A Well-Respected University
Established in 1887, California State University, Chico, commonly called “Chico State,” is part of a system of 23 accredited institutions known as The California State University. This system of public education is recognized and respected throughout the world. Regularly cited by U.S. News and World Report as one of the best public comprehensive universities in the western United States, Chico State offers more than 150 undergraduate majors and 50 graduate degree program options to nearly 16,000 students from more than 40 countries around the world.

An Outstanding Business Program
One of seven colleges and six professional schools on the Chico State campus, the College of Business is one of just 15 percent of all business schools worldwide that meet the high standards for accreditation by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB International). Home of the largest major on the Chico State campus and regularly cited by the Princeton Review as one of the nation’s best business schools, the college offers a full range of undergraduate and graduate business degree options to aspiring and experienced business professionals.

ABeautiful Residential Campus
Located in California’s upper-Sacramento Valley, Chico State is surrounded by a city of approximately 100,000 people. The city of Chico offers superb art, great food, an impressive year-round farmers’ market, and 3,670-acre Bidwell Park, one of the largest municipal parks in the United States. For those who need a little “urban renewal” from time to time, Chico is perfectly placed to accommodate a day-trip to nearby Sacramento, San Francisco, Napa and the wine country, or Lake Tahoe.

A Safe and Supportive Learning Environment
An overwhelming majority of Chico State alumni cite the personal attention they received from faculty as one of the most important factors in their academic and professional success. Small classes and personalized academic advising ensure personal contact between students and faculty. International Students are supported by a caring staff that is dedicated to making their Chico experience one that they will cherish for a lifetime.

A Friendly College-Town Atmosphere
More than 90 percent of Chico State students live within a two-mile radius of the campus, moving seamlessly between the campus and downtown coffee houses, restaurants, and shops where they are both the primary customers and a principal workforce. Chico’s lack of traffic and warm Mediterranean climate encourage people to walk or bicycle, creating a quiet, slow-paced, and friendly community that lives, works, studies, and relaxes together.

More than 550 international students attend Chico State and more than 30% of students completing a CSU, Chico MBA are from countries other than the U.S.

"Chico State is recognized by EDUNIVERSAL for its excellent business program, strong national reputation, and international links."
The College of Business has long been known for cutting-edge ERP instruction, maintaining an SAP University Alliance hosting center that serves business schools across the Americas. The business faculty from CSU, Chico develops curriculum that is used by IT professors throughout the world. Programs in entrepreneurship, Project Management and Enterprise Information Systems contribute to the College’s distinction.