

Provost & Vice President (Academic)**Yukon University**

Whitehorse, Yukon

Yukon University is a new university grounded in research and education relevant to the North. YukonU prioritizes the uniqueness of the North as a driving factor in all that they do to preserve, thrive and grow the Yukon, together. With a broad range of learning opportunities and programs, the University's thirteen campuses play a critical role in delivering education throughout the Yukon.

Situated on the traditional territories of Yukon First Nations in 12 communities, Yukon University is guided by the indomitable spirit of the Yukon wilderness and millennia of resilience and resourcefulness.

Yukon University holds fast to its identity as a northern institution, prioritizing the uniqueness of the North as a driving factor in all that it does. Drawing strength from the northern environment, cultures, societies and economies, Yukon University approaches with ingenuity, the unique challenges of the growing territory, changing climate, and remote communities. With this in mind, YukonU is building on existing strengths and will be known for unique, relevant, niche programming and research that is relevant to the North.

With over 50 degree, diploma, certificate and trades programs, local learners access opportunities without needing to leave home – those from across Canada and Internationally are invited to deepen their understanding of YukonU's rapidly changing circumpolar world. The Institution currently serves over 1,200 full and part-time credit students and over 4,500 non-credit students each year, supported by 270 full time and 310 part time faculty and staff across 13 campuses in the Yukon. Nearly 30% of all students identify as Indigenous and the institution has launched the first Bachelor of Arts in Indigenous Governance in Canada - entirely co-designed with Yukon First Nations.

The ideal candidate is known to be an inspiring educational leader, highly effective at bringing people together to focus on the vision and strategy of an organization. Truly a champion for higher education, the new Provost & Vice- President (Academic) will bring a passion for students, and will embrace a teaching focused institution, the important role of research, and the critical role of a post-secondary institution in the North.

Yukon University is in an exciting place of transformation - the place between what is, and what is yet to be. This is a unique opportunity for a leader to bring their passion, authenticity, creativity and people-engaged leadership to a dynamic new University and enhance the impact that YukonU has on the broader communities it serves.

To explore this opportunity further, please click [Apply](#).

A significant and sustained effort will be made to encourage candidates from equity-deserving groups and with lived experience of marginalization and oppression (including Black, Indigenous and People of Colour, LGBTQIA2S+ and persons with disabilities) to apply.

We thank all applicants for their interest in this position. Please note that we will only be in contact with those individuals moving forward with our client.