

Managing Director - Chicago Center for Archaeological Heritage Preservation (CCAHP)

The Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago invites applications for a position to lead the Chicago Center for Archaeological Heritage Preservation (CCAHP), an interdisciplinary center focused on developing and implementing practical projects to preserve archaeological heritage and working with local governments to develop organizations and policies for heritage preservation infrastructure. The Center is global in its concerns. Preliminary projects focus on archaeological heritage preservation in post-conflict states and newly independent states of the Middle East and Central Asia. Applicants must have expertise and practical experience in archaeological research and archaeological/cultural heritage preservation projects. Regional focus on the Middle East/Central Asia is preferred but not required.

As Managing Director of the newly founded center, the successful applicant will help develop new programs and initiatives. Demonstrated success in grant writing is necessary; experience with US government funding sources is also highly desirable. In addition, the successful candidate should have practical experience in at least some of the following areas: landscape archaeology, site survey, museums, heritage policy/law, capacity building/training, efforts to combat the illicit antiquities trade, and experience working with local governments. The position requires extensive international travel. The successful applicant is expected to teach up to two courses per year on aspects of cultural heritage preservation. A Ph.D. is required at time of appointment.

To apply for this position, please apply online at the University of Chicago's job posting website at <http://jobs.uchicago.edu> Job posting number: 098889

Review of applications will begin on August 15, 2015

Inquiries can be directed to oi-administration@uchicago.edu with subject heading ³CCAHP²

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Job seekers in need of a reasonable accommodation to complete the application process may contact Human Resources by calling 773-834-1841 or by emailing talentacquisition@uchicago.edu with their request.