Vice Provost for Global Affairs and Dean of International Programs

Purdue University invites nominations and applications for the position of Vice Provost for Global Affairs and Dean of International Programs. The new title for this position is consistent with the *New Synergies* Strategic Plan to integrate, focus and enhance Purdue's global impact. This person will have a pivotal role in broadening Purdue's international orientation, reach, and reputation. The Vice Provost for Global Affairs will provide leadership and supervision for International Programs and Study Abroad and develop new global learning, discovery and engagement initiatives that extend Purdue's global presence on campus, in the state of Indiana and around the world. The successful candidate will report to the Provost and serve as a member of the President's Cabinet.

The Vice Provost for Global Affairs will work collaboratively with faculty, staff, students, alumni and campus leaders to enhance Purdue's global efforts. The successful candidate will have the knowledge and skills to promote work among academic units that achieves defined goals and results in measurable success through enhanced globalization. The Vice Provost for Global Affairs will be responsible for leading efforts to conceptualize, define, assess, nurture, and cultivate globalization as an institutional value and educational priority.

Required Qualifications:

The successful candidate will be a nationally-recognized academic leader and scholar with tenure at Purdue. He or she must be an entrepreneurial, innovative and visionary leader with demonstrated experience in global engagement, research and education. The successful candidate also must demonstrate an understanding of relevant U.S. government international policies. In addition, candidates should have excellent diplomacy and tact, excellent communication skills, intercultural competence, and experience with budgets, strategic planning, and fundraising. A doctorate degree, tenure in a Purdue University department, and demonstrated experience in administration and leadership are required. A distinguished record in obtaining external grants, contracts, and developing sustained initiatives is expected along with a collaborative and collegial spirit and skills for building effective alliances with multicultural and international stakeholders.

Applications and Nominations:

The expected beginning date for this position is July 1, 2009. Review of applications will begin April 15 and continue until the position is filled. Nominations are encouraged, and electronic submissions for both nominations and applications are preferred. To apply, send a statement of interest, complete curriculum vitae and names of three references to the Search Committee Chair:

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