

# Administrative Assistant

# **GRADE 3**

#### **Job Purpose**

To provide a range of administrative and support services to team or business unit.

# Main Duties and Responsibilities

- 1. Coordinate and support administrative tasks and processes across the team or business unit.
- 2. Provide support to groups and committees including notetaking, minuting and subsequent preparation of minutes as appropriate.
- 3. Diarise and arrange meetings, events, etc. as reasonably required.
- 4. Prepare meeting documentation including agenda, agenda setting, minute circulation, progressing actions and any associated papers.
- 5. Follow up on requisite actions, escalating issues and reporting accordingly to ensure timely completion of tasks.
- 6. Provide support to team members to produce content, develop communications and gather information.
- 7. Act as first point of contact for external/ internal enquiries to the team or business unit.
- 8. Undertake any other reasonable duties as required by the team.
- 9. Engage in reasonable professional development activities as appropriate.
- 10. Contribute to the enhancement of the University's international profile in line with the University's strategic plan.

# Knowledge, Qualifications, Skills and Experience

#### Qualifications

- Either: Ability to demonstrate the competencies required to undertake the duties associated with this level of post having acquired the necessary knowledge and skills in a similar role.
- Or: Scottish Credit and Qualification Framework level 5 or 6 [National 5 or 6, Scottish Vocational Qualification level 2 or 3] or equivalent, and experience of personal development in a similar role.

# Knowledge, Skills and Experience

- Ability to undertake assigned tasks in a timely manner and to an acceptable standard
- Initiative and judgement to plan or schedule work days and weeks ahead, and to respond to changing requirements and resolve problems independently
- Ability to communicate clearly, clarifying requirements, responding to colleagues and customers