

Dean, College of Arts and Sciences University of Colorado at Boulder

The Opportunity: The University of Colorado Boulder invites applications for the position of Dean, College of Arts & Sciences. The Dean is the chief academic and administrative officer of the Boulder Campus's College of Arts & Sciences, providing strategic leadership, vision, planning and management. The incumbent must be committed to excellence in undergraduate and graduate education; providing collaborative leadership both within and outside the College; valuing and encouraging the contributions of varied and individual departments and programs; recruiting and retaining outstanding faculty members and staff; and supporting scholarly research and creative activities. The College of Arts & Sciences is comprised of nearly 40 academic departments and nearly 50 programs, centers, and associated institutes, including the Colorado Shakespeare Festival and the CU Art Museum. The College is home to over 700 tenured and tenure-track faculty (just over 650 FTE), over 17,000 undergraduate and over 2,280 graduate students.

The Position: This position has leadership responsibilities in management, matters of curriculum, budget and personnel. The Dean is expected to work cooperatively with other administrators and to be an advocate for the College of Arts & Sciences both within and outside the university. A key area of focus for the Dean will be fundraising to support the College and its departments and programs. Additionally, the Dean will also need to be productively engaged with other Deans to promote, where appropriate, forward thinking interdisciplinary programs that may involve significant cooperation between one or more of the campus's other Schools and Colleges.

Qualifications: The successful applicant will possess a doctorate or terminal degree from an accredited institution in one of the disciplines represented in the College; a record of teaching, research, and service that meets the qualifications necessary to be tenured at the rank of Professor at a major research university; national prominence in one's research and scholarly field; five years of administrative experience at a research university; a proven record of administrative leadership and managerial experience; excellent skills in oral, written, and interpersonal communications; and successful budget and resource management experience. Demonstrated ability to provide consultative leadership, ability to develop and support an inclusive environment for faculty, students, and staff, and demonstrated success in fundraising is preferred. Additionally, a demonstrated record of public/private partnership development that advanced the academic mission or goals of a unit/college is preferred.

Learn more about the College of Arts & Sciences at <http://www.colorado.edu/ArtsSciences/>. For additional information about the University of Colorado Boulder, please visit: <http://www.colorado.edu/about/index.html> or www.colorado.edu/about/ataglance.html.

Applications: Additional job information is available at <http://www.jobsatcu.com>, **posting #815378**. The search committee will commence its confidential review of applications on November 15, 2011, and will continue until the position is filled. Applications received by December 16, 2011 will receive full consideration. Interested candidates are required to submit a letter of application highlighting relevant qualifications and experience along with a current curriculum vitae/resume online at www.jobsatcu.com, **posting #815378**. Finalists will be asked to submit a list of professional references. Questions, nominations and comments may be directed to artscideansearch@colorado.edu.

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