

San José State University - San José, California
POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT - TEMPORARY FACULTY
Subject to Budgetary Approval

College of Health and Human Sciences

Department: Nutrition, Food Science, and Packaging

Position: Full-Time Temporary

Rank: Lecturer C

Description of Duties:

- Classroom instruction of courses in Packaging and courses in related areas as expertise permits; curriculum planning and development; student advising and committee responsibilities; supervision of student field experiences and graduate student research activities.
- Coordinate and oversee the program as the Packaging Program Coordinator.
- Liaison with community/industry to develop student field experiences, graduate projects, and curriculum support. Interdisciplinary collaboration is encouraged.
- Participate in professional organization meeting activities related to packaging and technology and related fields.
- Candidate must demonstrate awareness and experience understanding the needs of a student population of great diversity – in age, cultural background, ethnicity, primary language and academic preparation – through inclusive course materials, teaching strategies and advisement.

Minimum Qualifications: *Required:*

A minimum of a Masters degree is required for appointment. Minimum ten-year industry experience in Packaging is required. Candidate should have an understanding of the Packaging Industry and interactions between functional groups in the industry based on having held a position as a Packaging Engineer or similar position. Ability to relate well to others within the academic environment and ability to instruct and evaluate adult learners. Evidence of satisfactory achievement in previous academic work. Applicants should demonstrate an awareness of and sensitivity to the educational goals of a multicultural population as might have been gained in cross-cultural study, training, teaching and other comparable experience.

Preferred:

A five-year university-level teaching experience is preferred and candidate should have an interest in collaboration with the faculty within the department in the areas of food science and nutrition.

Application Deadline: March 27, 2020

Application Procedures: For full consideration, please send: a letter of application; vita with record of education, teaching, and professional work experience; statement of teaching interests/philosophy, all degree transcripts, and at least three original letters of reference by March 27, 2020 to:

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Salary Range: Salary commensurate with experience.

Starting Date: August 17, 2020

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

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San José State University is California's oldest institution of public higher learning. Located in downtown San José (Pop. 1,000,000) in the heart of Silicon Valley, SJSU is part of one of the most innovative regions in the world. As Silicon Valley's public university, SJSU combines dynamic teaching, research, and university-industry experiences to prepare students to address the biggest problems facing society. SJSU is a member of the 23-campus California State University (CSU) system.

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