Job Title:  Chair / Reader in .................................
Department, Faculty: ........................................
Minimum starting salary: ...................................

Applications are invited for the post of Chair/Reader in.................

The post is within the Department/School/Institute of ............. , Faculty of ............ at Imperial College London, based at the .............. campus.

The main interests of the Department/School/Institute focus on ............

The successful applicant will be expected to provide .......................  

[Provide as much detail about the Department, functions, duties and responsibilities together with a clear indication of the skills, qualifications and experience required].

Further details of this appointment can be obtained in the further particulars and application form which are on http://www.imperial.ac.uk/employment/academic

If you need to contact somebody in the Department about this post please contact [Departmental person’s contact details]……

Closing Date: ........................................
Interview Date: .............................. (if known)
How to apply: .................................

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Example of a recently advertised academic post

Job Title: Academic Position in ……………… (Reader/Chair)
Department, Faculty: Department of ……………………, Faculty of ……………………

Advert: Reader minimum starting salary: £57,510 per annum
Chair minimum starting salary: £73,270 per annum

Based at the ………………… Campus

The Department of …………… is looking to make one academic appointment in the broad area of …………………

The successful candidate will contribute to the Department's goal of improving fundamental scientific understanding of ………………… processes and systems. The research will focus on solving ………………challenges and could fit into a range of disciplines, including, but not restricted to, ……………

The Department is seeking to appoint a candidate with expertise in relevant areas of ……………

Reporting to the Deputy Head of the Department, you will be expected to identify opportunities in …………… and contribute to teaching and administration within the Department. You will be required to raise financial support, manage your own innovative research programme of international quality in the areas of ecology, evolution or conservation science that would expand on and complement existing activities within the Department of …………………

At the Lecturer level, the successful candidate will be expected to have a good honours degree and a doctorate (or equivalent) in a relevant subject area. You will also have an international reputation for research and innovation in ………………… commensurate with the current stage of your career, underpinned by a record of first-class journal publication. You must also be able to demonstrate the potential to raise significant research funding from UK and EU sources to maintain and enhance the College's leading research activities. Experience of teaching at undergraduate and Masters' level, and postgraduate student supervision, are not essential, but would be an advantage.

You must have excellent interpersonal, verbal and written communication skill with an ability to convey ideas and concepts clearly and effectively to a range of audiences through a variety of methods and media. You must have the ability to lead a research team, manage the finance and your staff. You must also have the ability to communicate and inspire students as you will be
expected to contribute to our undergraduate and postgraduate teaching programmes.

For appointment to Reader, in addition to the above, candidates must also have an exceptionally strong research record in……………… science or a closely related subject, and a proven track record of securing research funding. You will also be expected to have extensive experience in postgraduate teaching and undergraduate teaching across a range of subjects within (or close to) the fields of ………………, together with a track record of successful postgraduate student supervision and postdoctoral mentoring.

For appointment to a Chair, in addition to the above, you will also be expected to have an international reputation for your research, and strong leadership qualities in areas which enhance and extend those of the Group.

The potential for productive research collaboration with existing staff within Imperial’s Department of and College more broadly will also be carefully assessed.

For an informal discussion about the post please contact Professor………

Imperial Managers lead by example  (Link to Imperial Expectations)

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Closing Date  26 August 2017 (midnight BST)

How To Apply  Our preferred method of application is online via this website. Please download the following application form and save to your computer. Once completed, please upload your application form prior to submitting your application.

CVs should only be submitted for Academic posts and must be accompanied by an application form.  
Chairs and Readers application form  (Link to application form)
Should you have any queries please contact: ........................ - X.Xyzxyz@imperial.ac.uk

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