

**The Ohio State University**  
**Associate Dean and Director of Academic Affairs**  
**College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences**

The Ohio State University is seeking highly qualified candidates for the position of Associate Dean and Director of Academic Affairs in the College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences (CFAES). The successful candidate will provide leadership for graduate and undergraduate programs in one of the most comprehensive and distinguished universities in the USA and will report directly to the University Vice President and Dean of CFAES, Dr. Bobby Moser. The CFAES Associate Dean and Director of Academic Affairs is expected to: be highly innovative in providing leadership to enhance the College curriculum; strategic in allocating funds for Academic Affairs; work as a team member with the OSU Vice President and Dean of the College along with the Associate Deans and Directors of the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center, and Ohio State University Extension; establish a strong working relationship with the CFAES Department Chairs, School of Environment and Natural Resources Director and Agricultural Technical Institute Director; and be a leader in embracing and promoting diversity throughout the College in personnel, curriculum, and teaching activities.

A high priority of the College is developing multi-college interdisciplinary academic programs and the successful candidate will be expected to enhance graduate and undergraduate programs in these areas. The campus is located in Columbus, Ohio, the capital of the State, a vibrant business community with headquarters of many food- and agriculturally-based companies which allows for the opportunity to build strong and unique collaborations with leaders in the private sector for enhancing highly relevant graduate and undergraduate teaching.

The CFAES Associate Dean and Director of Academic Affairs will serve as the College leader in marketing academic programs to students and prospective students; supervising numerous professional and clerical staff; and administration of a \$17 million Academic Affairs budget. The successful candidate is expected to be a nationally recognized visionary and scholarly leader in administering graduate and undergraduate educational programs and must hold the necessary credentials to be appointed at the rank of Full Professor in one of the CFAES Departments or School.

Applicants are expected to provide a Letter of Application specifying their credentials relative to responsibilities of this position, current curriculum vita, and names (postal mail addresses, phone numbers, email addresses) of four references. Applications are to be sent to Dr. James E. Kinder, Search Committee Chair, Room 100K Agricultural Administration Building, 2120 Fyffe Road, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH 43210-1066. Review of applications will begin 15 March 2007 and will continue until the successful candidate is selected. The Ohio State University is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer. Women, Minorities, Vietnam-era veterans, disabled veterans and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply.