FACULTY ANNOUNCEMENT

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Post-Doctoral Fellowships AY2011-2012

As Asia’s Global Law School, the Faculty of Law of the National University of Singapore (NUS) is committed to fostering research and teaching excellence among young legal scholars. We are pleased, therefore, to invite applications for the position of Post-Doctoral Fellow in AY2011-2012.

Successful applicants will commence their Fellowships at the start of August 2011 and conclude them at the end of July 2012.

Benefits

Successful Fellows will have the following privileges:

1. Fellows will be appointed to the full-time position of Post-Doctoral Fellow at NUS for one year, with a fixed remuneration of $48,000. This sum is inclusive of stipends for housing and living expenses.
2. Fellows will be reimbursed a return economy class airfare (by the most economical and direct route) to and from Singapore.
3. Fellows will conduct research in their fields of interest and will be supported by full NUS library privileges.
4. Fellows may be given the opportunity to present their research in the Faculty of Law’s Research Seminar Series (RSS) and other Faculty seminars.

Selection criteria

The selection committee will consider the following criteria in making an appointment to the position of Post-Doctoral Fellow at NUS:

1. The applicant must be of exceptional calibre, having attained a doctoral degree in law which has been awarded no later than three years prior to 31 December 2010.
2. The principal selection criterion will be the applicant’s potential for excellence in research. An existing record of publications in top journals or participation in research projects are examples of evidence of such potential.
3. An important criterion will also be the proposed programme of research of the applicant. This may include, but is not limited to, preparing the completed doctoral research for publication as a monograph.
4. The selection committee will also consider the alignment of the proposed research with the NUS Law School’s research strengths and priorities. Apart from the core curriculum, in which NUS has long held significant strengths, these also include: Corporate and Financial Law, Asian Law and Legal Systems, International and Comparative Law, Constitutional and Criminal Law, Maritime and Aviation Law, Family and Child Law, and Intellectual Property and Technology Law.

Application procedure

Applicants are required to submit a detailed curriculum vitae, outlining their research plans for the next two years. The application should be supported by two references from academic referees. Applicants should arrange for their referees to send their references to the address below by the closing date.
The closing date for the receipt of applications and references is **31 December 2010**.

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