



California State University, Chico

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Assistant Professor Position School of Social Work College of Behavioral and Social Science

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

The Position: The School of Social Work 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 MSW, a minimum of 2 years post-MSW practice experience and a doctorate in social work or a related discipline (ABDs may be considered). The degree must be completed by December 2012.

Expertise in social work practice, policy, substance abuse, and/or macro human behavior is required. In addition, applicants must be willing to teach undergraduate and graduate courses in a variety of formats (online/hybrid, extended, intensive weekend courses and different locations).

Preferred Qualifications: Teaching and practice experience with diverse populations, as well as teaching experience in policy, substance abuse, practice and/or macro human behavior.

Responsibilities: This tenure-track position carries responsibilities in the areas of teaching graduate as well as undergraduate courses, scholarship/grants and service (student advising, committee work). 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 BSW and MSW programs of the School of Social Work are accredited by CSWE. The School emphasizes a multicultural perspective, social justice, collaboration and a strong commitment to the surrounding communities and agencies. The School of Social Work has a long history of embracing diversity and multicultural perspectives. It has 14 full-time faculty, a cadre of talented adjunct faculty, 150 undergraduate social work majors and 107 MSW students. The School of Social Work, www.csuchico.edu/swrk is one of eleven departments under the College of Behavioral and Social Science www.csuchico.edu/bss

Closing Date: Review of applications will begin on January 18, 2012 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, complete set of transcripts, three letters of recommendation to:

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