

## University of Venda Vice Chancellor Academic Vacancies Requirements:-

A relevant doctoral degree is essential;

In addition, the ideal candidate will be someone who fulfils the following criteria:

Has at least 20 years' experience in higher education of which at least 15 years will have been at a university;

Has at least eight years' experience in a senior leadership role in academic institutions at the level of Dean or higher;

Is an established academic leader and scholar with an excellent publication and research record and proven excellence in teaching and learning at a level to attract respect and credibility from within the University, international scholars and other relevant external bodies;

Has demonstrated a track record of successfully managing a complex portfolio, or running a unit such as a faculty of reasonable size;

Has a successful record of leadership and team work;

Has experience in strategic thinking and operationalizing such thinking into plans and projects;

Has an understanding of the challenges in the higher education landscape in SA and internationally;

Has a detailed understanding of the operations and affairs, including funding, of a university environment;

Has demonstrated familiarity with current trends in curriculum transformation; student access, retention and success;

Has experience in areas of teaching and learning, innovative course and programme design, academic development and support;