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3	Department/School/Unit (or partner in the case of collaborative provision):	IMI University Centre		
4	Current post	Programme Leader and Principal Lecturer (Events, Food, Hospitality and Tourism Management) and Hong Kong Link Tutor		
5	Qualifications			
	<i>Qualification</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Awarding Institution</i>	
	<i>Doctorate in Education</i>	<i>Current</i>	<i>Sheffield Hallam University</i>	
	<i>Post Graduate Certificate in Education</i>	<i>2005</i>	<i>Sheffield Hallam University</i>	
	<i>Masters Degree</i>	<i>1989</i>	<i>The University of Sheffield</i>	
6	Previous employment and experience of teaching at HE level			
	<i>Date from</i>	<i>Date to</i>	<i>Position held</i>	<i>Organisation</i>
	<i>2004</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Programme Leader</i>	<i>Sheffield Hallam University</i>
	<i>2006</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Visiting Lecturer</i>	<i>IVE/SHAPE Hong Kong</i>
	<i>2011</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>External Examiner</i>	<i>Bournemouth University</i>
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7	Role in the delivery of the programme:
	Lecturer
8	Brief statement on current research, scholarly or consultancy activities:
	<p>Research Interests: My research interest is 'transitions to academia'. I am currently completing a longitudinal study into the transition of former industry professionals to academia. The thesis is the final part of my Doctorate in Education, which is due for completion in 2011. I have aspirations to publish the findings and continue to research the area, paying particular attention to the event, hospitality and tourism management context.</p> <p>Aspirations: Since joining Sheffield Hallam University in 2005 as a Senior Lecturer I have undertaken several academic roles, each carrying significant responsibilities. This has culminated in being promoted to the role as Undergraduate Programme Leader for Events, Food, Hospitality and Tourism Management (1800 students across 15 degree and 3 HND courses). Having successfully negotiated the transition from industry into academic programme management I now seek to further my core academic skills and standing within the academic community. I view the completion of my Doctorate and the publication of my research as the next step in this journey.</p>