The Chancellor of The City University of New York is seeking an exemplary academic leader to serve as Executive Vice Chancellor and University Provost. The Executive Vice Chancellor/University Provost is the Chief Academic Officer of the University, and as such is responsible for leading the development, planning and implementation of University policies relevant to all aspects of its academic programs, research, instructional technology, student development, and enrollment management. The position provides strategic academic leadership to the CUNY campuses in ensuring that CUNY continues to be the leading urban public university system in the nation and beyond. The Executive Vice Chancellor/University Provost reports to the Chancellor and works closely with the Executive Vice Chancellor and Chief Operating Officer in developing University-wide operating and capital budgets that reflect clearly and cogently the academic priorities of the University. He/she will be actively engaged in resource development, academic and budget planning, and student learning and assessment.

Under the direction of the Executive Vice Chancellor/University Provost, The Office of Academic Affairs oversees University policies governing the academic programs of CUNY and its 23 institutions, including the Graduate Center, and more than 100 research centers. The Office is also responsible for the development and implementation of the “Flagship Environment” initiative, the Decade of Science, and a variety of special University-wide programs, such as the William E. Macaulay Honors College and the Teaching Opportunity Program. Most recently the Office of Academic Affairs spearheaded CUNY’s initiatives in Instructional Technology and Economic Development. With approximately 232,000 students enrolled in some 1,400 degree programs and an additional 230,000 in continuing education classes, the University offers learning opportunities at every level, from certificate courses to the Ph.D. in a single integrated system.

The preferred qualifications for this position include:

- Outstanding achievement as a scholar
- A demonstrated record of dynamic, visionary and innovative leadership including strategic planning, commitment to academic excellence, effective management of resources, and academic program development in a large-scale and complex academic institution
- A commitment to shared-governance and to the importance of faculty development and research
- A demonstrated ability to communicate persuasively with outside constituencies, such as business and governmental leaders, on issues vital to an urban public university
- A strong commitment to the mission of the University, to diversity among faculty, staff, and students, and to the role of public higher education in a dynamic urban environment
- An earned doctorate is required

We are being assisted in this search by Dr. Alice Chandler of Chandler Associates. Confidential inquiries may be directed via email to chandlerassociates@gmail.com.

The review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. Submission of applications is encouraged by October 1, 2008. The position is available in February 2009.

Candidates should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, and a list of references. All inquiries, nominations and applications will be held in the strictest confidence, and references will not be contacted without the applicant’s prior permission. Kindly provide the search name in the subject line if application is emailed.

Applications and nominations should be sent to: Ms. Dolly Martínez, Executive Director of Executive Search, The City University of New York, 535 East 80th Street, New York, NY 10075 or by email to: executivesearch@mail.cuny.edu.

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