



# ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR - DIGITAL TRANSFORMATIONS

<b>DEPARTMENT/UNIT</b>	Maths, Science and Technology
<b>FACULTY/DIVISION</b>	Faculty of Education
<b>CLASSIFICATION</b>	Level D
<b>DESIGNATED CAMPUS OR LOCATION</b>	Clayton campus

## ORGANISATIONAL CONTEXT

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Monash is full of thinkers and doers who are looking for their next challenge. So if you've forged a rewarding career so far, this role provides the perfect platform to join us. You'll have access to quality research facilities, infrastructure and teaching spaces to do exciting work, along with opportunities to collaborate internationally. You'll be part of a university that's made up of inspirational, challenging thinkers and doers – and continue doing work that makes a lasting impact. Discover more at [www.monash.edu](http://www.monash.edu).

The Faculty of Education is internationally recognised for excellence in research, teaching and service. Operating across two campuses in metropolitan Melbourne, we offer a diverse and innovative curriculum that responds to international and local community needs, producing graduates who lead professional practice, public debate, policy and community action around the world.

Among our programs are undergraduate and masters teacher education degrees in early childhood, primary, and secondary education and a wide range of postgraduate coursework and research degrees in education, counselling, psychology and educational and organisational leadership. We have a vibrant research culture, and we are known for our openness to multidisciplinary critical research and our commitment to finding solutions to the key educational problems of our time.

For more information about the Faculty, please visit our website: [www.monash.edu/education](http://www.monash.edu/education).

## POSITION PURPOSE

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A Level D academic is expected to make a significant contribution to all activities of the organisational unit or interdisciplinary area and play a significant role within their profession or discipline. Academics at this level may be appointed in recognition of distinction in their disciplinary area.

The **Associate Professor – Digital Transformations** will work towards advancing and achieving the Faculty's strategic research priorities through a program of research focused on this cognate area. Consideration for an appointment in this position requires a track record of high quality, ground-breaking scholarly activities, undertaken individually and collaboratively.

The Faculty's research program in this area is diverse. It prioritises exploring and improving, through educational research, how education contributes to living justly and sustainably now and into the future. Our work contributes to the changing of policy and professional agendas with regards to technologies and education. A particular focus is to examine the educational implications of established and emerging digital technologies and practices in a super-diverse world.

*Consideration for an appointment in this position requires articulation of a trajectory and strong track record of high quality scholarly activities, undertaken individually and collaboratively, aligned with these horizons.*

Applicants should be innovative, ethical and inspiring scholars, able to solve problems and think clearly, creatively and critically about how education can help ensure current and future generations have opportunities to thrive.

Applicants must be able to teach into initial teacher education programs at undergraduate and graduate level in the curriculum field of digital technologies, as well as contribute to the broader studies of educational technologies, including digital enabled instructional design.

**Reporting Line:** The position reports to Head of Unit

**Supervisory Responsibilities:** This position provides direct supervision to approximately 6 staff

**Financial Delegation:** Not applicable

**Budgetary Responsibilities:** Not applicable

## KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

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Specific duties required of a Level D academic may include:

1. The preparation and delivery of lectures, tutorials, practical classes, demonstrations, workshops, and clinical sessions
2. Initiation and development of course materials
3. Course coordination including offering guidance to assistant lecturers and supervision of sessional staff in teaching unit/s if required
4. Consultation with students and supervision of PhD, honours and postgraduate students
5. Preparation and assessment of student assignments and examinations
6. Conduct of original research that will lead to publications in refereed journals or with high level academic or commercial publishers and attract external and government funding
7. Significant roles in research projects including, where appropriate, leadership of a research team
8. Significant contributions to the profession and/or discipline both nationally and internationally

## KEY SELECTION CRITERIA

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### Education/Qualifications

1. The appointee will have:
  - A doctoral qualification in the relevant discipline area

### Knowledge and Skills

2. A strong publication record in high-quality journals or equivalent and outstanding contribution to the discipline
3. Successful track record in obtaining external research grants
4. Record of successful supervision of postgraduate research students and the ability to make a significant contribution to postgraduate training programs

5. Demonstrated excellence in teaching in initial teacher education and other programs in the field of digital technologies
6. Demonstrated ability to mentor staff and students
7. High level of interpersonal skills and a proven ability to establish good working relationships with colleagues, students and members of community and professional bodies
8. Demonstrated leadership in committees and other administrative work and portfolios
9. Proven ability to promote the discipline internally within the University as well as externally both nationally and internationally
10. A demonstrated capacity to work in a collegiate manner with other staff in the workplace

## **OTHER JOB RELATED INFORMATION**

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- Travel to other campuses of the University may be required
- There may be a requirement to work additional hours from time to time
- There may be peak periods of work during which taking of leave may be restricted
- A current satisfactory Working With Children Check is required

## **GOVERNANCE**

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Monash University expects staff to appropriately balance risk and reward in a manner that is sustainable to its long-term future, contribute to a culture of honesty and integrity, and provide an environment that is safe, secure and inclusive. Ensure you are aware of and adhere to University policies relevant to the duties undertaken and the values of the University. This is a standard which the University sees as the benchmark for all of its activities in Australia and internationally.