POSITION: Executive Director of Global Engagement  

RESPONSIBILITIES:  
The University of Louisiana at Lafayette seeks applications for the position of Executive Director of Global Engagement. Located in the heart of historic Acadiana with its African, Creole, French, Spanish and German historical influences, Lafayette and the University are at an especially vibrant global crossroads. Led by international tourism and the oil and gas industry, the area’s economy has an extremely diverse and attractive international foundation. This position seeks to capitalize on these assets to coordinate the University’s global initiatives and grow its international profile. The successful applicant will

• expand the University’s international engagement and provide leadership for global international initiatives
• oversee the recruitment of international students, setting and meeting specific recruitment targets at the undergraduate and graduate level
• oversee the articulation of international resources on campus and to coordinate the international functions and resources of the University (including the Office of International Affairs and the Office of Study Abroad) under a single Office of International Relations and Programs
• keep a database of all joint degree programs and international partners, and to match students with opportunities for international study
• assist with international admissions, recruitment, advertising, advising, scholarships, financial aid, transcript analysis, articulation agreements, dual degree programs, and credit transfer
• lead efforts to develop, maintain, and enhance international partnerships; to assist Colleges and Departments in managing and creating international programs and reciprocal Memoranda of Understanding with international partners, including universities, corporate entities, grant funding agencies, and consortium programs
• assist with the international branding and reputation of the University
• familiarity with Visa regulations
• host and engage with campus visitors and dignitaries from foreign institutions seeking to establish partnerships with UL Lafayette.

QUALIFICATIONS:  
appropriate academic training and professional experience in global education and international relations; experience in university administration at the Department Head level or higher; foreign language competency and intercultural sensitivity; experience in academic leadership and budget oversight; Terminal degree in the field or Ph.D. required.

UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY:  
The mission of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette is to offer exceptional education informed by diverse world views striving to develop innovative leaders who advance knowledge. The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges accredits the University, which offers undergraduate and graduate degrees in the arts, sciences, and professional programs. The University is a public research university with high research activity, an enrollment of over 19,000 students and 800 faculty members. UL Lafayette is the largest of nine universities in the University of Louisiana System. The University offers degree programs in 55 undergraduate disciplines, 15 post-bachelor certificates, seven graduate certificates, the master’s degree in 30 disciplines and the doctorate in 10 disciplines. Additional information about the University is available on the University's webpage at http://louisiana.edu/.

The core values of the University include: equity, integrity, intellectual curiosity, creativity, tradition, transparency, respect, collaboration, pluralism, and sustainability. UL Lafayette consists of nine degree-granting units: Arts, B.I. Moody III College of Business Administration, Education, Engineering, Graduate School, Liberal Arts, Nursing and Allied Health Professions, Ray P. Authement College of Sciences, and University College. Located midway between New Orleans and Houston, Lafayette is the heart of Louisiana's Acadian-Creole region. The city of over 126,000 is part of the Lafayette-Acadiana area, which has a total population of 616,000 and is one of Louisiana's fastest-growing metropolitan areas. Lafayette serves as the base of Louisiana's offshore oil industry, as well as the financial, retail, and medical center for South-Central Louisiana.
SALARY: Commensurate with experience.

ANTICIPATED STARTING DATE: July 1, 2018

APPLICATIONS:
Please send Resume, Cover Letter, and five references to:
Michael McClure, FAAR
Associate Dean, College of the Arts
mcclure@louisiana.edu
337 482 1425

The University of Louisiana at Lafayette does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or disability in admission to, access to, treatment in, or employment in its programs and activities as required by Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, Age Discrimination Act of 1975, the Equal Pay Act of 1963, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Executive Order 11246, Section 503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Section 402 of the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974 and the 1990 Americans With Disabilities Act. - See more at: http://personnel.louisiana.edu/employment-opportunities/policy-nondiscrimination