

Western University in London, Ontario, Canada seeks qualified applicants for the position of **Vice-Provost (Students)**.

Western University is located on the traditional lands of the Anishinaabek, Haudenosaunee, Lūnaapéewak and Attawandaron peoples, on lands connected with the London Township and Sombra Treaties of 1796 and the Dish with One Spoon Covenant Wampum. This land continues to be home to diverse Indigenous Peoples (First Nations, Métis and Inuit) whom we recognize as contemporary stewards of the land and vital contributors of our society.

Reporting to the Provost & Vice-President (Academic), the Vice-Provost (Students) will be an integral member of the Provost's Senior Leadership Team.

The Vice-Provost (Students) will provide strategic institutional leadership and guidance to build and sustain an integrated experience for students from recruitment through to convocation that is inclusive of students' academic, co-curricular, social and health needs. The Vice-Provost will be responsible for raising the profile of the holistic student experience in university decision-making and leading important strategic planning to enable a student experience that distinguishes Western within Canada. The Vice-Provost will work collaboratively with stakeholders across Western and consult with key external constituencies to ensure that strategic student objectives align with Western's Strategic Plan.

The Vice-Provost will oversee an expanded portfolio inclusive of the existing Student Experience unit, the Office of the Registrar, and will have responsibility for stewarding relationships with student councils and societies, as well as providing leadership for a Strategic Council on Student Success comprised of representatives from faculties and units that support student success across Western.

As the ideal candidate for this position, you are an experienced university administrator, adept at advancing complex strategic and operational priorities within a multi-stakeholder educational environment, with preference for experience in academic leadership. You are passionate about and committed to establishing a world-class student experience that prioritizes students' academic success, safety, wellbeing, equity, belonging, growth, and opportunity. You have knowledge of the needs of students with respect to accessibility and accommodations. You are courageous and proactive in championing equity, diversity, inclusion, accessibility, and Indigeneity. You bring a track record of excellence in student support, advocacy, service delivery, and community relations. You are known as an effective communicator who develops and nurtures healthy, productive relationships with students, faculty, staff, alumni and community partners. As a leader, you are visionary, consultative, and pragmatic, embedding creativity, collegiality, and evidence in your approach to decision-making and problem-solving. Your administrative skills include planning and evaluation, budgeting, financial management, and human resource management. You are known as a coach, mentor, and colleague who inspires confidence and excellence in those around you.

The University has struck a Search Committee to govern the recruitment process. The Committee will begin reviewing applications on May 6, 2022. The target start date for the new Vice-President (Students) is July 1, 2022.

The University invites applications from all qualified individuals. Western is committed to employment equity and diversity in the workplace and welcomes applications from women, members of racialized

groups/visible minorities, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation, and persons of any gender identity or gender expression.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

Accommodations are available for applicants with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Gayle Stuebing at <a href="mailto:astuebin@uwo.ca">astuebin@uwo.ca</a> or 519-661-3109.

To learn more or apply for this position, please contact Nick Chambers of Boyden Executive Search at nchambers@boyden.com.