

ROLE DESCRIPTOR

Job Title:	Head of School of Education
Department:	Faculty of Education, Health & Human Sciences (FEHHS)
Grade:	Senior Management Scale

Heads of School work to a consistent job description/person specification and will need to demonstrate our leadership behaviours. This role descriptor has been developed to reflect the local differences across disciplines/faculties.

This role descriptor is non-contractual and provided for guidance. It will be updated and amended from time to time in accordance with the changing needs of the University and the requirements of the job.

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In addition to the generic job descriptors, the Head of School of Education will be expected to be an experienced leader who can guide the School through the challenges of the post pandemic landscape and navigate the potential wide-ranging changes in the ITE and HE sectors over the years ahead. The Head of School of Education will be expected to:

- build further upon the good practice shown in outstanding Ofsted ratings for primary education, and good ratings for secondary, further education and skills sector and early-years outcomes and continue to ensure that all areas of the School continue to demonstrate excellence.
- They will engage with national and international Education networks, HE policy makers, and PSRBs e.g. UCET, OFSTED, DfE, London Higher, and University Alliance, advising the PVC/DD/ADs and FOO accordingly.
- They will also support and develop innovations in education related research, policy and practice and work closely with colleagues in developing interdisciplinary research and knowledge exchange to support the mission of the Institute for Lifecourse Development