Journal of Applied Behavioral Science (JABS)

http://journals.sagepub.com/home/jab invites applications for the position of Editor. The individual selected will become Editor-Elect on October 1, 2018 and will begin processing new manuscripts at that time. The new Editor's term will be from January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2021. Owned by the NTL Institute and published by SAGE, The Journal of Applied Behavioral Science (JABS) brings both scholars and professionals the latest discussion of efforts to improve the quality of human life. The journal provides scholars the best in research, theory, and methodology, while also informing professionals and their clients of issues in group and organizational dynamics. Specifically, is directed toward four related audiences:

- Behavioral scientists studying the processes of social change
- Professionals from a range of backgrounds who want to base their practice on relevant knowledge
- Clients of human resource professionals who seek to understand the processes of planned changes
- Policymakers studying potential contributions of the behavioral sciences to the future of our society

Desired qualifications for the Editor include:

- A strong record of scholarly contributions, including contributions to organizational change research, reflected in publication in scholarly journals and presentations at professional conferences
- The ability to articulate and operationalize a vision for the journal that sustains and builds upon its visibility, legitimacy and scholarliness
- The ability to inspire creativity and enthusiasm in an editorial team, editorial board and authors, and the ability to mentor authors
- Demonstrated experience with the editorial process (as editor, associate editor, editorial board member, or guest editor of a Special Issue)
- Superb organizational and project management skills, including the ability to meet deadlines and work as part of a team as a team leader
- A level of computer literacy sufficient to manage a web-based manuscript submission and tracking system
• An advanced degree in management/organizational studies, full professor rank at an accredited institution, and a working familiarity with organizational change research

Applications should be submitted by June 30, 2018 and include three items:

1) A letter that addresses how the applicant meets the selection criteria
2) A current curriculum vita
3) A one-page vision statement for the journal

Applicants who have been selected for a short list of potential candidates will be required to submit—upon request—a letter of institutional support from the applicant’s dean and/or provost reporting evidence of institutional support and commitment via release time and administrative support.

Upon appointment, the editor will participate in a comprehensive editorial orientation conducted by the publisher. A stipend is provided. Please note that it is the policy of the journal that the editor not publish refereed articles in JABS during his/her tenure.

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