Job Posting: UVic/Camosun College Chaplain

The Diocese of Victoria in beautiful British Columbia is accepting applications for the position of Roman Catholic Campus Chaplain. The Catholic Chaplain reports directly to the Bishop of Victoria, or his delegate. We seek a Chaplain who is committed to helping students grow and flourish within the Catholic faith tradition while living and learning in a secular campus environment. The Chaplain will work in collaboration with the Catholic Christian Outreach team, and a team of University of Victoria Chaplains under UVic Multifaith Services. The successful Chaplain will also be committed to creating space for individuals who value a variety of expressions and practices, and for nurturing connections across many religious and secular communities. This position will not be confined to a standard 9-5 weekday work schedule.

Qualifications

- Applicants must be an ordained priest or deacon, a sister or brother in a religious order, or a qualified lay minister of the Catholic tradition.
- They would have spent at least 3 years in ministry and have a Master’s Degree in Religious Studies, a Master of Divinity, or equivalent.
- They must have campus experience and at least one unit of Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE).
- Applicants should highlight relevant experience with building, working with, and supporting a broadly diverse and inclusive community.

Duties and Responsibilities

- The Catholic Chaplain will guide religious practice and learning for students, faculty, and staff of the University of Victoria and Camosun College, offering counsel, encouragement, and support to individuals and the institution as a whole.
- They will arrange the regular sacramental and liturgical life of the Catholic community, as well as the wider campus community.
- The Catholic Chaplain will provide pastoral care at both institutions, formulating community building opportunities and instruction on topics related to faith and spirituality experiences – including being actively involved in inter-religious and interfaith activities.
- They will be expected to build relationships between multiple stakeholders in the Diocese of Victoria, and be visibly engaged in the whole life of the university and college, including its campus-wide celebrations and gatherings in times of crisis.
- They will be proactive in the planning and leadership of dialogue and reflection among religious groups and traditions, and in collaborative ventures of humanitarian service.

Interested applicants are invited to submit a résumé and cover letter by March 31, 2020 to:

Roman Catholic Diocese of Victoria
Attention: Cynthia Bouchard, Chancellor
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Victoria, BC V8X 2A1
Email: jobs@rcdvictoria.org
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We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those short listed for an interview will be contacted.