



California State University, Chico

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The University

California State University, Chico is a fully accredited, state-supported member of a 24-campus CSU system. The university is a residential campus serving a diverse student body of approximately 16,000.

Founded in 1887, CSU, Chico offers undergraduate and graduate programs in the Colleges of Behavioral and Social Sciences; Communication and Education; Computer Science, Engineering and Construction Management; Humanities and Fine Arts; Natural Sciences; Business; and, Agriculture.

As a comprehensive university serving Northern California and other regions nationally and internationally, our first priority is the education of our students. We are committed to assisting students in their search for knowledge and understanding and to prepare them with the attitudes, skills and habits of lifelong learning in order to assume responsibility in a democratic community and global society.

The Community

With a population of nearly 110,000, Chico is located in the Sacramento Valley near the foothills of the Sierra Nevadas. It is 180 miles northeast of San Francisco and 90 miles north of Sacramento and offers a reasonable cost of living compared to metropolitan areas.

Chico retains the charm of a small town while offering medical services, excellent public and private schools, and many cultural and recreational activities. The city's Bidwell Park, one of the largest municipal parks, extends from the city center along a creek deep into the foothills and surrounding canyons. For more: www.csuchico.edu/pa/chico-facts.shtml

Assistant Professor Position Department of Kinesiology, College of Communication and Education

The Position: The Department of Kinesiology is searching for a tenure track Assistant Professor to start August 2012. Position is contingent on funding. **As a university that educates students of various ethnic and cultural backgrounds, we value a diverse faculty and staff. Chico welcomes applicants who are knowledgeable about and interested in working within a cross-cultural learning environment. We also welcome those who share a passion and commitment to the University's Strategic Priorities-** <http://www.csuchico.edu/vpaa/wasc/StrategicPrior/> **and Values-** <http://www.csuchico.edu/vpaa/wasc/value/>.

Minimum Qualifications: The minimum education requirement for appointment to this position is a Ph.D. or Ed.D. in the psychosocial/behavioral sciences (Sport Psychology) of Kinesiology or related areas such as psychology or coaching education. Candidates nearing completion of the doctorate may be considered; however, the doctorate must be complete prior to the end of the first semester December, 2012. Ability to teach a variety of undergraduate and graduate courses in psychology/sociological aspects of Kinesiology and coaching education. Evidence of research and/or publication commensurate with academic experience. Knowledge and application of instructional technology.

Preferred Qualifications: Evidence of or potential for successful teaching in Sport Psychology/Sociology, Coaching Psychology, and Coaching Education. Experience or ability to teach sport psychology/sociology classes and experience or interest in teaching strength and conditioning coaching. Evidence of a current scholarly agenda. Experience in or potential for applying scholarly interests to practical settings. Participation in relevant professional organizations. Ability to teach a writing-proficiency course. Certified consultant status by the Association for Applied Sport Psychology (CC-AASP) or candidates with potential to achieve CC-AASP (or international equivalent) is preferred. Ability to communicate and work effectively with an ethnically and culturally diverse campus community. Experience or interest in acquiring and administering grants.

Responsibilities: This tenure-track position carries responsibilities in the areas of teaching graduate and undergraduate courses in sport psychology (and related areas) including writing proficiency courses, scholarship leading to presentations and publications and service including advising graduate students and serving on master's committees, engaging in faculty governance and serving on department/university committees. Additional responsibilities include working cooperatively with faculty and contributing to the goals of the department/university. Teaching assignments are based upon qualifications of the individual and the needs of the department.

Salary: Salary commensurate with education and experience.

The Department: The Department of Kinesiology seeks to be a national leader in communicating and creating knowledge about physical activity to enhance the quality of life for all. We are a learning community of 18 full-time faculty, numerous part-time faculty, and over 700 major students. Department faculty hold national and international leadership positions and are known for excellence in teaching and applied research as well as professional service. Department website: <http://www.csuchico.edu/kine/> College website: <http://www.csuchico.edu/cme/>

Closing Date: Review of applications will begin on Dec. 23rd and continue until the position is filled.

How to Apply: All applicants must complete the Application for Academic Employment Form, which is available on-line at <http://www.csuchico.edu/faaf/facultyrecruit/facultyapplication.pdf> to be submitted with curriculum vitae or resume, complete set of transcripts, three letters of recommendation (and names, phone numbers and addresses of three additional references) to:

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