



# UNIVERSITY OF MAURITIUS

## VACANCY

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for the post of **Research Assistant (Part-Time)**, to work on the HEC-funded research project entitled “**Artificial Intelligence in Higher education in Mauritius. A study on students’ awareness, usage, trust and impact on academic performance**”, for a contractual period of five (5) to seven (7) months.

### Qualifications Required:

- A degree in Economics, Statistics, Finance, Accounting, Mathematics, Social Studies or any other related field.

### Profile

Candidates must have:

- Research and communication skills.
- Analytical skills and adequate knowledge in the relevant field of Research.
- Knowledge of SPSS and Eviews/Stata

### Responsibilities & Duties

- Conduct a comprehensive literature review;
- Data collection;
- Assist in the statistical analysis of the data;
- Contribute to manuscripts based on research work conducted; and
- Any other tasks related to the project.

### Remuneration

A monthly all-inclusive allowance of Rs 13,700/-, plus salary compensation at approved rate, plus travelling expenses by bus.

### Duration of Contract

Appointment will be offered for a contractual period of 5 to 7 months, renewable if required. The proposed starting date will be Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2025.

### Mode of Application (*Applications must be sent by email ONLY*)

Letter of application together with a detailed *Curriculum Vitae* and photocopies of qualifications, birth certificate, marriage certificate (if applicable), testimonials and equivalence of qualifications (where applicable) should be sent **by email** to the **Dean of Faculty of Law and Management** ([deanflm@uom.ac.mu](mailto:deanflm@uom.ac.mu)), **University of Mauritius, Réduit** (*attention to Dr Sheereen Fauzel* ([s.fauzel@uom.ac.mu](mailto:s.fauzel@uom.ac.mu)) ) by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2025, at latest.

The email should be clearly marked **Research Assistant (Part-Time) for the project “Artificial Intelligence in Higher education in Mauritius. A study on students’ awareness, usage, trust and impact on academic performance”** in the subject.

Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

The University reserves the right:

- to call for interview only the most appropriately and best-qualified applicants;
- not to make any appointment as a result of this advertisement.
- to conduct a written/aptitude test as and when required.

13 January 2025

Dean of Faculty of Law and Management