

Expectations of professors at the Faculty of Humanities, SDU

We expect our professors to

- conduct research at the highest international level and that their research contributes to the development of the field.
- have their research regularly published in the most prestigious journals and by the most important publishers in their field and that this recognition leads to other researchers drawing on the research in their publications.
- be invited to present their research at relevant conferences and in other related academic environments.
- be familiar with the relevant funding landscape and have extensive experience in obtaining research funding for their own research and for collective projects.
- be valued lecturers and supervisors at all university levels.
- have educational breadth.
- engage in teaching and education programmes and contribute substantially to the development of both.
- assume academic leadership – as a head of studies, head of research and head of projects as well as in councils and boards of national and international professional organisations and networks.
- enjoy collegial trust and be considered an academic authority.
- be collaboration oriented and initiate joint publications, projects, seminars and conferences.
- supervise and/or develop PhD students, postdocs and assistant professors.
- be a sparring partner for associate professors with a view to professional development.
- peer review the work of other researchers – articles, books and project applications.
- be a member of assessment committees in connection with appointments and dissertations, both at the faculty and at other universities.
- be in an ongoing dialogue of knowledge exchange with relevant stakeholders from outside the University – the employers of graduates of the degree programmes and partners in the public and private labour markets.
- communicate their research to the surrounding society through lectures and disseminating articles.
- make themselves available when the outside world asks for insight and help – e.g. the media or authorities or through information work or other forms of collaboration.
- contribute to the development of the University and academia through council and committee work and by taking on administrative tasks when necessary.