ul> <li><u>TF Appointments</u></li> <li>In addition to the above, the individual should provide evidence, from students and peers WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the SUBJECTS in which they teach, of:</li> <li>5. Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for their: <ul> <li>capacity to design learning activities, assessment tasks, feedback strategies and learning environments that EFFECTIVELY scaffold and support student learning.</li> <li>reflective, EVIDENCE BASED approach to the ongoing development of their teaching.</li> </ul> </li> <li>6. Their INFLUENCE on the approaches to teaching adopted by their peers as a result of them sharing their approaches to teaching with others.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li><u>TF Appointments</u></li> <li>In addition to the above, the individual should provide evidence, from WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the PROGRAMS in which they teach, of:</li> <li>5. Recognition and ESTEEM from peers for their engagement with, understanding and use of, the scholarship of teaching and learning in their discipline/ profession, in exercising their roles as teacher practitioner, leader and manager.</li> <li>6. The positive IMPACT and INFLUENCE of their KNOWLEDGE of the scholarship of teaching and learning on the design, development and adoption of research or evidence-based approaches to educational design, learning facilitation, and review/evaluation of learning/ teaching/curricula WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the SUBJECTS they teach.</li> </ul>   | TF Appointments         In addition to the above, the individual should provide evidence, from WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their SCHOOL, of:         5. Recognition and ESTEEM from peers for their SUBSTANTIAL engagement with, understanding of and developing capacity for contribution to, the scholarship of teaching and learning WITHIN the area of their disciplinary/ professional expertise.         6. The positive IMPACT and INFLUENCE of their LEADERSHIP on the design, development, dissemination and adoption of INNOVATIVE approaches to educational design, learning facilitation, and the review/evaluation of learning/teaching/curricula, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their SCHOOL.  | TF Appointments         In addition to the above, the individual should provide evidence, from WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their FACULTY, of:         5. Recognition and ESTEEM from peers for their DEEP engagement with, understanding of and regular contributions to the scholarship of teaching and learning WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the area of their disciplinary/ professional expertise.         6. The positive IMPACT and INFLUENCE of their LEADERSHIP on the design, development, dissemination and adoption of INNOVATIVE approaches to educational design, learning facilitation, and the review/evaluation of learning/ teaching/curricula, WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their FACULTY, for a SUSTAINED period.  | TF Appointments         In addition to the above, the individual should provide evidence, from WITHIN and BEYOND their INSTITUTION, of:         5. Recognition and ESTEEM from peers for their DEEP and EXTENSIVE engagement with, understanding of, and contributions to the scholarship of teaching and learning WITHIN and BEYOND the area of their disciplinary/ professional expertise.         6. The positive IMPACT and INFLUENCE of their LEADERSHIP on the design, development, dissemination and adoption of INNOVATIVE approaches to the governance, management and/or practice of teaching, WITHIN and BEYOND their INSTITUTION, for a SUSTAINED period.   |

| ng Role <u>RT</u> | Appointments  | RT Appointments   | RT Appointments  | RT Appointments  | RT Appointments  |
|-------------------|---|---|--|--|--|
|                   | e individual <b>should provide evidence,</b> from                                       | The individual <b>should provide evidence</b> from                                      | The individual <b>should provide evidence</b> from         | The individual <b>should provide evidence</b> from           | The individual <b>should provide evidence</b> from           |
|                   | idents and peers, of:   | students and peers of:  | students and peers in the discipline/                      | WITHIN their SCHOOL, discipline and/or                       | WITHIN their FACULTY, discipline and/or                      |
|                   | Recognition for achievement in the  | 1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED   | <i>profession</i> in which they work of:                   | profession of:   | profession of:   |
|                   | EFFECTIVE deployment of:  | achievement in the effective deployment   | 1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED                    | 1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED                      | 1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED                      |
|                   | <ul> <li>Learning activities and resources that</li> </ul>                              | of:   | excellence in the design, development and                  | <i>excellence</i> in the <i>design, development</i> and      | excellence in the design, development and                    |
|                   | -   |   |  |  | <u>-</u>   |
|                   | engage, challenge, scaffold, and  | Learning programs, activities and   | deployment of:   | deployment of:   | deployment of:   |
|                   | advance student enquiry and learning;   | resources that engage, challenge,   | • Learning programs, activities and                        | Learning programs, activities and                            | Learning programs, activities and                            |
|                   | and meet required quality standards;  | scaffold, and advance student enquiry   | resources that respond to changing                         | resources that respond to changing                           | resources that respond to changing                           |
|                   | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies</li> </ul>                                  | and learning; and meet required quality   | priorities; engage, challenge, scaffold,                   | priorities; engage, challenge, scaffold,                     | priorities; engage, challenge, scaffold,                     |
|                   | <u>and</u> learning environments (physical  | standards.  | and advance student enquiry and                            | and advance student enquiry and                              | and advance student enquiry and                              |
|                   | and virtual) that scaffold and support  | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies and</li> </ul>                              | <i>learning</i> ; and <i>meet</i> required quality         | <i>learning</i> ; <u>and</u> <i>meet</i> required quality    | <i>learning</i> ; <u>and</u> <i>meet</i> required quality    |
|                   | student learning <u>and facilitate</u> and  | learning environments (physical and   | standards.   | standards.   | standards.   |
|                   | enable student agency;  | virtual) that <i>scaffold</i> and <i>support</i> student                                | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies and</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies and</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies and</li> </ul>   |
|                   | <ul> <li>evaluation instruments and tools that</li> </ul>                               | learning and facilitate and enable  | learning environments (physical and                        | learning environments (physical and                          | learning environments (physical and                          |
|                   | support ongoing review and  | student agency.   | virtual) that scaffold and support student                 | virtual) that scaffold and support student                   | virtual) that <i>scaffold</i> and <i>support</i> student     |
|                   | development of their teaching and   | • Evaluation instruments and tools that   | learning and facilitate and enable                         | learning and facilitate and enable                           | learning and facilitate and enable                           |
|                   | students' learning experience.  | support ongoing review and  | student agency.  | student agency.  | student agency.  |
| 2.                | Engagement in professional development  | improvement of student learning   | • Evaluation instruments and tools that                    | • Evaluation instruments and tools that                      | • Evaluation instruments and tools that                      |
|                   | activities to develop the knowledge,  | experience, teaching strategies, curricula,   | support ongoing review and                                 | support ongoing review and                                   | support ongoing review and                                   |
|                   | skills, and capabilities necessary to   | and the organisational environments in  | improvement of student learning                            | improvement of student learning                              | improvement of student learning                              |
|                   | EFFECTIVELY deploy  | which learning and teaching occur.  | experience, teaching strategies, curricula,                | experience, teaching strategies, curricula,                  | experience, teaching strategies, curricula,                  |
|                   | <ul> <li>Learning programs, activities, and</li> </ul>                                  | 2. A developing familiarity with the scholarly,   | and the organisational environments in                     | and the organisational environments in                       | and the organisational environments in                       |
|                   | resources;  | research based thinking that underpins  | which learning and teaching occur.                         | which learning and teaching occur.                           | which learning and teaching occur.                           |
|                   | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies;</li> </ul>                                 | current approaches to the design,   | 2. Familiarity with and use of the scholarly               | 2. <i>Deep familiarity</i> with <u>and</u> <i>use</i> of the | 2. <i>Deep familiarity</i> with <u>and</u> <i>use</i> of the |
|                   | <ul> <li>Assessment and recuback strategies,</li> <li>Learning environments;</li> </ul> | development and deployment of:  | research based thinking that underpins                     | scholarly research based thinking that                       | scholarly research based thinking that                       |
|                   | 5   | <ul> <li>Learning programs, activities, and</li> </ul>                                  | current approaches to the design,                          | underpins <i>current approaches to</i> the <i>design</i> ,   | underpins <i>current approaches to</i> the                   |
|                   | <ul> <li>Evaluation instruments and tools to</li> </ul>                                 |   | development and deployment of:                             | development and deployment of:                               | design, development and deployment of:                       |
|                   | support ongoing review and  | resources;  | · <u> </u>   | · <u> </u>   |  |
|                   | improvement.  | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies;</li> </ul>                                 | <ul> <li>Learning programs, activities, and</li> </ul>     | <ul> <li>Learning programs, activities, and</li> </ul>       | <ul> <li>Learning programs, activities, and</li> </ul>       |
|                   |   | Learning environments;  | resources;   | resources;   | resources;   |
|                   |   | <ul> <li>Evaluation instruments and tools to</li> </ul>                                 | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies;</li> </ul>    | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies;</li> </ul>      | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies;</li> </ul>      |
|                   |   | support ongoing review and  | <ul> <li>Learning environments;</li> </ul>                 | <ul> <li>Learning environments;</li> </ul>                   | <ul> <li>Learning environments;</li> </ul>                   |
|                   |   | improvement.  | <ul> <li>Evaluation instruments and tools to</li> </ul>    | <ul> <li>Evaluation instruments and tools to</li> </ul>      | <ul> <li>Evaluation instruments and tools to</li> </ul>      |
|                   |   | 3. Engagement in professional development   | support ongoing review and                                 | support ongoing review and                                   | support ongoing review and                                   |
|                   |   | activities designed to develop their  | improvement.   | improvement.   | improvement.   |
|                   |   | <b>capabilities</b> as a <b>n effective, reflective</b>                                 | 3. SUSTAINED engagement in professional                    | 3. SUSTAINED engagement in professional                      | 3. SUSTAINED engagement in professional                      |
|                   |   | teacher PRACTITIONER.   | development activities designed to                         | development activities designed to develop                   | development activities designed to                           |
|                   |   |   | develop their <i>capabilities</i> as a <i>scholarly,</i>   | their <i>capabilities</i> as a <i>scholarly, reflective</i>  | develop their <i>capabilities</i> as a <i>scholarly,</i>     |
|                   |   |   | reflective teacher PRACTITIONER.                           | teacher PRACTITIONER.  | reflective teacher PRACTITIONER.                             |
| TF                | Appointments_   | TF Appointments   | TF Appointments  | TF Appointments  | TF Appointments  |
| In a              | addition to the above, the individual <b>should</b>                                     | In addition to the above, the individual should   | In addition to the above, the individual should            | In addition to the above, the individual should              | In addition to the above, the individual should              |
|                   | ovide evidence of:  | provide evidence of:  | provide evidence from WITHIN and possibly                  | provide evidence, from WITHIN and possibly                   | provide evidence from WITHIN and BEYOND                      |
| 3.                | Recognised capacity to design/create  | 4.SUSTAINED achievement in the design and   | BEYOND their SCHOOL of:                                    | BEYOND their FACULTY of:                                     | their <b>INSTITUTION</b> of:                                 |
|                   | EFFECTIVE:  | development of EFFECTIVE:   | 4. A capacity for ESTEEMED contributions to                | 4. Regular, recognised and ESTEEMED                          | 4. Extensive, recognised and ESTEEMED                        |
|                   | <ul> <li>Learning programs, activities, and</li> </ul>                                  | <ul> <li>Learning programs, activities, and</li> </ul>                                  | scholarly debate and/or literature related                 | contributions to scholarly debate and/or                     | <i>contributions</i> to <i>scholarly debate</i> and/or       |
|                   | resources;  | resources;  | to the design, development, and review of                  | <i>literature</i> related to the design,                     | <i>literature</i> related to the design,                     |
|                   | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies;</li> </ul>                                 | <ul> <li>Assessment and feedback strategies;</li> </ul>                                 | teaching, learning, curricula and the                      | development, and/or review of teaching,                      | development, and/or review of teaching,                      |
|                   | <b>.</b> .  | <b>.</b> .  | organisational environments that support                   | learning, curricula and the organisational                   | learning, curricula and the organisational                   |
|                   | <ul> <li>Learning environments;</li> <li>Evaluation instruments and tools to</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Learning environments;</li> <li>Evaluation instruments and tools to</li> </ul> | learning and teaching.                                     | environments that support learning and                       | environments that support learning and                       |
|                   | <ul> <li>Evaluation instruments and tools to</li> </ul>                                 | <ul> <li>Evaluation instruments and tools to</li> </ul>                                 | 5. SUSTAINED engagement in professional                    | teaching.  | teaching.  |
|                   | support ongoing review and  | support ongoing review and  |  | 5. SUSTAINED engagement in professional                      | 5. SUSTAINED engagement in professional                      |
|                   | improvement.  | improvement.  | <i>development activities</i> designed to                  |  |  |
| 4.                |   | 5. Engagement in professional learning  | develop their <i>capabilities</i> as a <i>scholarly</i> ,  | development activities designed to improve                   | <i>development activities</i> designed to <u>further</u>     |
|                   | knowledge, skills, <u>and</u> capabilities to be an                                     | activities designed to develop their  | reflective teacher LEADER and MANAGER.                     | their <i>capabilities</i> as a <i>scholarly, reflective</i>  | improve their <i>capabilities</i> as a <i>scholarly,</i>     |
|                   | effective educational designer.   | capabilities as an effective, reflective  |  | teacher LEADER and MANAGER.                                  | reflective teacher LEADER and MANAGER.                       |
|                   |   | teacher LEADER and MANAGER.   |  |  |  |
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| <u>RT Appointments</u> The individual <i>might provide evidence</i> from peers WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the         SUBJECTS in which they teach of:         1. CONTRIBUTIONS to LEADERSHIP in the development of teaching and/or learning within the subject(s) in which they teach – developments that come about through the sharing of their practice with others.                                  | <ul> <li><u>RT Appointments</u> The individual <i>might provide evidence</i> of: <ol> <li>Recognition <u>and</u> <i>possibly</i> ESTEEM for</li> <li>SUSTAINED CONTRIBUTION to LEADERSHIP in: <ul> <li>ongoing critical review of the currency of the purposes, foci <u>and</u> content of the</li> <li>SUBJECTS they teach, in light of</li> <li>developments in their discipline/</li> <li>profession</li> <li>the design, development, delivery and</li> <li>review of professional development</li> <li>activities to develop <u>and/or</u> maintain</li> <li>their colleagues' awareness of the</li> <li>implications of developments in their</li> <li>discipline/profession for the future</li> <li>development of the SUBJECTS in which</li> <li>they teach.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Their INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the</li> <li>evolution of the content, foci and purposes of the SUBJECTS in which they teach.</li> </ol></li></ul> | <u>RT Appointments</u> The individual should provide evidence from         WITHIN their PROGRAM, discipline and/or         profession of:         1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED         LEADERSHIP in engaging others in the:         • ongoing critical review of the currency<br>of the purposes, foci and content of the<br>educational PROGRAMS and services in<br>which they teach, in light of<br>developments in their<br>discipline/profession         • design, development, delivery and<br>review of professional development<br>activities to develop and/or maintain<br>their colleagues' awareness of the<br>implications of developments in their<br>discipline/profession for the future<br>development of educational PROGRAMS<br>and services in which they teach.         2. Their INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the<br>evolution of the content, foci and purposes<br>of the educational PROGRAMS and services<br>in which they teach.   | <u>RT Appointments</u> The individual should provide evidence from         WITHIN their SCHOOL, discipline_and/or         profession of:         1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED         LEADERSHIP in engaging others in the:         • ongoing critical review of the currency<br>of their SCHOOL's educational programs<br>and services, particularly their purposes,<br>foci and content, in light of<br>developments in their<br>discipline/profession         • design, development, delivery and<br>review of professional development<br>activities to develop and/or maintain<br>their colleagues' awareness of the<br>implications of developments in their<br>discipline/ profession for the future<br>development of their SCHOOL's<br>educational programs and services.         2. Their INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the<br>evolution of the content, foci and<br>purposes of their SCHOOL's educational<br>programs and services.   | <u>RT Appointments</u> The individual should provide evidence from         WITHIN their FACULTY, discipline_and/or         profession of:         1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED         LEADERSHIP in engaging others in the:         • ongoing critical review of the currency<br>of their FACULTY's educational programs<br>and services, particularly their purposes,<br>foci and content, in light of<br>developments in their<br>discipline/profession         • design, development, delivery and<br>review of professional development<br>activities to develop and/or maintain<br>their colleagues' awareness of the<br>implications of developments in their<br>discipline/profession for the future<br>development of their FACULTY's<br>educational programs and services.         2. Their INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the<br>evolution of the content, foci and purposes<br>of their FACULTY's educational programs<br>and services.  |
| <u>TF Appointments</u> In addition to the above, the individual might provide evidence of:         2. Recognised and ESTEEMED capacity to successfully foster and build collaborative and collegial approaches to the development of teaching within the subject(s) in which they teach - approaches that result in significant and SUSTAINED improvement in student learning outcomes and/or experience. | TF Appointments         In addition to the above, the individual should provide evidence of:         3. Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for CONTRIBUTIONS to LEADERSHIP WITHIN and possibly BEYOND the PROGRAMS in which they teach, in:         • evidence-based review, (re)design and (re)development of learning and teaching designs, activities, resources and environments to align with advances in the discipline/profession         • fostering and building collaborative and collegial approaches to educational innovation and change         • realising SUSTAINED improvement in learning, teaching, curricula, and/or the organizational conditions that enable and support such activities.         • the design and delivery of professional development activities designed to improve the knowledge, skills, and capabilities of individuals as effective, reflective teacher practitioners, leaders and managers.     | <ul> <li><u>TF Appointments</u></li> <li>In addition to the above, the individual should provide evidence of:</li> <li>3. Recognition and ESTEEM for LEADERSHIP WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their SCHOOL in:</li> <li>scholarly, research- and evidence-based review, (re)design and/or (re)development of learning and teaching designs, activities, resources and environments to align with advances in the discipline/profession.</li> <li>fostering and building collaborative and collegial approaches to educational innovation and change</li> <li>realising SUSTAINED improvement in learning, teaching, curricula, and/or the organizational conditions that enable and support such activities.</li> <li>engaging in and disseminating the outcomes of scholarly research in teaching and learning within and possibly beyond their discipline/ professional development activities designed to improve the knowledge, skills, and capabilities of individuals as scholarly, reflective teacher practitioners, leaders, and managers.</li> </ul> | TF Appointments         In addition to the above, the individual should provide evidence of:         3. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED LEADERSHIP WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their FACULTY in:         • scholarly, research- and evidence-based review, (re)design and/or (re)development of learning and teaching designs, activities, resources and environments to align with advances in the discipline/profession.         • fostering and building collaborative and collegial approaches to educational innovation and change         • realising SUSTAINED improvement in learning, teaching, curricula, and/or the organizational conditions that enable and support such activities.         • engaging in and disseminating the outcomes of scholarly research in teaching and learning within and possibly beyond their discipline/ professional development activities designed to improve the knowledge, skills, and capabilities of individuals as scholarly, reflective teacher practitioners, leaders, and managers. | <ul> <li><u>TF Appointments</u></li> <li>In addition to the above, the individual should provide evidence of:</li> <li>3. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED LEADERSHIP WITHIN and BEYOND their INSTITUTION in:</li> <li>scholarly, research- and evidence-based review, (re)design and/or (re)development of learning and teaching designs, activities, resources and environments to align with advances in the discipline/profession.</li> <li>fostering and building collaborative and collegial approaches to educational innovation and change</li> <li>realising SUSTAINED improvement in learning, teaching, curricula, and/or the organizational conditions that enable and support such activities.</li> <li>engaging in and disseminating the outcomes of scholarly research in teaching and learning within and possibly beyond their discipline/ professional development activities designed to improve the knowledge, skills, and capabilities of individuals as scholarly, reflective teacher practitioners, leaders, and managers.</li> </ul> |

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|  | RT Appointments         The individual should provide evidence of:         1. Recognition for creating positive student         learning experiences through effective         MANAGEMENT and/or         ADMINISTRATION         of the business processes, resources and         environments         SUBJECTS         they teach.  | RT Appointments         The individual should provide evidence of:         1. Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for         SUSTAINED contributions to positive         student learning experiences through         effective MANAGEMENT and/or         ADMINISTRATION of the business         processes, resources and environments         associated with the SUBJECTS they teach.  | RT Appointments         The individual should provide evidence of:         1. Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for         SUSTAINED contributions to positive         student learning experiences through         effective MANAGEMENT and/or         ADMINISTRATION of the business         processes, resources and environments         associated with the SUBJECTS and/or         PROGRAMS in which they teach.  | RT Appointments         The individual should provide evidence of:         1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED contributions to positive student learning experiences through effective         MANAGEMENT and/or ADMINISTRATION of the business processes, resources and environments associated with the SUBJECTS and/or PROGRAMS for which they are responsible.   | RT Appointments<br>The individual should provide evidence, of:<br>1. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED<br>contributions to positive student learning<br>experiences through effective<br>MANAGEMENT and/or ADMINISTRATION<br>of the business processes, resources and<br>environments associated with the<br>SUBJECTS and/or PROGRAMS for which<br>they are responsible.   |
|  | TF Appointments<br>In addition to the above, the individual should<br>provide evidence of:<br>2. A capacity to IMPROVE students' learning<br>experiences by contributing ideas to and<br>support for the on-going improvement of<br>the administrative and business processes,<br>resources, and environments associated<br>with teaching and learning in the SUBJECTS<br>they teach. | TF Appointments         In addition to the above, the individual should         provide evidence of:         2. Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for         SUSTAINED IMPROVEMENT of students'         learning experiences by LEADING and         MANAGING the development and on-         going improvement of the administrative         and business processes, resources, and         environments associated with teaching         and learning in the SUBIECTS and         PROGRAMS in which they teach. | TF Appointments         In addition to the above, the individual should         provide evidence of:         2. Recognition and possibly ESTEEM for         SUSTAINED IMPROVEMENT of students'         learning experiences by LEADING and         MANAGING the development and on-         going improvement of the administrative         and business processes, resources, and         environments associated with teaching         and learning in the SUBJECTS and         PROGRAMS in which they teach.  | TF Appointments         In addition to the above, the individual should         provide evidence of:         2. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED         IMPROVEMENT of students' learning         experiences by LEADING and MANAGING         the development and on-going         improvement of the administrative and         business processes, resources, and         environments associated with teaching         and learning in the SUBJECTS and         PROGRAMS for which they are         responsible.  | TF Appointments         In addition to the above, the individual should         provide evidence of:         2. Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED         IMPROVEMENT of students' learning         experiences by LEADING and MANAGING         the development and on-going         improvement of the administrative and         business processes, resources, and         environments associated with teaching and         learning in the SUBJECTS and PROGRAMS         for which they are responsible.  |
| dditional<br>For those in<br>FPMR<br>n relation to<br>teaching | As individuals appointed at <b>LEVEL I - TUTOR</b><br>are generally not expected to assume formal<br>management responsibilities for aspects of<br>teaching and learning beyond those associated<br>with the individual's own subjects/students,<br><i>no additional standards apply</i> .  | As individuals appointed at LEVEL II -<br>LECTURER are generally not expected to<br>assume formal management responsibilities<br>for aspects of teaching and learning beyond<br>those associated with the individual's own<br>programs/subjects/ students, <i>no additional</i><br><i>standards apply</i> .   | <ul> <li>The individual should provide evidence of:</li> <li>Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED achievement, in effectively MANAGING the planning, deployment, monitoring and use of resources to enable and support the design, development, delivery and ongoing improvement of major components of their SCHOOL and/or FACULTY's teaching and learning programs, activities and services.</li> <li>Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT WITHIN their SCHOOL and/or FACULTY on the governance of learning and teaching through CONTRIBUTIONS to teaching, learning and other related committees and groups.</li> <li>Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the development of learning and teaching through LEADERSHIP of PROGRAM, SCHOOL, or FACULTY learning and teaching enhancement projects or programs, as required, from time-to-time.</li> </ul> | <ol> <li>The individual should provide evidence of:         <ol> <li>Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED achievement, in effectively MANAGING the planning, deployment, monitoring and use of resources to enable and support the design, development, delivery and on-going improvement of major components of their SCHOOL's, FACULTY's and/or INSTITUTION's teaching and learning programs, activities and services.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT WITHIN their SCHOOL, FACULTY and/or INSTITUTION on the governance of learning and teaching through CONTRIBUTIONS to teaching, learning and other related committees and groups.</li> <li>Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the development of learning and teaching through LEADERSHIP of PROGRAM, SCHOOL, or FACULTY learning and teaching enhancement projects or programs, as required, from time-to-time.</li> </ol> | <ul> <li>The individual should provide evidence of:</li> <li>Recognition and ESTEEM for SUSTAINED achievement, in effectively MANAGING the planning, deployment, monitoring and use of resources to enable and support the design, development, delivery and ongoing improvement of major components of their SCHOOL's, FACULTY's and/or INSTITUTION's teaching and learning programs, activities and services.</li> <li>Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT WITHIN and possibly BEYOND their SCHOOL, FACULTY and/or INSTITUTION on the governance of learning and teaching through LEADERSHIP in teaching, learning and other related committees and groups.</li> <li>Significant INFLUENCE and IMPACT on the development of learning and teaching through LEADERSHIP of PROGRAM, SCHOOL, FACULTY or INSTITUTIONAL learning and teaching enhancement projects or programs, as required, from time-to-time.</li> </ul> |

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