

## SECTION 2. Ethics and Accountability

### 2.8 Diversity Policy

The University Foundation Board of Governors embraces diversity in all forms, as diverse opinions and experiences among members strengthens its decision-making, assessment of risk and opportunities, and ability to support the success of Chico State’s students, faculty, and staff. Board Diversity allows the Foundation to access a broader spectrum of community support and advances its influence and work with partners and policymakers on and off campus.

The board aims to recruit members who represent a wide spectrum of life experiences, cultural expertise and sociocultural backgrounds, professional interests, and geographic reach. The board’s commitment to diversity will also be reflected in the development of fundraising objectives, advancement programs, and the selection of Special Endowment Awards.

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***The Foundation’s mission is to support CSU, Chico’s strategic plan by raising, investing, and disbursing funds to fuel the growth and excellence of the University.***