Saskatchewan Polytechnic is the province’s only polytechnic and the primary institution for post-secondary applied education and research. It serves 28,000 distinct students through campuses located in Moose Jaw, Prince Albert, Regina and Saskatoon and proudly shares the land located in the homeland of the Metis people on Treaty 4 and Treaty 6 Territory. It also offers an extensive range of distance education opportunities through brokerage arrangements with the province’s regional colleges, the Saskatchewan Indian Institute of Technology and the Dumont Technical Institute as well as online education. As a member of Polytechnics Canada, Saskatchewan Polytechnic is committed to offering a broad range of educational experiences that are student-centered and industry responsive. In total, the Polytechnic provides more than 150 certificate, diploma and degree programs, as well as two collaborative baccalaureate degree programs and a collaborative master’s degree program, basic education and academic upgrading, credit and non-credit extension courses, apprenticeship training, televised, hybrid, online, distance and off-campus programming.

Saskatchewan Polytechnic provides the skills and education the province needs to grow and prosper. It has a long history of working with industry and the community to meet education needs. Through partnerships, they ensure their programs match opportunities in the real world.

Dean – Remai School of Construction and the School of Transportation

Saskatchewan Polytechnic is the leader of post-secondary applied education and training in the province and is poised to reach that same standard nationally. This position will be key in providing a strategic vision for the two schools and exceptional academic leadership. The Dean will bring an entrepreneurial and growth mindset coupled with an innovative approach to new programming. They will ensure program quality, encourage and guide an exceptional team in their commitment to academic integrity and prepare their graduates for success in their chosen field.

Reporting to the Provost and Vice-President, Academic, as a member of the senior academic leadership team and the senior leadership team, the Dean will be responsible for driving a range of initiatives that meet labour market demands and effectively champion quality outcomes and future-focused programs for their students. The Dean will lead a team comprised of one associate Dean, three academic chairs, 16 program heads and approximately 170 full and part-time staff across four campuses. They will manage and maximize all available resources, ensuring a high degree of accountability, transparency, and fiscal responsibility of a $22.6m budget. The Dean will also develop and foster effective relationships and networks with other schools and departments within Saskatchewan Polytechnic, as well as partnerships with key local, provincial and national stakeholders.

The ideal candidate will have a graduate degree in a related field of study and a history of senior-level leadership, although an equivalent combination of relevant education and experience will also be considered. Key to success in this role will be a proven track record in leading innovation, as well as developing and leading high-performing teams within a post-secondary education environment. Relevant industry-related experience would also be considered an asset for this position.

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