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HARRIS-STOWE STATE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT

The Board of Regents of Harris-Stowe State University (www.hssu.edu) invites nominations and applications for the position of President. Founded in 1857, Harris-Stowe is accessible, diverse and offers the most affordable baccalaureate degrees in the St. Louis, Missouri, metropolitan area.

Harris-Stowe is fully accredited and has grown significantly over the years, moving from one degree program to 15. With a low 25:1 student to faculty ratio, the university was named one of "America's Best Colleges" in the Midwest by *U.S. News*. The university's physical campus also has changed immensely with the construction of several new buildings in the last decade, including two student residence halls; a physical education/performing arts facility; and a state-of-the-art early childhood development and parenting education center.

The President will be an inspirational leader and responsible for ensuring that the academic, fiscal and operational activities of Harris-Stowe are conducted in alignment with its mission, strategic plan and priorities, and are consistent with the best practices of colleges and universities.

The successful candidate will have five or more years of experience in a senior academic or administration leadership role in an accredited four-year institution of higher education (president or chancellor experience preferred). He/she should possess an advanced degree in an education/administration-related discipline from an accredited four-year institution of higher education (earned doctorate preferred). An extraordinary business or government profile also will be considered in lieu of advanced academic credentials.

Applicants should submit a cover letter describing professional experience as it relates to the opportunities, challenges and requirements of the position; a current resume/curriculum vita; and the names, addresses, telephone numbers and email addresses of five references. The Board is being assisted with its search by The Hollins Group Inc. For full consideration, nominations and applications should be submitted by January 24, 2014. At that time, the Search Committee shall begin its formal review of applicants, continuing until the position is filled.

All inquiries and materials should be sent electronically (in Microsoft Word) to: education@thehollinsgroup.com Reference "Harris-Stowe Presidential Search" in the e-mail subject line

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