Le Moyne College Syracuse, NY

# Position Specifications Dean Arts & Sciences

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# THE OPPORTUNITY

#### Overview:

Le Moyne College is a Catholic, Jesuit, comprehensive Liberal Arts College in Syracuse, NY. Under dynamic presidential leadership and a strong, experienced senior administrative team, Le Moyne College has an opportunity for a visionary, energetic leader capable of integrating contemporary liberal learning across the College.

One of 28 Jesuit colleges and universities in the United States, Le Moyne College has enjoyed remarkable success over the past several years. Strengthened by the largest gift in College history – a transformative \$50 million endowment that will fund research and academic initiatives in Computer Science, Management/Information Systems, Physics, and Religious Philosophy – as well as a \$7 million gift that launched the Madden School of Business earlier this year, Le Moyne continues to grow with the largest construction and renovation activity since its founding in 1946. See <a href="https://www.lemoyne.edu">www.lemoyne.edu</a>.

#### **Mission Statement:**

Le Moyne College is a diverse learning community that strives for academic excellence in the Catholic and Jesuit tradition through its comprehensive programs rooted in the liberal arts and sciences. Its emphasis is on education of the whole person and on the search for meaning and value as integral parts of the intellectual life. Le Moyne College seeks to prepare its members for leadership and service in their personal and professional lives to promote a more just society.

A Catholic, Jesuit College has a particular responsibility to provide an environment for the safe and nurturing exploration of difference, while also offering rich, ample opportunities for students to pursue the Jesuit ideal of "education in dialogue with the world."

#### Location:

Syracuse, NY

#### The Position:

The Dean of Arts and Sciences will join, and provide leadership to, an exceptional community of teacher-scholars and students. As a member of the President's Cabinet, the Dean will contribute to Le Moyne's distinctive mission as a Jesuit, Catholic institution.

Reporting to the Provost, the Dean is responsible for the largest academic unit and the heart of Le Moyne College. The Dean will direct academic programming, administer the College's core curriculum, evaluate faculty and student learning, cultivate the use of innovative technologies in the classroom, participate in alumni and community outreach, assist in fundraising efforts, and provide leadership in achieving and maintaining accreditation. The successful candidate will foster a student-centered environment and the continuation of the college's commitment to the liberal arts as the foundation for professional education. She or he is also responsible for faculty recruitment and development, and budget and personnel management. The Dean will provide strategic collaborative leadership to advance excellence as highlighted in the OneLeMoyne strategic plan.

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#### **Qualifications:**

The Dean of Arts and Sciences will possess a terminal degree and the academic credentials required for the rank of full professor in one of the disciplines of Arts and Sciences. The new Dean will be a confident leader and academic innovator capable of elevating the profile of the division and College, and must demonstrate the administrative experience necessary for this pivotal position at the College.

# Why consider the opportunity?

- <u>Mission</u>. Inspired by St. Ignatius of Loyola's capacity to find God in all things, Le Moyne seeks to build a respectful, welcoming campus culture that celebrates difference and models inclusion. Uniqueness is expressed through gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, age physical and mental attributes, and religious and political beliefs.
- <u>Leadership and Faculty strength</u>. The leadership team is high-energy, innovative, and willing to experiment. Le Moyne has recently placed talented faculty in hard-to-hire disciplines.
- <u>Culture</u>. Le Moyne College provides a comprehensive and competitive benefits package and a place in a close-knit community that is strengthened by the Jesuit, Catholic tradition of care for the whole person, social justice and service to others.

# PROCEDURE FOR CANDIDACY

Confidential review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. To ensure consideration, applications should be submitted by **November 15, 2012**.

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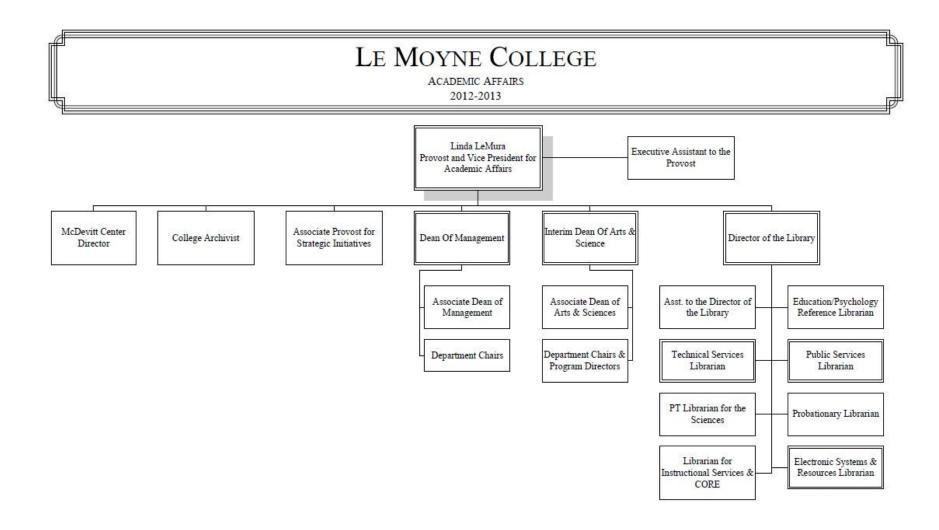
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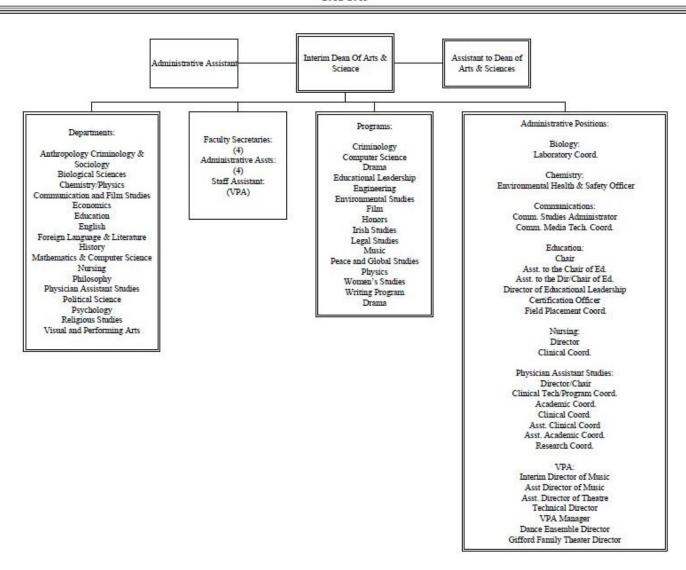
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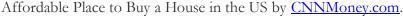
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# SYRACUSE, NEW YORK

Discover one of the greatest college towns in the northeast! From downtown hot spots to hiking trails, art galleries to sporting events, you'll find there is no shortage of things to do in and around Syracuse.

- In 2010 Forbes rated Syracuse 4th in the top 10 places to raise a family.
- Also in 2010, Syracuse
   Ranked 3rd Most





The area offers a rich mix of year-round recreational opportunities. In Syracuse you may swim in the emerald waters of Green Lakes State Park, bike along the old Erie Canal, golf at one of many courses, pick apples at Beak & Skiff Orchards, downhill ski at one of the many resorts within a half hour drive or snowshoe through the woodland trails of Highland Forest. And if spectator sports are more your speed, Le Moyne College boasts championship lacrosse, as well as baseball and soccer teams. Syracuse also offers other collegiate sporting opportunities and is home to a professional baseball team, the Chiefs and the hockey team, the Crunch.

For those interested in the arts, Syracuse offers an opera company and regional theater, along with numerous other opportunities to attend performances of comedy, puppetry and improvisation. Syracuse is also home to multiple museums, including the I.M. Pei-designed Everson Museum of Art.

The downtown business district of Syracuse – Armory Square – is also a must-see, featuring unique restaurants, pubs and boutiques. Additionally, Syracuse offers those with a sense of adventure a plethora of hidden gems in every part of the city – from the Irish Tipperary Hill to "Little Italy" on the north side to the bohemian village of Westcott Street.

For additional information on Syracuse, please visit:

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