Person Specification : Head of Historic Carving Department

ATTRIBUTES & EXPERIENCE	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
Relevant Experience	 Experience of teaching in Higher Education Experience of line management Experience in professional practice related to the subject area Experience of working at a senior level either in Higher Education or Industry related to the subject area Experience of resource planning and managing a budget 	 Experience of complex project management Experience of working with Moodle Experience of successful fundraising for projects Experience of leading a team Experience of maintaining a network of professional relationships with external partners
Education and Training	Relevant Undergraduate Degree or equivalent	 Relevant Postgraduate Degree Teaching qualification Relevant Health and Safety training
General & Specialised Knowledge	 Specialist knowledge related to the subject area Awareness of the importance of Health and Safety in relation to the subject area Working knowledge of IT such as Microsoft word 	 Working knowledge of adobe creative suite Knowledge of the statutory context of Higher Education Knowledge of Health and Safety in a teaching environment
Skills, abilities and attributes	 A demonstrable commitment to promote excellence in the subject area compatible with the Art School's ethos and mission Ability to engage with students with a range of abilities and from diverse backgrounds promoting equality of experience Excellent interpersonal skills including proven abilities in Leadership, Team Working and Mentoring Ability to manage difficult situations such as break downs in working relationships and student complaints Ability to work in partnership and liaison with external organisations Excellent communication and presentational, skills and an ability to engage individuals from a wide range of backgrounds Ability to work as a key member of a team leading an organisation/project. Pro-active attitude, initiative and adaptability and ability to identify and develop viable new approaches and solutions Ability to represent and present an organisation/project, acting as an ambassador in a range of contexts 	