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*Inviting Applications and Nominations in
the National Search for*

Program Director OF THE **Graduate Counseling and Psychology Program**

The University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, in Belton, Texas, seeks an experienced, dynamic academic administrator in the field of counseling to serve as Program Director of the Graduate Counseling and Psychology Program. The Director reports to the Dean of the Graduate School.

The Graduate Counseling and Psychology Program Director is responsible for the program's curriculum, the student clinical placements (both internally at the

university's counseling center and externally at a variety of local agencies), and the CACREP accreditation process. Other responsibilities include conducting the program evaluation, reviewing learning outcomes, and providing faculty supervision.

This leadership position includes a 12-month Program Director appointment and a full-time, nine-month, tenure-track faculty contract at least at the Associate Professor level, effective August 2011. The Director's teaching

Mission Statement

The University of Mary Hardin-Baylor prepares students for leadership, service, and faith-informed discernment in a global society. Academic excellence, personal attention, broad-based scholarship and a commitment to a Baptist vision for education distinguish our Christ-centered learning community.





responsibilities are two courses per fall and spring semester, and additional compensation is received for summer teaching.

Position Requirements

To be considered, candidates must have:

- A doctorate in Counseling or Counselor Education or related field, preferably from a CACREP accredited program
- A current and valid Texas LPC or LMFT licensure or have the ability to obtain a Texas license within six months of being hired
- At least five years of higher education experience teaching in a Counseling or Counselor Education program
- At least three years of proven higher education administration experience as a Department Chair, a Program Director or a similar position of responsibility
- Counselor Education and Supervision and CACREP program experience

Counseling and Psychology Programs

The Graduate Programs in Counseling and Psychology prepare students from diverse backgrounds and cultural experiences to be master's level clinicians for the mental health and education fields. The programs have an innovative and supportive faculty, who are clinicians involved in all aspects of the counseling profession. The curriculum provides students with opportunities to develop knowledge and competence in counseling skills, theory, assessment, empirically based research and personal

growth so that they may deliver professional mental health services in a variety of work settings. Both the program and faculty embody the values of the university as a Christian institution.

The University of Mary Hardin-Baylor offers the Master of Arts degree in Counseling and Psychology. Six faculty members teach more than 50 students pursuing degrees in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, which is CACREP accredited; Marriage and Family Christian Counseling, and School Counseling.

The University

Chartered in 1845 by the Republic of Texas, the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor is a private institution that provides an exceptional learning experience in a nurturing community where personal attention to each student is valued. Affiliated with the Baptist General Convention of Texas, the university has an enrollment of more than 2,900 students, 200-plus of which are post-graduate or doctoral students. With a student-to-faculty ratio of 14:1, Mary Hardin-Baylor offers 56 undergraduate majors/programs and 14 graduate programs.

The more than 375 full-time faculty and staff are committed to Christian higher education. With insights gained through innovative research and scholarly study, the faculty members challenge students to master their chosen fields of study and develop the critical thinking and communication skills needed to succeed in a rapidly changing world.

The beautiful 200-acre campus has excellent facilities, extensive library resources and an intellectually stimulating





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and its natural beauty. With Belton Lake nearby, parks and recreational opportunities, including sports fields, park complexes and water-based activities, are abundant. The area also offers museums, historic landmarks and shopping and entertainment. The city is within easy driving distance of Austin, Dallas, San Antonio and Houston.

The University of Mary Hardin-Baylor is an equal opportunity employer.

Application Process

To apply, send a cover letter and resume to:

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learning environment. Wireless Internet is available campus-wide, and classrooms are equipped with the latest in teaching technology.

The University of Mary Hardin-Baylor is consistently recognized as one of the best liberal arts colleges in the nation by *U.S. News & World Report*, yet remains one of the most affordable private universities in the South.

About Belton, Texas

Only 60 miles north of Austin on I-35, Belton is strategically located in the heart of Texas, in the center of the vibrant Temple-Killeen-Ft. Hood metro area, reaching more than 400,000 in population. According to the Milken Institute, this region is the second fastest growing Texas MSA. The military, government, medical services, manufacturing, service and agricultural/agribusiness sectors are major economic influences in the region.

Located on the famous Chisholm Trail, Belton has a population of 19,000 and is known for its small town charm

