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I am writing in response to your posted opening for the position of ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF TEACHING AND LEARNING at the College of Business. The opportunity to be at the forefront of teaching development and student success at the University of Nebraska is an exciting opportunity that I am fully qualified to undertake. One of the reasons I am passionate about joining the university is in 2011 I enjoyed an undergraduate summer school class while interning at a local investment firm. I am eager to provide similar fun and creative experiences for other students!

At present, I am a doctoral researcher and seminar tutor at Warwick Business School in Coventry, United Kingdom. I have excelled in managerial research by presenting my research at various academic conferences in Europe, most recently at the European Group for Organizational Studies in Copenhagen, Denmark. I have also been acknowledged as an innovative, critical, and charismatic teacher by the university as a recipient of the respected Warwick Business School Outstanding Contribution to Teaching award in 2017 and 2016. In these roles I am knowledgeable about providing effective student support, including study skills and assessment preparation, and also peer development, since I organized a program of teaching observations and student feedback sessions with fellow undergraduate teachers.

A unique quality to my application is my international experience which would enhance diversity at the University of Nebraska. I have lived in England since 2010, and have travelled throughout Europe presenting my research. I also spent six weeks studying culture and business in Shanghai, China. I am also a certified Associate Fellow of the Higher Education Academy in the United Kingdom and I have mentored undergraduate research and writing since 2015. In addition, working as a teacher for Warwick Business School has provided me with the ability to educate international students effectively through different teaching approaches and activities.

My experience and training as an award-winning educator, as well as the near-completion of my doctorate in management, indicate how I can be a valuable asset to the College of Business at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. I know I can be a key supportive member of your staff, and I would like the chance to prove this to you in an online interview. Please email or call me at the numbers above. I look forward to bringing my experience to the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, College of Business.

Thank you for your time and consideration. Go Big Red!

Best,

Lauren Schrock