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## APPOINTMENT IN PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY

The Department of Geography at the National University of Singapore is seeking to add one physical geographer to its Tropical Environmental Change research cluster. The appointment will be made at the Assistant Professor level. The appointee will contribute to teaching, research and administrative duties.

The broad focus of the Tropical Environmental Change research cluster is on the temporal and spatial interactions of climate, water and landscapes at low latitudes, with emphasis on the Asia-Pacific Region. This focus takes advantage of our physical location in Asia and recognizes the many contributions that physical geographers routinely make in improving understanding of tropical environmental processes and their importance to global change, as well as the physiographic consequences of rapid development, land-cover transformation, and climate variability.

Candidates with research emphasis on hydrology, oceanography, biogeochemical cycles, climate science, earth system science, or tropical environments in general are particularly encouraged to apply. Strong skills in GIS, remote sensing, environmental modelling, and/or geochemical analysis would be an advantage. All applicants should have an established research profile in line with that expected for one of the top universities in the world.

Applications should include a letter of interest stating their teaching philosophy and research interests, a brief curriculum vitae (10 page max), and names and contact details of 4 referees. In the application please provide teaching evaluations if available. Please also discuss the significance of your best published works (at most 5) and provide an explanation of your intended research plan for the next 3-5 years. Please also include your citation index analysis.

For further information, please contact professor David Taylor, Chair, Tropical Environmental Research Group (EMAIL: [DAVID.TAYLOR@NUS.EDU.SG](mailto:DAVID.TAYLOR@NUS.EDU.SG)).

The deadline for applications is: **end-July 2015**.

Short-listed candidates will be invited for a campus visit in late August/early September 2015. Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. An appointee (varies according to whether he/she is a Singaporean, permanent resident of Singapore or other nationality) may also enjoy some or all of the following benefits:

- Subsidised housing;
- Medical and leave benefits; and
- Subsidisation of relocation costs

Please send applications to:

Chair, Physical Geography Search Committee c/o Ms Wong Lai Wa, Department of Geography, National University of Singapore AS2, 1 Arts Link, Singapore, 117570.

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