



## Lecturer – Assistant Professor in Environmental Sciences

### **University description:**

Created in 1963, the ISA Group – Institute of Life Sciences – currently offers a variety of courses and programmes (earth and life sciences engineering, bachelor’s degrees, master’s degrees and apprenticeships) as well as research and consulting activities for companies, in the field of life sciences, including agriculture, agribusiness, the environment and landscape management.

The ISA Group is a member of Lille Catholic University, which welcomes 25,000 students (2,500 international students) and 5,000 staff members. The University offers 140 distinct degrees in 4 major fields: Law, Economics and Management / Sciences and Engineering / Humanities/ Health Sciences and Social Work.

The ISA Group invites applications for a tenure track position in Environmental Science. It seeks a broadly trained environmental specialist who will contribute to the development of a new Master’s degree course in Environmental Sciences that will be taught entirely in English on the subject of “Sustainable Management of Pollution”.

### **Job description:**

The ISA Group has a full-time tenure-track position available in Environmental Sciences. The position will focus on pollution and the management of polluted sites. The successful applicant will be required:

- To teach from a list of subjects ranging from site pollution diagnosis (pollution investigation, pollutant analysis, etc.) to site clean-up (physical remediation, chemical remediation, bioremediation etc.) or from water pollution diagnosis to water sanitation depending on the applicant’s experience;
- To collaborate with the Department of Environmental Sciences in building the new Master Programme for Sustainable Management of Pollution (opening in September 2013);
- To contribute to the Master’s degree course governance and organization;
- To advise undergraduate and graduate students and to supervise their internships;
- To participate in university fairs in France and abroad;
- Opportunities exist for involvement in research, outreach and international programmes to meet University scholarship and service requirements.

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- Involvement in research in the Soil and Environment Research Team;
- Involvement in outreach and international programmes to meet University scholarship and service requirements;
- Development of specific courses concerning risk assessment (human and environmental risks), environmental policy, water & sanitation, etc.

### **Qualifications:**

Applicants are expected to have a doctoral degree at the time of appointment or a master's degree and significant industry experience.

- Strong field skills, including the ability to operate the field equipment necessary for teaching and research are required;
- Experience in, or desire to work with, diverse populations of learners and stakeholders is preferable;
- Applicants should have a strong commitment to excellent and innovative teaching at undergraduate level and the ability to engage students in environmental science projects and fieldwork
- Ability to communicate and work in English; French skills would be a plus but are not necessary;
- Excellent team-oriented attitude;

### **Application Procedure:**

All the application materials, as listed below, should be submitted electronically in PDF format to [bertrand.pourrut@isa-lille.fr](mailto:bertrand.pourrut@isa-lille.fr):

- Letter of application
- Curriculum Vitae or Resumé
- Names, addresses and telephone numbers of three professional references
- Unofficial transcripts of academic work (official transcripts will be required prior to an official offer being made)
- Statement of Scholarly Interest
- Statement of Teaching Philosophy

For additional information about the position please contact Dr. Bertrand Pourrut, via email [bertrand.pourrut@isa-lille.fr](mailto:bertrand.pourrut@isa-lille.fr).

Salary will be commensurate with education and professional experience.

Appointment Date: April 2013 or as soon as possible thereafter.