Central Michigan University (CMU) invites applications and nominations for the position of Dean, College of Business Administration. CMU seeks an exceptional leader with a strong record of academic and professional accomplishment, as well as engagement with the business community, to serve in this key leadership position. The new Dean will have the opportunity to lead and engage the College in a significant era of education and service for both its students and the broader community within the setting of a dynamic university.

**Background and Position**
The past decade has been a period of exciting progress at CMU, strengthening excellence in teaching and learning at all levels, in research and scholarship, and in service to its state and region. With an enrollment of approximately 28,000 students, this doctoral research university, located in Mount Pleasant, is the fourth largest institution in Michigan and among the 100 largest public universities nationally. CMU, a $380 million enterprise, offers more than 200 academic programs, including 12 doctoral programs. CMU now seeks to achieve its vision as a nationally prominent university known for academic excellence, research and creative activity, integrity, and public service.

The College of Business Administration (CBA), with 77 tenure track and about 40 part-time faculty members, enrolls approximately 4000 undergraduate and 250 graduate students. Undergraduate degree programs include the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with 19 majors and the Bachelor of Applied Arts (BAA) degree with a major in Entrepreneurship. The College offers three graduate programs: the Master of Business Administration (MBA), which is offered in the traditional format and online; the Master of Arts in Economics (MA in ECO); and the Master of Science in Information Systems (MSIS). The College values its significant partnerships with the business community and works closely with the Dean’s Business Advisory Council (DBAC) consisting of about 20 business leaders and alumni who are committed to CBA excellence. The College’s operating budget approximates $25 million, and its programs are fully accredited by AACSB International. For additional information, please see www.cba.cmich.edu.

The Dean serves as the chief academic and administrative officer of the College of Business Administration. Reporting to the Executive Vice President/Provost and serving on the Council of Deans, the Dean is expected to provide leadership and exercise broad responsibilities for both the internal and external dimensions of the College. Key qualifications include the following, among others: significant accomplishments in his/her career, with academic credentials, including a
terminal degree, and professional experiences which warrant tenure at the full professor level in a department within the College; strong commitment to high quality education at the undergraduate and graduate levels; high personal integrity and ethical standards; an interest and success in generating external resources and developing alliances with the business community; and a demonstrated commitment to diversity.

**Information for Applicants**
Review of applications and nominations will begin immediately and will continue until an appointment is made. For best review, materials should be submitted by Monday, February 8, 2010. Interested candidates should submit: a letter of application, which may include a statement of the candidate’s philosophy on the role of the dean, a current resume, and the names and telephone numbers of five references. *Applicants and nominators are strongly encouraged to submit their materials by email and Word attachments.*

Chuck Bunting, Steve Leo, and Traci Dove, with Storbeck/Pimentel & Associates, are providing support for this search. Please send all inquiries, requests for the search profile, nominations and applications, to: CMU CBA Dean Search; Storbeck/Pimentel & Associates, LLC; 1400 North Providence Road, Suite 6000; Media, PA 19063; (386) 586-3359 phone; (786) 515-9320 fax; t.dove@storbeckpimentel.com email.

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Central Michigan University, an AA/EO institution, is strongly and actively committed to increasing diversity within its community (http://www.cmich.edu/aaeo/) URL’s also include: http://www.cmich.edu; http://www.diversity.cmich.edu/

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