The University
California State University, Chico is a fully accredited, state-supported member of a 23-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 or Associate Professor Position
Simulation and Informatics
School of Nursing, College of Natural Sciences

The Position: The School of Nursing is searching for a tenure track faculty position at the Assistant professor or Associate Professor level in the School of Nursing, beginning fall 2015. California State University, Chico is seeking faculty who are competent in their field, collaborative with colleagues and staff, and committed to student success. Position is contingent on funding.

As a university that educates students of various ethnic and cultural backgrounds, we value a diverse faculty and staff. The University is an Equal Opportunity Employer and does not discriminate against persons on the basis of race, religion, color, ancestry, age, disability, genetic information, gender, gender identity, gender expression, marital status, medical condition, National origin, sex, sexual orientation, covered veteran status, or any other protected status. We also welcome those who share a passion and commitment to the University's Strategic Priorities-http://www.csuchico.edu/vpaa/wasc/StrategicPrior/.

Minimum Qualifications: The minimum education requirement for appointment to this position is a Master’s degree in nursing no later than August 1, 2015 with specialization in the area of medical-surgical nursing and certification in either Simulation (CHSE) and/or Health Informatics; at least one year’s clinical experience in direct patient care; a course which includes practice in teaching nursing or one year’s experience teaching nursing. A minimum of one year’s experience teaching using simulation methods, including experience designing and implementing nursing simulation scenarios according to INACSL standards. Documented experience with clinical information systems desired. In addition, applicant must be eligible for RN licensure in California and meet health policies and other requirements imposed by clinical agencies if given a clinical teaching assignment. Candidates must also pass a 10 panel drug test and background check as a condition of employment. Potential for significant achievement in areas of teaching, professional achievement and service required.

Preferred Qualifications: Doctorate in nursing or related field.

Responsibilities: This tenure-track position carries responsibilities in the areas of teaching, which include providing theory and clinical instruction for the BSN, RN-BSN and MSN students; new faculty teach a reduced teaching load for the first two years. Candidate must demonstrate potential for significant achievement in professional growth and in service to the program, university and community. In addition, faculty are expected to participate in school governance, committee functions and student advising as needed. Teaching assignments are based on qualifications of the individual and the needs of the department.

Salary: Salary commensurate with education and experience.

The Department: The School of Nursing, housed within the College of Natural Sciences, is comprised of 11 full-time and 22 part-time faculty, 200 undergraduate majors, 30 RN-BSN and 20 graduate students. BSN and MSN programs are CCNE accredited. Faculty are innovative, working with new teaching technologies, including an online RN-BSN and online MSN program, and new state-of-the-art simulation lab.

Closing Date: Review of applications will begin in March 2015 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/documents/FacultyEmploymentApplication.pdf to be submitted with a letter of interest, a description of ability to meet position qualifications; curriculum vitae; graduate transcripts (unofficial transcripts acceptable for initial screening), names of three references with telephone numbers and addresses; and samples of professional writing such as publications or dissertation to:

Dr. Margaret Rowberg, Search Committee Chair
Holt Hall 369, School of Nursing, California State University, Chico, Chico, CA 95929-0200

Direct questions to Dr. Rowberg by email: mrowberg@csuchico.edu or phone: (530) 898-5891. Please also visit our School of Nursing web page: http://www.csuchico.edu/nurs and College of Natural Sciences web page: http://www.csuchico.edu/nsci.

An annual security report disclosing crime statistics for California State University, Chico can be obtained by contacting the Chico State University Police Department (530-898-5555) or by accessing the following website: www.csuchico.edu/up/clery_report.shtml

Candidates are subject to a criminal records check.

For disability related accommodations please call ADA Coordinator at (530) 898-5959.

CSU, Chico is an EOE/Minority/Females/Vet/Disability and only employs individuals authorized to work in the U.S.
The person holding this position is considered a "mandated reporter" under the California Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act and is required to comply with the requirements set forth in CSU Executive Order 1083 as a condition of employment.