

SAN DIEGO STATE University

DEAN OF THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

San Diego State University (SDSU) is seeking an innovative and energetic academic leader to serve as Dean of the College of Engineering for a highly dynamic national public research university. The College consists of the Departments of Aerospace Engineering; Civil, Construction and Environmental Engineering; Electrical and Computer Engineering; and Mechanical Engineering. The College offers seven undergraduate degree programs, six master's degree programs, and a joint Ph.D. in engineering sciences with the University of California, San Diego. The College also hosts several Centers including the National Science Foundation-funded Engineering Research Center (ERC) for Sensorimotor Neural Engineering.

The Dean of the College of Engineering reports to the Provost of the University and will provide visionary leadership for a 21st century College of Engineering. The Dean is the chief administrative officer of the College and is a member of the Academic Deans' Conference. The Dean is responsible for guiding, directing and overseeing the educational programs; for providing leadership for the educational, research and professional missions of the College; for supervising the personnel procedures of its faculty and staff; for securing resources; for representing and promoting the College with external constituents; and for preparing and administering the budget of the College of Engineering.

SDSU serves a highly diverse student population of over 32,000. Established in 1897, SDSU offers bachelor degrees in 89 areas, master's in 78 and the doctorate in 22. Additional information about the University and the College is available at http://www.sdsu.edu and http://www.engineering.sdsu.edu/.

Qualifications: Earned Ph.D. in an Engineering discipline or related field. Excellent leadership and interpersonal skills, capable of promoting collegiality and building consensus, and strong commitment to shared governance. Experience in the development and management of research programs. Broad and extensive experience and achievement in the field of Engineering. Demonstrated ability to secure extramural support for instructional and research programs. The ability to build corporate partnerships in San Diego's vibrant technology-based business community. Willingness and ability to undertake significant fund-raising and other development activities. An ability to expand the college's international interests and efforts. An appreciation of diversity and an ability to work effectively in a multicultural campus and community setting.

Applications/Nominations: Nominations are welcome, and candidates may apply directly by sending a letter of application, curriculum vitae, and the names, addresses and phone/fax numbers of at least five references. Applications will be kept confidential, and references will only be contacted with permission of the candidates. The review of applications will begin on May 1, 2013, although application review will continue until the position is filled. Preferred starting date is January 2014. Please send all communications to: Office of the Provost, Dean of Engineering Search Committee, San Diego State University, 5500 Campanile Drive, San Diego, CA 92182-8010 or provost@rohan.sdsu.edu.

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