Department of Linguistics and English Language

Vacancy ref:

Lectureships in Second/Foreign Language Education

Full-time Lecturer Grade 7 or 8

Indefinite post beginning 1 April 2013

The Department seeks to appoint a Lecturer (the UK equivalent to an Assistant Professor) in Second/Foreign Language Education.

You will have a PhD (or award within 12 months) and relevant research experience in second/foreign language education, and more specifically in one or more of the following areas: classroom research (especially social approaches), teacher development, teaching and learning materials, critical pedagogy, language socialisation and identity, second language writing, English for specific purposes, English for academic purposes.

You will join internationally known researchers and teachers in such related fields as Language Testing, Literacy Research, Second Language Acquisition, Language Teaching and Learning, Cognitive Linguistics, Corpus Linguistics, English Language study, Sociolinguistics, Phonology, and Discourse Studies.

You will pursue research and publication at a level appropriate for submission to the Research Excellence Framework in 2013 and will be expected to supervise MA and PhD students. You will teach on MA modules in second/foreign language education and contribute to some UG modules. You may also need to travel occasionally for delivery of short distance courses.

Informal enquiries may be made to Professor Elena Semino, Head of Department, e.semino@lancaster.ac.uk