

CHANCELLOR

Indiana University - Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW)

Indiana University - Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW) invites nominations and applications for the position of Chancellor. Reporting directly to the President of Purdue University, the Chancellor serves as the chief executive officer of the IPFW campus, which is one of five campuses in Purdue's statewide system. The Chancellor will be expected to provide overall leadership in advancing academic quality, expanding service to the Fort Wayne region and for collaborative participation as a member campus of Purdue University.

IPFW is a comprehensive university located on 682 acres of land in Fort Wayne, Indiana. It was established in 1964 by combining individual Indiana University and Purdue University program offerings in the area. Today IPFW offers over 200 program options for Purdue and IU degrees and certificates. The campus houses 17 Centers of Excellence, 33 departments comprising 4 colleges, 2 schools and 3 divisions in 40 buildings and structures.

With 1823 full-and part-time faculty and staff the university offers both undergraduate and graduate degrees. Currently the campus serves approximately 14,200 students with a full-time equivalency of approximately 10,100 students.

Reporting to the President of the Purdue University system, the Chancellor:

- Serves as a spokesperson and an advocate for the mission, vision and strategic direction of IPFW both internally and externally
- Communicates essential information about the campus internally and externally
- Engages the campus in strategic planning, setting clear direction and priorities for the future of IPFW
- Oversees the work of senior operating officers, fostering team leadership for the campus
- Leads the campus biennial budgeting and capital budgeting planning processes
- Oversees the assembly of resources necessary to carry out the work of the campus
- Assures quality in faculty and staff hiring, support, development, and scholarship
- Maintains open relationships with faculty, staff and student campus governance groups
- Ensures the overall quality and integrity of academic programs and support services offered by the campus
- Maintains strong relationships with local government officials and regional legislators
- Sets direction for campus advancement, engaging in fund-raising, external relations, and community engagement
- Marshals the resources of the campus for the improvement and development of Northern Indiana
- Exercises delegated authority from the President in financial and personnel matters
- Participates in the leadership of Purdue University, as requested by the President
- Collaborates with Indiana University in academic program and related personnel matters, and other matters in accordance with the management agreement between Purdue University and Indiana University

The successful candidate must have a strong background that includes significant academic accomplishment qualifying for the academic rank of full professor, administrative experience in a complex academic organization, and a demonstrated ability to work effectively with different campus groups. The candidate must also demonstrate an ability to build partnerships with constituent groups including the community, the legislature, and financial benefactors; and must have a commitment to the land-grant philosophy and the principles of diversity. Experience in strategic planning, program development, and fundraising are preferred.

Applications and nominations will be accepted immediately, and until the position is filled or the search is terminated. Applications should include letters outlining qualifications and accomplishments, and curriculum vitae. The selected candidate is expected to take office on July 1, 2012, or as soon as practical. For more information about Indiana University - Purdue University Fort Wayne please visit the campus website at new.ipfw.edu. **Please send applications, nominations, and inquiries to:**

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