

President and Vice-Chancellor

The University of St. Michael's College, federated with the University of Toronto, is conducting an extensive international search for a President and Vice-Chancellor and invites expressions of interest, applications and nominations.

Widely considered to be Canada's leading English-speaking Catholic University, St. Michael's provides a top-quality undergraduate and graduate experience at the heart of Canada's and one of the world's greatest research universities, with one of the top three library systems in North America. Within this setting, St. Michael's offers 5500 undergraduate students a close-knit community that maintains its Catholic identity while welcoming faculty and students of all backgrounds. Although fully federated with the University of Toronto at the undergraduate level, St. Michael's is a separate university that is home to the graduate Faculty of Theology, the Kelly library and the Division of Continuing Education. Located adjacent to the University of Toronto campus, St. Michael's is in the heart of the Archdiocese and City of Toronto. Its historic and picturesque campus is located steps from the array of cultural, entertainment and sports attractions available in Toronto, one of the most diverse and vibrant cities in the world. For further information, please visit http://stmikes.utoronto.ca.

The President is the senior executive officer of the University of St. Michael's College and is responsible to its governing body, the Collegium, for its academic and administrative operation. The President provides inspirational, strategic, academic and financial leadership, and works co-operatively within St. Michael's and with the University of Toronto to strengthen and expand its programs and activities in ways that exemplify its Catholic character and mission. The President

will effectively represent St. Michael's with its Catholic constituency and the external community to advance its mission and vision, increase its resources and well being, and raise its profile locally, provincially and nationally.

The President and Vice-Chancellor will be a visionary and strategic academic leader with a demonstrated commitment to students, outstanding interpersonal skills, and the executive leadership ability to guide the affairs of the overall institution. Candidates will have a personal vision of Catholic education and its place within a pluralistic society, a collegial working style, experience or interest in advancement, and the ability to further the interests of St. Michael's with both internal and external constituencies.

The search committee will begin considering potential candidates immediately and will continue until the role is successfully filled. St. Michael's is committed to the principles of employment equity and welcomes applications from and nominations of all qualified individuals. The President and Vice-Chancellor will be appointed for a renewable five year term. Review of applications will begin in the fall of 2017 for an appointment ideally in July 2018. Applications should include a curriculum vitae, a letter of introduction including specific achievements and relevant experience, and the names of three referees (who will not be contacted without consent of the applicant). All documentation will be treated confidentially and should be directed, electronically, to:

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