



Maine Community College System

SYSTEM PRESIDENT, MAINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM

The Board of Trustees of the Maine Community College System invites applications and nominations for the position of System President. The Maine Community College System is the state's comprehensive two-year college system, offering technical, career and transfer programs, customized training, and lifelong learning.

Enrolling over 18,000 students plus 13,000 students through business and industry training and credit and non-credit course offerings, the System is comprised of seven colleges, two satellite campuses and six off-campus centers whose mission is to provide associate degree and certificate programs directed at the educational, occupational and technical needs of the State's citizens and the workforce needs of the State's employers.

The System President of the Maine Community College System functions as the Chief Executive Officer and is responsible for the overall operation of the System. The System President is appointed by, reports to and serves at the pleasure of the Board of Trustees.

Candidates must be able to demonstrate successful leadership experience in developing and implementing strategic planning, direction and vision for the System. Candidates must have proven experience working collaboratively and innovatively with business, industry, legislature, government, community organizations and public and private education institutions. Candidates are also expected to understand the role of the System in creating an educated, skilled and adaptable labor force that is responsive to the changing needs of the economy of the State and to promote local, regional and statewide economic development. Successful candidate must have a proven track record in fundraising.

In addition, candidates must possess: a doctorate degree, in a relevant field and minimum of ten years of demonstrated successful senior executive experience, preferably in the post-secondary education sector. The MCCS offers a competitive salary and benefit package. A full job description is available at <http://bit.ly/1ETvris>.

A review of applications will begin April 15, 2015, and will continue until the position is filled. Application materials must include a cover letter, resume, five references, a statement of the candidate's educational and management philosophies, and a response to the following question: How would you address improving student success as measured by greater retention and graduation? Please send application materials to:

MCCS Presidential Search Committee
Maine Community College System
323 State Street
Augusta, ME 04330

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For more information about that commitment, please call the Affirmative Action Officer at 207-629-4009.*