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Dean of Students American Hebrew Academy Greensboro, North Carolina

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Southern Teachers is assisting American Hebrew Academy in its search for a Dean of Students to be the senior administrator charged with supervising the social development of students at the Academy. Reporting directly to the Head of School, the Dean of Students oversees student conduct, school discipline, residential life, student programming, and student counseling services.

Living on campus and assuming residential responsibilities as part of a house team, the Dean of Students will provide a safe and healthy environment in which students will develop character, values, and life skills steeped in Judaism; cultivate and maintain a set of campus rules and guidelines with the school's Honor Council (Va'ad HaKavod); communicate with parents on students' progress and adjustment to residential life; and supervise the residential staff, the Director of Student Programming, and the Student Life Operations Manager. With the Dean of Jewish Life, the Dean of Students will oversee the Academy's Social Action (Tikkun 'Olam) activities, Israel-related activities, and coordination of all Student Life programs with Jewish Life programs. The Dean will also be responsible for developing and facilitating the teaching of the residential life curriculum to all residential life faculty, staff, and students; oversee, with the Director of Student Programming, the Academy's extracurricular student clubs, social activities, and major campus events; and serve on the Academy's Executive Committee.

The successful candidate will demonstrate a deep knowledge of teenage behavior and psychological development, a solid understanding of Jewish values and practices and their application in a pluralistic Jewish environment, and a deep understanding of the learning process model in hopes of achieving continuous improvement and innovation throughout the campus community. He or she must have integrity, creativity, and a keen sense of humor. Candidates must have four to six years of experience in a boarding school, day school, summer camp, or equivalent setting and a strong desire to work in a residential environment.

American Hebrew Academy is the only international Jewish college preparatory boarding high school in the world. Located on a 100 acre wooded campus in Greensboro, North Carolina, the Academy offers academically motivated students who come from 28 states and 35 countries the opportunity to receive a rigorous education while exploring and strengthening their Jewish identity. The Academy is committed to providing an outstanding Jewish education to all students, regardless of past Jewish experience, knowledge, or background. The Academy is a serious academic environment with emphasis placed on preparation for admission to prestigious colleges and universities

To apply, please complete the online [Application](#) to become a **Southern Teachers Candidate** and submit a cover letter explaining your interest in and qualifications for this position, which begins in July 2017.