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EXTERNAL POSITION
MACHINERY OPERATOR
DIRECTORATE OF BUILDING AND ESTATES
DEPARTMENT OF LANDSCAPE SERVICES
SOSHANGUVE CAMPUS
POST LEVEL 14
Ref: 26/L26

The Directorate of Building and Estates in the Department of Landscaping Services have an external position of a Machinery Operator.

INSTRUCTIONS: Applicants are required to submit, together with the CVs, a fully completed standardized application form available from the university intranet as well as recently certified copies of qualifications and Identity Document. Failure to comply with this instruction will disqualify the candidate. Candidates may be subjected to appropriate psychometric testing and other selection instruments

Key performance areas/Core functions:

To provide efficient and effective maintenance of grounds and landscaping through operating equipment.

- Mow and trim lawn, turfs, veld grass and tree areas utilising hand-held equipment and or tools of trade as part of maintenance and cleaning duties (e.g. lawn mower, trimmers, leave blowers, weed eaters, saws) and ground equipment etc
- Operate lawn mowers to level the grass and fields
- Operate specialized tree cutting, felling and pruning including manual and automated machinery
- Operate ground and turf levelling equipment manual and automatic machinery
- Operate specialized skyjack equipment according to standardized instructions
- Prepare cuts and fills and finish grading work according to standardized instructions
- Operate skid loader/ trencher for installation of irrigation lines.
- Remove weeds, undergrowth and debris from TUT grounds, landscaped and veld areas.
- Use of various related chemicals relating to the duty e.g. Pesticides, Pool Chemicals etc.
- Check and maintain the irrigation sprinklers and replace them when not working.
- Water by hand and/or by operating a sprinkler system

Women and people with disabilities are encouraged to apply.





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Minimum requirements:

Academic qualifications:

- NQF level 4
(NSC) National Senior Certificate or equivalent / A Relevant Certificate

Experience:

- 1 years' relevant experience

Knowledge and Skills:

- Communication skills
- Leadership skills
- Negotiations skills

Other special Requirements:

- Valid driver's license
- Physical Fitness (Assessment)
- Required to work after hours

Other special Requirements:

- Physical Able
- Ability to read and understand

Registration with a professional body (if applicable):

- N/A

Send CVs to : RecruitmentSoshCV@tut.ac.za

Closing Date : 17 July 2026

Enquiries : Acting Deputy Director – Mr IR Mahapa: 012 382 9187

NB: If we have not responded within a month from the closing date, you should regard your application as unsuccessful. Correspondence will only be entered into with short-listed candidates. **The University reserves the right not to make an appointment.** It is the intention of the University to promote representativity in respect of race, gender and disability through the filling of this post.

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