

San José State University

San José, California

ANNOUNCEMENT OF POSITION AVAILABILITY

Subject to Budgetary Approval

Specialization: Physics Education Research

Job Opening ID (JOID): 24185

Rank: Assistant Professor (Tenure-track)

Qualifications:

Doctoral degree in Physics or related field is required. The ideal candidate will specialize in Physics Education Research (PER). We are especially interested in candidates who have interest and experience in curricular design and evaluation. Candidates should be familiar with a variety of contemporary, research-based teaching practices. Applicants who have an interest in introductory physics course reform are particularly encouraged to apply. Applicants should demonstrate awareness of and sensitivity to educational goals of a multicultural population as might have been gained in cross-cultural study, training, teaching and other comparable experience.

Responsibilities:

The successful candidate will teach courses at the BS/BA and MS level, and engage in physics education research. The candidate will also develop an externally funded research program that provides support and mentorship of undergraduate and graduate students. The successful candidate will participate in committees and advising. The candidate must address the needs of a student population of great diversity – in age, cultural background, ethnicity, primary language and academic preparation – through course materials, teaching strategies and advisement.

Salary Range:

Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Starting Date:

August 17, 2018

Eligibility:

Employment is contingent upon proof of eligibility to work in the United States.

Application Procedure:

For full consideration, submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, statement of teaching interests/ philosophy, research plans, and the names and contact information of three references by **November 1, 2017** to apply.interfolio.com/43380.

Please include Job Opening ID (JOID) on all correspondence.

San José State University is California's oldest institution of public higher learning. The campus is located on the southern end of San Francisco Bay in downtown San José (Pop. 1,000,000), hub of the world-famous Silicon Valley high-technology research and development center. Many of California's most popular national, recreational, and cultural attractions are conveniently close. A member of the 23-campus CSU system, San José State University enrolls approximately 30,000 students, a significant percentage of whom are members of minority groups. The University is committed to increasing the diversity of its faculty so our disciplines, students and the community can benefit from multiple ethnic and gender perspectives.

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A background check (including a criminal records check) must be completed satisfactorily before any candidate can be offered a position with the CSU. Failure to satisfactorily complete the background check may affect the application status of applicants or continued employment of current CSU employees who apply for the position.

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