Eastern Washington University seeks a dynamic and energetic leader who will have a comprehensive understanding of a university education for the 21st century. The Dean will effectively guide and represent the College in collaborative initiatives within the University and broader community. The Dean will be responsible for defining the College's strategic priorities; recruiting and maintaining an excellent and diverse faculty; creating and supporting educational programs of the highest quality. In addition the Dean will be expected to create collaborative opportunities with other schools and departments within the University; and enhance relationships with alumni, donors, and community leaders. The Dean serves as a member of the President’s Cabinet, and reports directly to the Provost and VP for Academic Affairs.

The Dean will also serve as Executive Dean for EWU—Spokane campus. In this capacity the Dean will represent and promote the interests of Eastern Washington University on the Riverpoint Campus in cooperation with the President and the Provost and actively foster partnership opportunities with other institutions of higher learning and the business community. The Dean will develop and sustain a collegial and collaborative working relationship with the Chancellor of Washington State University—Spokane. The Dean will also represent EWU in matters related to the university district. The Dean will oversee the EWU’s physical facilities on the Riverpoint Campus and assist the Provost in identifying and launching new academic initiatives at Riverpoint.

The College of Business & Public Administration provides quality undergraduate and graduate education that prepares our students to be successful professionals and to advance in their chosen careers. The business programs are accredited by AACSB and the planning programs are accredited by the Planning Accreditation Board. The College offers the following fields of study to its students who comprise over 16% of Eastern’s total enrollment:

- **Undergraduate** programs are offered on our Cheney campus, in Spokane, and at Bellevue College: Accounting, Business Education, Economics, Finance, Health Services Administration, Health Informatics Technology Management, Human Resource Management, Management, MIS, Marketing, Operations Management, and Urban and Regional Planning.
- **Graduate** programs are offered in the evening in Spokane: Business Administration (MBA), Graduate Certificate in Health Services Administration, Public Administration (MPA), Urban and Regional Planning (MURP).

**Qualifications:**

**Eastern seeks a Dean** who is a distinguished scholar with a doctorate in a field associated with the College, and credentials supporting eligibility for a tenured appointment within the college; a creative and energetic leader with faculty and administrative experience at the department chair level or above; an informed and collaborative professional exhibiting strong communication skills and the ability to work effectively in a collective bargaining and shared governance environment, and who embraces development of a diverse, student-centered learning community; and an entrepreneurial educator able to balance core programming responsibilities while working effectively with educational and community leaders to promote strong external relations, and who has a demonstrated commitment to external fundraising in support of the University mission.
In addition, Eastern seeks a Dean with a clear understanding of an urban campus mission for the development and delivery of educational programs; strong oral and written communication skills; background and experience in developing service learning, internships and applied research programs; demonstrated high degree of interest, ability, and/or experience promoting cultural competency and/or diversity; and a demonstrated ability to work closely with all members of the academic community, a wide array of leaders in the public and private sector.

Candidates are encouraged to visit the University's web site: www.ewu.edu as well as the College web site: www.ewu.edu/CBPA.xml To assure full consideration, a complete application should be received by March 1, however position will remain open until filled. Applications should include a letter describing interest and qualifications, current curriculum vitae, and the names and telephone numbers of five references. All materials will be held in strictest confidence; references will not be contacted until candidates have been notified. Screening will begin after March 1, 2011. Position is available whenever the successful candidate is available, preferably on or before July 1, 2011. To be considered for this opportunity, please submit your application materials through our online faculty application portal located here: https://jobs.hr.ewu.edu Applications will not be accepted via email or regular mail.

Eastern Washington University is committed to increasing the diversity of its faculty, staff, students, and academic program offerings and to strengthening sensitivity to diversity throughout the institution. Eastern Washington University is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer, and applications from members of historically underrepresented groups are especially encouraged to apply. Successful candidate(s) will be required to pass a background check and show proof of eligibility to work in the U.S. pursuant to U.S. immigration laws. SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS: Eastern strives to satisfy all requests for special access needs for persons with disabilities. Requests for such accommodations are welcome and may be made by calling Human Resources at: (509) 359-2381.

Eastern Washington University is a comprehensive public university and one of Washington’s fastest growing public education institutions. We are a driving force for the culture, economy and vitality of the Inland Northwest region. Over 10,000 students, 800 staff, and 600 faculty make Eastern their destination of choice for learning opportunities and professional achievement in high-quality liberal arts and professional programs offered on our beautiful campus in Cheney and throughout the state in Bellevue, Everett, Kent, Seattle, Shoreline, Spokane, Tacoma, Vancouver, and Yakima.

Cheney offers a safe, small-town atmosphere just 20 minutes from Spokane, Washington’s second largest city. As the gateway to the Rockies, Glacier, and Yellowstone National Parks, the region offers outstanding four-season recreation, and a variety of landscapes, including mountains, plains, rivers, and lakes. Regional entertainment opportunities include award winning museums, orchestras, performing arts, Broadway shows, exquisite dining, over 300 wineries, eclectic shopping and more!

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE POSITION, please visit http://access.ewu.edu/HRRR/Jobs.xml Questions about the position may be directed to Niel Zimmerman, (509) 828-1224.