Position Announcement
Faculty Master in the Apartment Communities

The Provost invites applications from tenured faculty members for the position of Faculty Master in the Apartment Communities (Hillside & Susquehanna). You may also nominate a faculty colleague for this position.

Why Consider This Opportunity?
Are you a faculty member who is ready to try a unique and compelling way to experience undergraduate education at Binghamton? To consider an experience that will bring you into close contact with students in a variety of settings outside the classroom? To help us think strategically about ways to make our residential college system a key feature in distinguishing us from other universities?

We are looking for someone who:
• loves to work closely with students
• wants to make a real impact on student lives outside the classroom
• enjoys looking for dynamic new ways to make learning experiences relevant to students
• has the time and energy to embrace a new challenge
• likes the idea of developing congenial partnerships with a broad range of students, staff, and faculty from across the university
• wants to think and plan strategically to maximize the contribution of the residential colleges to the University's mission

What's Special About the Apartment Communities?
The Apartment Communities house primarily juniors, seniors, and transfer students as they complete their undergraduate studies and prepare for the next step. As a faculty master, you'll have a chance to work with these young men and women at a crucial stage in their lives:
• assisting transfer students as they adjust to the academic and social life at Binghamton University
• working with students who have a higher level of maturity and greater focus
• helping students prepare for the graduate school search and application process
• helping students to understand and communicate the value of their study program in the job search and application process

What Are The Goals for Faculty Masters?
Faculty Masters are members of the faculty who help create a rich living-and-learning experience in the residential areas. The Faculty Master in the Apartment Communities (one of six residential areas at Binghamton University) will be part of a team working to:
• create closer student-faculty relations outside the classroom and within the Apartment
Communities

- promote a broad range of informal and formal cultural, educational, and intellectual activities for the students in Hillside and Susquehanna
- create an intellectual climate where living and learning are joined
- support an inclusive sense of community, global awareness, and intercultural connectedness within the residential college
- increase the overall impact of the residential college system on undergraduate education at Binghamton University

Other Details

Faculty Masters, traditionally tenured members of the faculty, are appointed by the Provost and report directly to the Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education and the Director of Residential Life & University Housing. Faculty Masters serve for renewable terms up to three years and receive a salary supplement in consideration of their additional duties, including some summer responsibilities. The duties as Faculty Master replace approximately 50 percent of the normal teaching, research and service duties.

Interested? Here's How to Learn More

To learn more about the role of the Faculty Master, please feel free to contact any of the currently serving Faculty Masters, or those who work closely with them, for a confidential discussion.

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- Donald Loewen, Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education, 777-2142 or djloewen@binghamton.edu

Applications (consisting of a statement of interest and an up-to-date c.v.) and nominations should be submitted by email to Donald Loewen, Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education, djloewen@binghamton.edu. Review of applications will begin in December 2012. Applications will continue to be received until the position is filled.