

Position at Wits Enterprise

Wits Commercial Enterprise (Pty) Ltd is a private company, wholly owned by the University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, which is mandated to perform the function of office of technology transfer of the university, through the Technology Transfer Unit. It is also involved in the marketing and commercialisation of the University's intellectual capital through short course management as well as contract research and consulting support. It is based at the Professional Development Hub on the Wits East Campus, Empire Road, Braamfontein, Johannesburg.



IP ANALYST

Reporting to the management of the Technology Transfer Unit, the incumbent will inter alia facilitate disclosures of IP by staff and students of the university; undertake studies and analyses to support decision making on IP strategies; co-ordinate activities related to IP seminars, competitions, pitching sessions, the Wits Innovator's Forum events and prepare and manage information on the website to facilitate the broadening of IP awareness in the university; support preparation of referrals and submissions to the National IP Management Office; as well as maintain accurate and timeous records in the unit's systems of disclosures, protection filings, etc. More information about the above positions is available in the attached specification.

To apply please submit a covering letter clearly outlining your skills and experience, indicating the post you are applying for, together with a detailed CV and the names and contact details of at least three references to The Director Technology Transfer, Wits Enterprise, PO Box 514, Wits, 2050 or by email to pa.enterprise@wits.ac.za.

Closing date: 7 November 2013

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