Department Chair Search

The University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) School of Nursing invites nominations for candidates to fill two Department Chair roles.

As a member of the School of Nursing’s Leadership Team, the Department Chair works collaboratively with the Senior Associate Dean, other Associate Deans, Assistant Deans and Program Coordinators. Reporting directly to the Dean, the Department Chair is responsible for:

- faculty mentoring, development and evaluation across the three missions of teaching, research, and scholarship
- developing and implementation of departmental goals
- engaging in recruitment of students, faculty and staff
- participating in course scheduling and faculty assignment with academic team; and
- contributing scholarly works and service in alignment with rank and tenure status.

Candidates must have a graduate degree in Nursing, a doctorate in Nursing or a related field, a minimum of 5 years’ successful leadership/administrative experience in an academic setting, and have active licensure or be eligible for licensure as a RN in Alabama. Rank, tenure status and salary are competitive and commensurate with professional background and experience. Faculty may elect different degrees of emphasis on the teaching, service and scholarship components of the faculty role across the following five strategic initiatives:

About UAB and the School of Nursing

UAB is the state’s flagship Academic Health Science Center with the nation’s third largest public hospital, and is classified as a research-intensive university by the Carnegie Foundation. The UAB School of Nursing’s legacy of leadership is focused on integrating scholarship in research, education and clinical practice, and evidenced in the more than 15,000 alumni who serve as expert clinicians, executives, deans, nurse scientists, advanced practice registered nurses and other professionals. The School, with its diverse research funding portfolio, is ranked 13th of graduate programs in Schools of Nursing by U.S. News and World Report, is a Pan American Health Organization/World Health Organization Collaborating Center for International Nursing, is one of three Paul D. Coverdell Peace Corps Fellows in Nursing programs, is one of 12 VA Nursing Academic Partnership sites, is home to the state’s only nursing-specific research office, and hosts an innovative nursing simulation and skills laboratory, which provides faculty and students with interprofessional learning opportunities. For more information, go to www.uab.edu/nursing.

Applications, inquiries, and letters of nominations should be submitted to:
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Review of applications will continue until the position is filled. UAB is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer committed to fostering a diverse, equitable and family-friendly environment in which all faculty and staff can excel and achieve work/life balance irrespective of race, national origin, age, genetic or family medical history, gender, faith, gender identity and expression as well as sexual orientation. UAB also encourages applications from individuals with disabilities and veterans. A pre-employment background investigation is performed on candidates selected for employment.