



**Assistant/ Associate Professor, Sustainable Development and Economy**  
**University of The Bahamas, Commonwealth of The Bahamas**

<b>Date Posted</b>	March 2021
<b>Type</b>	Three-year contract with an option to renew
<b>Salary</b>	Negotiable
<b>Employment Type</b>	Full-time

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The Faculty of Pure and Applied Sciences is pleased to invite applications for the position of Assistant/ Associate Professor, Sustainable Development and Economy. This full-time appointment will begin 2nd August 2021.

The Small Island Sustainability Programme is seeking a faculty member with a strong commitment to undergraduate teaching and research. The successful candidate will be required to secure external research funding, publish in peer-reviewed journals and mentor students. The successful candidates will assist in the development and review of programmes and courses, advise students as well as teach courses in sustainability and economics.

**Responsibilities.** Candidates are expected to demonstrate the ability establish a research agenda that addresses issues such as natural resource and land use, equity, sustainable and resilient communities, socio-ecological systems, and sustainable economic growth within a small island developing nation context. Candidates who demonstrate the ability to engage in multidisciplinary research that includes natural scientists, engineers, social scientist and policymakers with a particular focusing on the blue, green and circular economies will be given special consideration.

**Qualifications.** Candidates must have PhD. Degree in economics, applied economics, development economics or closely related field from an accredited university.

**Setting.** The University of The Bahamas (UB) is a vital catalyst for national development. Chartered on 10<sup>th</sup> November 2016, UB had its genesis in The College of The Bahamas which was established in 1974. Since 1995, the institution's academic offerings have expanded through the introduction of baccalaureate degree programmes offered across a broad range of approximately 60 majors. Master's degree programmes have included an MBA and an MSc in Reading and

Inclusive Education as well as graduate degree programmes offered in collaboration with various US universities. UB operates from the Oakes Field Campus and the Grosvenor Close Centre in New Providence; UB-North in Grand Bahama; and the Gerace Research Facility in San Salvador. Additional sites are planned for throughout the archipelago.

**Application.** Application materials should include:

A cover letter describing academic philosophy and vision, research and publications;

1. Copies of academic qualifications;
2. Copies of transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate degree programmes completed;
3. A current and complete curriculum vitae;
4. Copy of relevant pages of a valid passport showing photo ID, passport number and expiration date;
5. Three letters of reference;
6. Librarianship philosophy statement;
  - Evidence of excellence in librarianship;
  - Evidence of research and scholarship;
  - Evidence of service to the profession
7. Completed UB Application for Employment Form found at this link:  
<http://www.ub.edu.bs/wp-content/uploads/2016/10/UB-Application-forEmployment-Faculty.pdf>

**To Apply:** Apply electronically at [facultyapply@ub.edu.bs](mailto:facultyapply@ub.edu.bs) *noting the position in the subject field*. Only electronic submissions will be accepted. Attach the following documents (*in one efile/document*) with your electronic submission: cover letter; academic qualifications; transcripts; curriculum vitae; copy of relevant pages of valid passport; three letters of reference; and a completed UB Application for Employment form. Additional materials will be required of shortlisted candidates. For additional information or informal inquiries, contact [vpaa@ub.edu.bs](mailto:vpaa@ub.edu.bs).