



The Utah State Board of Regents invites nominations and applications for the position of President of Utah Valley University (UVU), a regional state university located in the Provo-Orem area, which is 40 miles south of Salt Lake City at the base of the beautiful Wasatch Mountains.

UVU is a dynamic, rapidly growing teaching institution with an enrollment of over 24,000 students. UVU provides general and liberal education while also meeting the workforce needs of business and industry. As an institution that has recently transitioned from a state college into a regional university, UVU offers a limited number of master's degree programs, more than 50 programs leading to Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Arts Degrees, and applied technology programs leading to Associate of Arts, Science, or Applied Science Degrees or certificates.

Utah Valley University is a teaching institution which provides opportunity, promotes student success, and meets regional educational needs. UVU builds on a foundation of substantive scholarly and creative work to foster engaged learning. The university prepares professionally competent people of integrity who, as lifelong learners and leaders, serve as stewards of a globally interdependent community. Its core values are: learning and scholarship, critical and creative thinking, academic freedom, ethics and integrity, accountability and openness, engaged learning, diversity, and global engagement.

The President is appointed by and serves at the pleasure of the Board of Regents and is responsible to the Board for overall administration of the University. Candidates should have a personal record of academic achievement; a Ph.D. or equivalent terminal degree is preferred. Candidates should have proven ability as a skillful leader of a quality-focused comprehensive academic institution, which includes not only traditional academic programs but also an appreciation for the respective roles of career and technical education, arts and humanities, and athletics. He/she must be able to work effectively with political leaders, governing boards, K-12, other higher education institutions, and the local community. Fund raising and institutional development will be high priorities. (Specific selection criteria will be posted at www.utahsbr.edu or www.uvu.edu in early October.)

The Presidential Search Committee expects to review application materials in October and November 2008. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Nominations and applications with resume, references and other supporting materials should be sent to:

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