The University of Northern Iowa's School of Music is seeking applicants for the position of Director of Opera. This is a Renewable Term Faculty position. Primary responsibilities of the position include teaching courses focused on fundamentals of stagecraft and acting for singers, directing opera scenes performances, and functioning as an integral member of the voice division. Additional duties include directing full opera productions and coordinating production schedules during semesters in which full technical support and facilities are available and as academic teaching load permits. Other duties may be assigned according to departmental need and instructor’s area of expertise. Service responsibilities to the department and university may include recruiting and outreach activities, and maintaining a positive rapport with public school music educators and opera professionals in the field.

UNI has a bold vision that we will be a diverse and inclusive campus community that provides an engaged education empowering students to lead locally and globally. We seek faculty across disciplines, departments, and colleges to work together to build our national prominence in any of four distinct but interrelated areas of our vision and strategic plan: engaged learning, diversity and inclusion, sustainability, and community engagement.

Candidates must possess a master’s degree in a related field. Doctorate degree preferred. Significant directing experience of full-staged operas also required.

Applications received by January 31, 2020, will receive full consideration. To apply, visit http://jobs.uni.edu/. Inquiries may be sent to Michelle Kline at 319-273-2014 or michelle.kline@uni.edu. Pre-employment background checks required.

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