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THE UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH

Dean of The School of Theology

The University of the South invites applications and nominations for the position of Dean of its School of Theology. The University seeks a creative and visionary leader to guide the School in offering theological education in the 21st century. The ideal candidate will have a record of scholarly achievement, pastoral leadership, and effective administration; have an academic doctorate; and be ordained in the Episcopal Church.

The School of Theology educates 120 students on campus through masters and doctoral degree programs during the academic year or the summer. Additionally, over 8,300 people worldwide are preparing for lay ministry through the School's multi-year Education for Ministry program.

The 70 students in residence during the academic year share a campus with approximately 1,450 undergraduates in one of the nation's top tier liberal arts colleges. Seminarians engage with undergraduates in a variety of ways, including taking cross-listed courses, serving as advisors in residential halls, participating in outreach activities, and leading worship activities.

As the head of The School of Theology, the Dean works closely with the University's Vice-Chancellor and is a member of the senior staff. It is expected that the Dean, as a tenured member of the faculty, will teach on a regular basis.

Founded by leaders of the Episcopal Church in 1857, The University of the South is located on a striking 13,000-acre campus atop Tennessee's Cumberland Plateau between Chattanooga and Nashville. The University is committed to sustainable practices and environmental education. The School of Theology grants the degrees of Doctor of Ministry, Doctor of Ministry in Preaching, Master of Sacred Theology, Master of Divinity, and Master of Arts in Theology, as well as a diploma in Anglican Studies and a Certificate of Advanced Theological Study.

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled; however, only candidates whose materials are received by January 31, 2012, can be assured of receiving full consideration. A cover letter, résumé and contact information of three references should be sent to:

The Rt. Rev. J. Neil Alexander, Chancellor
Dr. John Swallow, Provost
The University of the South
735 University Avenue
Sewanee, Tennessee 37383-1000

Eligibility for employment is contingent upon successful completion of a pre-employment screening.

***The University of the South is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
Minorities and women are encouraged to apply.***