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Director of Statewide Workforce Advancement and Initiatives

The Maine Community College System is seeking a Director of Statewide Workforce Advancement and Initiatives. This position will work in partnership with the Chief Workforce Development Officer, System Workforce staff, and in conjunction with Maine's community colleges. The position will be responsible for overall management of assigned workforce related grants and grant program design, strategic planning, implementation and evaluation of policies and procedures. The position will also be responsible for the establishment and continued monitoring of the statewide network of training providers and referral agencies that will work in close collaboration with the MCCS Workforce Training Office and community colleges to coordinate and support training opportunities across the state.

The Director will work closely with industry associations, employers, educational institutions, and social service organizations. These partnerships will enable the MCCS Workforce Training Office to support individuals of various ages and stages across the employment continuum and will also address the unique needs of specific populations, including but not limited to young adults who did not enroll in college after high school, New Mainers, displaced workers, adults in recovery, and those recently released from incarceration. This is a 4-year, grant-funded position.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: A Bachelor's degree plus 5-10 years relevant experience of an administrative nature in academics and/or business, preferably in higher education or a public setting.

To apply, please submit a cover letter, current resume, names, and contact information for three references, and a completed MCCS employment application (available at www.mccs.me.edu) by the close of business on **August 5, 2021,** to:

Director of Statewide Workforce Advancement and Initiatives Search Maine Community College System 323 State Street Augusta, Maine 04330 or email hr@mccs.me.edu.

Search will remain open until position is filled.

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