

College of Saint Mary
Omaha, Nebraska
Director of Physical Therapy

College of Saint Mary invites applications and nominations for the position of Director of Physical Therapy. College of Saint Mary is a Catholic women's university located in Omaha, Nebraska. Enrollment was 1,043 students in the fall of 2016, including 664 full-time undergraduates and 283 graduate students.

The Physical Therapy Program

College of Saint Mary is developing a doctor of physical therapy (DPT) program that uses a distinctive hybrid model of program delivery. The program will include face-to-face and online components that reflect the rigor necessary for successful physical therapy education and the flexibility that many students require because of their lifestyle. The online component of the program will allow students to complete the didactic portion of the curriculum, while the face-to-face component will afford students the laboratory experiences that support essential skills development.

The Director of Physical Therapy

The founding program director of physical therapy will report to the associate dean of graduate studies and help determine the critical details for program delivery that will enhance student success and meet the expectation of CAPTE.

The successful candidate will possess the following minimum characteristics and attributes:

- An earned academic doctoral degree (Ph.D., Ed.D., D.Sc., etc.)
- Eligibility for licensure as a physical therapist in Nebraska
- Minimum of five years of service as a full-time physical therapy faculty member
- Academic qualifications commensurate for appointment as an associate professor or higher
- Commitment to the development of high-quality online instructional experiences
- Commitment to the College of Saint Mary mission as a Catholic institution in the tradition of the Sisters of Mercy

Other desired qualifications include prior successful leadership of a physical therapy education program and experience with online learning.

The anticipated start date for the new director will be Fall 2017 or as soon as possible to meet the target date to begin the program.

A completed application will include a cover letter addressing the characteristics above, curriculum vitae and the names, email addresses and phone numbers of three references, none of whom will be contacted without the permission of the applicant. The position will remain open until filled, but only applications received by July 15, 2017 can be assured full consideration. If you wish to have a confidential discussion regarding this position, you may contact Jerry Israel, Senior Consultant, at jmi@academic-search.com.

Academic Search, Inc. has been retained to assist College of Saint Mary with this search. Applications and nominations should be sent to: CSMDirectorPT@academic-search.com. Further information about the position and institutional profile is available at <http://academic-search.com/sites/default/files/CSMDirectorPTProfile.pdf>. More information about College of Saint Mary is available at <http://www.csm.edu/>.

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