

# The College of The Bahamas

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Colleagues and friends:

I am pleased to advise that we have now entered the recruitment phase of our search for a new College President.

With the feedback from you in our College community a position profile describing our key institutional needs and priorities, including the characteristics we believe to be essential for our next President has been developed and is posted on this website for your information. Advertising placements of the position will appear in our local media and a number of other sources including the Chronicle of Higher Education, Inside Higher Education, Times Higher Education and International Studies Association.

If there are persons you believe to be especially suited for the position, you are encouraged to complete a nomination form, which is also available on The College's President Search website. Instructions on how to submit these nominations are noted on the form. The success of our search will depend on the involvement, support and interest of all members of our College community. We urge you to continue to follow the developments of the search and to provide whatever feedback you believe would be useful to this process.

In addition to your nominations and our advertising efforts, our search consultants from Academic Search Inc. will also source a broad network of contacts in the higher education community. Applicant review will begin immediately following the June 9<sup>th</sup> application deadline. The ensuing interview phase of the search will include short-listed candidates whose skills and expertise are most closely related to our needs. Emerging finalists from this group will be invited to campus in late August, following the start of the Fall 2010 semester. We expect the successful candidate to assume office before the end of the semester.

You will receive another update on the Presidential search in a few weeks. Thank you for your continued interest and support.

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