

Tuesday, February 9, 2016

Director of Dance

Company: The Putney School

Location: Putney, VT

Compensation: Salary Negotiable (depending on experience and qualifications)

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The Putney School seeks a full-time dance program head to begin in Fall 2016. Putney is a progressive, coeducational, college preparatory boarding school of 230 students located in Putney, Vermont. The school has a longstanding commitment to arts education for all students. The Putney School is committed to cultivating and sustaining a community that embraces difference, seeks inclusivity, and demands cultural awareness, and we hire accordingly. For more information on Putney, please visit our website at www.putneyschool.org??.

Candidates should be able to teach modern, ballet, jazz, and other dance forms, as well as choreography and improvisation. Responsibilities will include teaching a multiple level modern dance class and multiple level ballet and jazz, managing and coordinating the program's faculty and budget, producing annual dance concerts, and fulfilling other responsibilities related to the dance program. Responsibilities in addition to the above will include involvement in the afternoon and evening arts program and will include student advising responsibilities.

Qualifications:

Undergraduate degree in Dance and MA/MFA in Dance, dance education, or related fields preferred (or equivalent training); minimum two years' teaching experience, preferably at the high school level; strong practicing background and knowledge of dance; interest and demonstrated ability in teaching and supporting adolescents; ability to work well with a range of students; pedagogies in the classroom; sense of humor, flexibility, energy, collegiality, and the ability to work effectively with a team; willingness to incorporate innovative strong organizational skills and high energy and creativity; commitment to the overall life and program of the school.

The school offers a comprehensive benefits package to all full-time employees. Position is open until filled.

Send a curriculum vitae/resume with references, and any other supporting materials, to Cailin Marcel Manson, Director of Music, at cmanson@putneyschool.org.

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