



DEAN, FACULTY OF GRADUATE STUDIES

The University of Manitoba is seeking a Dean to lead the Faculty of Graduate Studies. Candidates who currently hold a tenured position at the rank of Associate Professor or Professor at the University of Manitoba are invited to apply.

As Dean, the incumbent will ensure that high standards of graduate education and scholarship are upheld and will provide leadership, foster collaboration with academic faculties, schools, and colleges and support multi- and interdisciplinarity. The Faculty of Graduate Studies oversees approximately 3780 graduate students enrolled in more than 140 graduate programs, 50 of which are at the doctoral level. The Faculty administers the University's graduate fellowship program as well as other scholarship and fellowship programs. The Faculty has a high-quality team of staff to support these functions and the Dean is responsible for the efficient function of the office. The University of Manitoba attracts and educates outstanding graduate students and offers exceptional programs; the Dean of the Faculty of Graduate Studies plays a key role in developing strategies and fulfilling the University's vision for graduate education.

As Dean of the Faculty of Graduate Studies, the incumbent will serve on the University's senior leadership team to ensure that the importance of the graduate education enterprise is considered in the decisions, actions, and strategic mission of the University. The Dean will work closely with other members of the senior leadership team and be an advocate and an action-oriented leader in fulfilling the University's mandate and priorities including high quality and innovative teaching; research and creative excellence; exceptional student experience; excellence in Indigenous education; advancing the principles of equity, diversity, and inclusion and anti-racism; and fostering community engagement.

Reporting to the Vice-Provost (Planning and Programs), the Dean will be an inspiring and visionary leader, strategically managing resources and championing advancement efforts for graduate education, while ensuring these efforts are aligned with the University's Strategic Plan. The successful candidate will demonstrate a commitment to graduate education excellence, research and scholarly achievement, academic freedom, and collegial governance, and will possess a proven track record of successful academic leadership with the ability to communicate, build connections, and reach out and establish good relationships with partners at all levels (e.g., Deans/Directors, Associate Deans Graduate, and academic and administrative unit heads.) Candidates will hold a PhD/or equivalent and hold a tenured appointment at the rank of Associate Professor/Professor.

For further information on the position please refer to the attached [position profile](#).

Additional Information

The University of Manitoba is committed to the principles of equity, diversity & inclusion and to promoting opportunities in hiring, promotion, and tenure (where applicable) for systemically under-represented groups who have been excluded from full participation at the University and the larger community including Indigenous Peoples, women, racialized persons, persons with disabilities and those who identify as 2SLGBTQIA+ (Two Spirit, lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, questioning, intersex, asexual, and other diverse sexual identities). All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.

If you require accommodation supports during the recruitment process, please contact UM.Accommodation@umanitoba.ca or 204-474-7195. Please note this contact information is for accommodation reasons only.

Application materials, including letters of reference, will be handled in accordance with the “Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Manitoba).” Please note that curriculum vitae may be provided to participating members of the search process.

Nominations and applications are to be received by **Monday, December 12, 2022**. Interested candidates shall provide an application package (curriculum vitae; a statement on the candidate’s vision for graduate education that demonstrates a commitment to reconciliation and anti-racism and contributions to diversity, equity and inclusion, and/or human rights and social justice activities in their teaching, research, service, and/or other experiences; and the names of at least three references), in confidence, to Dr. Diane Hiebert-Murphy, Chair, Presidential Advisory Committee, in care of Norman Delos Reyes, via email at Norman.DelosReyes@umanitoba.ca.