TOUGALOO COLLEGE
TOUGALOO, MISSISSIPPI 39174

NOTICE OF JOB OPENING

TOUGALOO COLLEGE Seeks: Provost/Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs

Tougaloo College is an independent, residential, coeducational, historically black institution, offering undergraduate education in twenty-nine majors in the areas of education, the humanities, natural science, and social science, and two graduate degrees in education, a Master of Arts in Teaching and Master of Arts in Child Development. It is situated on 500 acres of land, near the northern borders of Jackson, Mississippi, approximately 15 minutes from the downtown area. Since its founding in 1869, the College has maintained a well established tradition of excellence, relevance, and influence, creating a legacy of distinction in higher education. Chartered on the most liberal principles of an inclusive academic environment in which education is provided without regard to race, ethnic origin, religion, or gender, Tougaloo represents an intangible spirit, committed to using the transformative power of education to make the world a better place. Tougaloo College is fully accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges, 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097, (404) 679-4500.

Position Summary: The Provost/Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs is the Chief Academic Officer for the College who reports directly to the President and acts on behalf of the President in her absence. The College is seeking an innovative and progressive leader with a proven record of high performance and achievement who has the vision, maturity, and management qualities to build on the College’s reputation and advance it to an even higher level of academic excellence and student success.

The Provost/Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs provides primary guidance and direction for the College in all areas of academic and student affairs, overseeing the College’s academic mission and the development, oversight, and ongoing review of policies relating to academic and student affairs. Operating in a shared governance environment, the Provost is charged with the development of new academic programs as well as the continual improvement of existing academic programs and student services.

Experience/Qualifications: The Provost/Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs must have an earned doctorate from a fully accredited college or university and a demonstrated record of increasingly responsible experience in administrative leadership, preferably in higher education. The candidate also must have a distinguished record of teaching, scholarship, service, and student engagement.

Date of Position Opening: July 7, 2015

Application Deadline: For best consideration, please submit application materials by September 15, 2015. Applications should include a cover letter describing relevant experiences and interest in the position, curriculum vitae, and three professional references. References will not be contacted without consent from applicant.

Position Available: January 1, 2016
Salary: Commensurate with experience

Application materials must be submitted to: Mr. Edmond Hughes
Search Committee, Chairman
Attention: Brenda Wilson
Tougaloo College
500 West County Line Road
Tougaloo, MS 39174

ALL APPLICANTS WILL BE CONSIDERED WITHOUT REGARD TO RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, SEX, AGE, NATIONAL ORIGIN, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, DISABILITY, CITIZENSHIP, VETERAN STATUS, GENETIC INFORMATION, GENDER IDENTITY; OR ANY OTHER LEGALLY PROTECTED STATUS. THE COLLEGE PROHIBITS SEXUAL HARASSMENT, INCLUDING SEXUAL VIOLENCE.

TOUGALOO COLLEGE AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY/AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER

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