

**Office of Latino/Latin American Studies (OLLAS)  
University of Nebraska at Omaha  
OLLAS Director Position Announcement**

The University of Nebraska at Omaha invites applications for the position of Director of the Office of Latino/Latin American Studies (OLLAS). OLLAS is an innovative center with an international reputation for effectively combining academic excellence and public engagement within and across borders. The Director is expected to have the experience, intellectual vision and leadership skills to lead OLLAS into its next phase, enhancing its growth and well-integrated mission of interdisciplinary research, teaching and public engagement. She or he must be able to establish working partnerships with diverse and multilingual stakeholders within and outside the university. This is a senior-level (Associate or Full Professor) position open primarily to candidates coming from the Social Sciences and Humanities. However, other fields will be considered if the combination of expertise and educational background justify special consideration. Candidates must have an established record of research, teaching and engagement in areas associated with Latino/Latin American Studies. Candidates whose research, publications and engagement record qualify them for an additional faculty appointment with tenure in a relevant department will be considered for such appointments, however the primary appointment will be as OLLAS Director. Rank and salary will be competitive and commensurate with qualifications. The Director will report directly to the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences. Targeted start date is summer 2016, but the start date is negotiable. The position will remain open until the desired candidate is found. The Director must possess a Ph.D. in a relevant discipline. Candidates must have demonstrated leadership experience in Latino/Latin American Studies, and a record of administrative and fund-development proficiency. Must have a record of teaching, research and policy-relevant work in areas pertinent to Latino/Latin American Studies. Must be fluent in English and Spanish. The University has strong commitment to increasing diversity among its faculty and staff. The institution is particularly interested in receiving applications from members of under-represented groups and strongly encourages persons of diverse ethnic, racial and gender backgrounds to apply.

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