



President

The University of Massachusetts Board of Trustees announces a global search for its 26th President of the University. The President is the chief executive officer of the five-campus University of Massachusetts system, oversees a team of Chancellors and reports directly to the Board of Trustees. University of Massachusetts invites applications and nominations for the position of President.

Established in 1863 in Amherst, UMass now consists of campuses in Amherst, Boston, Dartmouth, Lowell and Worcester and its online education program, UMassOnline. A vital part of the educational, social and economic fabric of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the University enrolls over 66,000 students; employs 16,500, 4,900 of whom are faculty members, and has an annual operating budget greater than \$2.7 billion. UMass has nearly 400,000 graduates, as well as research and development expenditures of nearly \$500 million.

The next President will be a proven, accomplished leader who will be an inspiring and formidable advocate for the University and for public higher education in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. He or she will be a visionary leader who understands complex national and international challenges and can chart a clear strategy for the University as it plays a critical role in positioning the Commonwealth for new success in an evolving and competitive global economy. The new President must have demonstrable experience with government and the public sector and have a clear sense of public policy development at the state and national level.

Lastly, the next President will display the following important attributes: unquestioned integrity, superior management, communication and interpersonal skills, a passion for educating a diverse body of students and promoting world-class research, an inclusive approach to management and leadership, an appreciation for the skills and attributes that students and the University need to succeed in our global society, and the ability to introduce innovative funding initiatives and a record of success in this critical area.

Greenwood/Asher & Associates, Inc. is assisting the University of Massachusetts in the search. Initial screening of applications will begin immediately and continue until an appointment is made. For best consideration, materials should be provided by September 13, 2010. Nominations should include the name, position, address, and telephone number. Application materials should include a letter addressing how the candidate's experiences match the position requirements, a résumé and contact information for at least five references. Submission of materials as MS Word attachments is strongly encouraged.

Confidential inquiries, nominations, and application materials should be directed to:

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