

Provost and Vice-President, Academic Kamloops, BC

Thompson Rivers University campuses are on the ancestral lands of the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc (Kamloops campus) and the T'exelc (Williams Lake campus) within Secwepemcúlecw, the traditional and unceded territory of the Secwépemc.

Located in the heart of British Columbia's southern interior, Thompson Rivers University (TRU) is a dynamic hub for post-secondary education, research, and innovation. With a campus in Williams Lake and five additional regional centres, TRU welcomes a diverse student body into a broad spectrum of academic, professional, and trades programs. Recognized as a leader in distance and online education, TRU is distinguished by its commitment to flexibility, innovation, and student-centered access.

TRU is entering a bold new chapter under the leadership of its recently appointed President, whose forward-looking vision has sparked significant excitement across the university community. At the heart of this momentum is TRU's reaffirmed identity as a dual-purpose institution, one that intentionally balances its commitment to open access with an ambitious agenda for research intensification. This evolving mission reflects TRU's deep-rooted values of inclusion and opportunity and positions the university to expand its scholarly impact, foster innovation, and deepen its contributions to regional and global challenges alike.

Reporting to the President, the Provost and Vice-President Academic guides the university's academic direction, aligns resources with bold strategic priorities, and leads a dynamic community of faculty, Open Learning instructors, and staff across all colleges, schools, and academic support units. As TRU leans into its dual-purpose mission, the Provost will play a key role in shaping academic strategy, championing inclusive leadership, and fostering deep engagement with Indigenous communities. A core member of the executive team, the Provost drives pan-university collaboration bringing TRU's values to life through innovation, sustainability, and a culture of care.

As the successful candidate, you will have an earned doctoral degree, or equivalent, senior academic leadership experience, ideally including service as a dean or in an equivalent role, and a strong record of strategic, administrative, and stakeholder leadership in a complex university setting, along with a deep understanding of the Canadian post-secondary landscape for both research and teaching.

The salary range for this position is \$230,000 to \$260,000 per annum.

Thompson Rivers University is strongly committed to hiring based on merit with a focus on fostering diversity of thought within our community. We welcome those who would contribute to the further diversification of our staff, our faculty and its scholarship including, but not limited to, women, Indigenous, Black and People of Colour, persons with disabilities and persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity. Please note that all qualified candidates are encouraged to apply, however applications from Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.

To submit your CV and letter of introduction for consideration, in confidence, please visit <https://mbexec.com/tru-provost-vpa>. For more information, please contact Corey Paquette at cpaquette@mbexec.ca or Alex Verdecchia at averdecchia@mbexec.ca.

