Ball State University seeks a visionary, innovative leader committed to making a sustainable impact on education and education systems to serve as the next dean of its Teachers College (https://www.bsu.edu/academics/collegesanddepartments/teachers-college).

Reporting to Provost Anand Marri, the dean will champion the mission and strategic plan of one of Ball State’s largest and most complex academic units and build on an ethos of collaboration and collegiality to advance an institutional commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion.

The next dean will work with campus leaders to steward the continuing implementation of a new incentive-based budget model; champion faculty, staff and student success; enhance community engagement; and play a critical role in supporting Ball State’s historic partnership (https://www.bsu.edu/muncie-community-schools/history) with Muncie Community Schools.

Learn more by downloading a detailed leadership profile at https://wittkieffer.com/positions/25391-ball-state-tc-dean.

For 100 years, Teachers College has prepared educators through student-centric learning experiences while enabling faculty to conduct high-impact research that advances the field of education. Perennially ranked among the best schools of education in the nation, the college enrolls nearly 5,000 students in undergraduate and graduate degree and certificate programs on campus and online across six departments.

Teachers College directly oversees the Burris Laboratory School and the Indiana Academy for Science, Mathematics, and Humanities. In addition, the Office of Charter Schools authorizes 21 charter schools throughout the Indiana.

Ball State serves approximately 20,000 students across seven academic colleges. Ball State has earned the Community Engagement Classification from the Carnegie Foundation and serves as one of Indiana’s three public research universities. Inclusive excellence (https://bsu.edu/about/inclusive-excellence/university-plan) is an integral part of Ball State’s mission and strategic plan. As the University recruits and develops diverse leaders, faculty, staff, and students, it strives to ensure that its students are prepared to engage and succeed in increasingly diverse environments.

Ball State seeks a dean with demonstrable thought leadership and visibility in the education community. A terminal degree in a relevant field is required, along with qualifications that merit a tenured faculty appointment at the rank of professor at Ball State.

All applications, nominations, and inquiries are invited. Applicants should provide a CV and letter of interest using WittKieffer’s candidate portal: https://apprtkr.com/4858285.
For fullest consideration, candidate materials should be received by Feb. 15, 2024. Confidential nominations and inquiries can be directed to BallStateTCDean@wittkieffer.com.

Ball State University is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer that is strongly and actively committed to diversity within its community. Women, minorities, individuals with disabilities, and protected veterans are strongly encouraged to apply. All qualified applicants will receive equal consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, protected veteran status, or any other legally protected status.