



DEAN, COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

University of South Florida announces an international search to recruit an accomplished and proven leader for the Dean, College of Engineering.

The University of South Florida seeks candidates for the Dean of the College of Engineering to lead its faculty, staff, students and the broader USF community to new levels of achievement, recognition, and impact. The successful candidate will be a visionary leader, a recognized scholar, and an experienced administrator with a commitment to diversity in all its forms.

The candidate must have a terminal degree in an appropriate discipline for the College of Engineering; have a demonstrated record of administrative accomplishment, including fiscal and personnel management in engineering or academe or both; and have experience in management of academic and academic/industrial interdisciplinary partnerships. The successful candidate will also possess an “entrepreneurial spirit” with demonstrated fundraising and development experience with success in obtaining grants, gifts, and/or unique revenue generating ventures. Reporting to the Provost and working in close collaboration with the College of Engineering faculty and staff, and USF senior leadership, the Dean will continue the development and realization of a shared vision of the College’s future, its aspirations, and required resources. The successful candidate will promote and advocate the College of Engineering on a local, state, national and international basis, related to the strategic directions of the University.

The College of Engineering is one of 13 schools and colleges comprising the University of South Florida. The College of Engineering currently enrolls over 4600 students (3792 undergraduates and 868 graduate students, including 372 doctoral students). During the 2012-2013 AY, the College conferred 849 degrees (585 Bachelors, 215 Masters, and 49 Doctoral degrees). The College is composed of six departments, one division, and thirteen centers, with research on a variety of areas including Energy, Sustainability, Robotics, Nanotechnology, Materials, Transportation, Water, Computer System Design, Security, Pattern Recognition, Analytics & Optimization, Biomedical, Health Systems, and Communications. The approximately 150 College of Engineering faculty have garnered ASEE-reported research expenditures over \$25 million annually during the past several years. USF joins AAU member institutions Georgia Tech University, University of Michigan, and MIT as one of just four schools listed as a top five producer of both African American and Hispanic engineering doctorates, according to *Diverse Issues in Higher Education*’s annual listing of the top 100 minority graduate degree producers in 2013.

The University of South Florida is a high-impact, global research university dedicated to the success of its students and the success of Florida. Founded in 1956, the University of South Florida is a multi-campus system with locations in Tampa, St. Petersburg and Sarasota-Manatee welcoming over 47,000 students from across the country and around the globe. USF is one of the nation's top public research universities one of only 25 public research universities nationwide with very high research activity that is designated as community engaged by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

Nominations and Applications:

The Search Committee invites letters of nomination, applications (letter of interest, full resume, and contact information of at least five references), or expressions of interest to be submitted to the search firm assisting USF. Review of materials will begin immediately and continue until the appointment is made. It is preferred, however, that all nominations and applications be submitted prior to January 31, 2014 to:

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****Applications cannot be submitted directly to the USF Careers employment site****

The University of South Florida is committed to the principle of equal education and employment opportunities without regards to race, color, marital status, sex, religion, national origin, disability, age, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, genetic information, Vietnam or disabled veterans status as provided by law and in accordance with the University's respect for personal dignity. These principles are applied in the conduct of University programs and activities and the provision of facilities and services. According to Florida Law, applications and meetings regarding this search are open to the public.