



Dublin City University (www.dcu.ie) is a research-intensive, globally-engaged, dynamic institution that is distinguished both by the quality and impact of its graduates and by its focus on the translation of knowledge into societal and economic benefit. Excellence in its education and research activities has led to its consistent ranking in the top 50 of the world's young universities (QS Top 50 under 50). DCU prepares its students well for success in life, and in the workplace, by providing a high-quality, rounded education appropriate to the challenges and opportunities of the 21st century. DCU is Ireland's fastest growing university and its next phase of major development involves strategic investments of more than €0.3bn, including a €0.2bn campus development plan.

Through its mission to transform lives and societies through education, research and innovation, DCU acts as an agent of social, cultural and economic progress. As Ireland's University of Enterprise, it is renowned for its commitment to innovation and entrepreneurship and its proactive engagement with the enterprise sector.

DCU's Executive Deans provide strategic leadership and operational management of each of the five Faculties of the University. The Executive Deans are senior officers of the University and play a key role in supporting the President in advancing the institution.

EXECUTIVE DEAN - DCU INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

In a development of major significance for education in Ireland, DCU is establishing the nation's first university faculty of education. By combining leading colleges of education in Ireland with its own School of Education Studies, the university has assembled the largest community of educational expertise on the island. The DCU Institute of Education is home to internationally-recognized experts in teaching and learning who are committed to research and scholarship and who work closely with students in an innovative environment for 21st century learning.

The DCU Institute of Education comprises six schools: School of Arts Education & Movement, School of Human Development, School of Inclusive and Special Education, School of Language, Literacy and Early Childhood Education, School of Policy and Practice, and School of STEM Education, Innovation and Global Studies.

DCU is now seeking to recruit a dynamic individual to take up the role of Executive Dean of the DCU Institute of Education. This founding role provides a unique opportunity for an individual, who combines vision, energy and research excellence, to make a major impact on education both nationally and globally.

The ideal candidate will be able to demonstrate outstanding leadership skills, an excellent academic record and experience of working across a broad range of relevant stakeholders. S/he will be expected to demonstrate deep insights into teacher education and curricular innovation.

An attractive salary, commensurate with the successful applicant's experience will be offered to the holder of the post of Executive Dean.

Application forms should be completed and returned to the Human Resources Department by the closing date below. Informal enquiries should be addressed by email to the University President, Prof. Brian MacCraith, president@dcu.ie

Closing date: 11th March 2016

Application forms are available from: **Human Resources Department, Dublin City University, Dublin 9.** Tel: +353 (1) 700 5149; Fax: +353 (1) 700 5500 Email: hr.applications@dcu.ie
Full job descriptions are available at: <https://www.dcu.ie/hr/vacancies/index.shtml>

EXECUTIVE DEAN - FACULTY OF SCIENCE & HEALTH

The Faculty of Science and Health comprises six Schools (Biotechnology; Chemical Sciences; Health and Human Performance; Mathematical Sciences; Physical Sciences; Nursing and Human Sciences) and offers more than 25 Bachelor's and Master's degree programmes, many of which have affiliations to, or are recognised by, external professional bodies. The Faculty plays a key role in DCU's Research and Innovation agenda and is home to internationally-recognised Research Centres across a range of areas, including Cellular Biotechnology, Neurotherapeutics, Plasma Science and Technology, Sensors, Water Science and Technology, Nanotechnology, Biomedical Diagnostics and STEM Education. The Faculty places a strong focus on the employability of its graduates and is strongly committed to interdisciplinary teaching and research initiatives, which result in major economic and societal benefits.

DCU is now seeking to recruit a dynamic individual to take up the role of Executive Dean of the Faculty of Science and Health.

The ideal candidate will be able to demonstrate outstanding leadership skills, an excellent academic record and experience of working across a broad range of relevant stakeholders.

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