

PUBLISHER

Applications and nominations are invited for the position of Publisher of the American Mathematical Society.

The publisher oversees all editorial and acquisitions activities of the Society's publishing program for journals and books (but not Mathematical Reviews), which includes coordinating the activities of eight editorial boards for journals, nine editorial boards for books, three acquisitions editors, and several governing bodies related to AMS publishing. The publisher is the primary representative of the AMS publication program to the scholarly and publishing community and should normally hold a doctorate in the mathematical sciences with a record of research.

Responsibilities of the publisher include:

- Direction of the Acquisitions Department (for books)
- Leadership in setting scientific and editorial standards for books and journals
- Development and implementation of long-range plans for the AMS book and journal programs
- Budgetary planning and control for all scientific aspects of AMS books and journals
- Representing publications to the Council, the Board of Trustees, the Committee on Publications, and the Editorial Boards Committee. (The publisher serves on the two latter committees, ex officio.)

The publisher reports directly to the executive director, but works closely with the associate executive director for publishing, who oversees all non-scientific aspects of publishing (production, printing, distribution, promotion, and marketing).

The publishing departments are in the AMS headquarters, which are located in Providence, Rhode Island, not far from the Brown University campus. A printing and warehouse facility is nearby in Pawtucket, Rhode Island. The Rhode Island offices of the AMS employ approximately 150 staff.

The appointment will be for three to five years, with possible renewal, and will commence in 2008. The starting date and length of term are negotiable. The publisher position is full time, but applications are welcome from individuals taking leaves of absence from another position. Salary is negotiable and will be commensurate with experience.

Nominations and applications should be sent on or before August 1, 2007, to:

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Applications should include a curriculum vitae, information on editorial and administrative experience, and the names and addresses of at least three references. The American Mathematical Society is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

