



Faculty Employment Opportunity

- POSITION:** **ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF PHILOSOPHY:** The Philosophy Program invites applications for a tenure-track position in Philosophy at the rank of Assistant Professor. *AOS:* Knowledge, Mind and Language. *AOC:* History of Philosophy; Philosophy of Science. Course preparations to include some combination of the following: lower division Ancient Philosophy, Modern Philosophy, Logic, and Philosophy of Science; upper division Theory of Knowledge, Philosophy of Mind, and Philosophy of Language. This position requires a strong commitment to faculty service, ongoing research, and responsive teaching methods and practices in support of student success. Department liaison to Cognitive Studies program.
- MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** Ph.D. in Philosophy (with extensive formal training in Continental Philosophy). Teaching experience relevant to the position.
- PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:** Evidence of engaging, successful undergraduate teaching in Philosophy, especially in courses similar to those listed above. Scholarship and substantial research interests in Continental Philosophy. Capacity to contribute to growth and delivery of an interdisciplinary program in Cognitive Studies.
- HOW TO APPLY & DEADLINE:** A complete application must include: an application letter specifically addressing the position description and qualifications; a current CV; teaching and research portfolios (with teaching evaluations, sample syllabi and writing sample strongly encouraged); graduate transcripts; and three letters of reference with contact information. Official transcripts will be required at the time of hire. Screening of completed application files will begin on January 10, 2017 and continue until the position is filled, with phone and on-campus interviews likely in February. This appointment begins on August 18, 2017. Letters of reference may be sent through Interfolio.
- All other application materials should be sent to:
Jason Winfree, Chair
Department of Philosophy and Modern Languages
California State University Stanislaus
One University Circle
Turlock, CA 95382
- Correspondence regarding this position opening (apart from application materials) may be sent to: jwinfree@csustan.edu.*
- COMPENSATION:** Commensurate with qualifications and experience. As a member of the 23-campus CSU System, we offer an extremely competitive benefits package.

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT and THE COLLEGE: The Department of Philosophy and Modern Languages houses the Philosophy, Spanish, and Portuguese programs. The Philosophy program emphasizes the history of philosophy, along with recent trends in Continental, post-structural and post-modern thought. Emphasis is on engaging with primary source material, cultivating strong analytic and interpretive skills, and constructing defensible and interesting arguments. The Philosophy major consists of two tracks, one for general studies compatible with a second major, the other designed to prepare students for graduate study in the field. The program also serves the General Education curriculum with an assortment of courses in critical thinking, ethics, and humanities. To learn more about us, visit our department Web site at: <https://www.csustan.edu/philosophy>; and visit our college Web site at: <https://www.csustan.edu/cahss>.

CAMPUS & AREA: California State University Stanislaus serves the San Joaquin Valley and is a critical educational resource for a six county region of approximately 1.5 million people. Widely recognized for its quality academic programs, the University has 10 nationally accredited programs and approximately 400 full-time faculty. Over eighty percent of full time faculty holds doctorates or terminal degrees in their fields. The University offers 41 undergraduate majors, 24 master's programs, 7 post-graduate credentials, and a doctorate in education serving 8,900 students. New instructional facilities have been built for the unique pedagogy of professional programs, laboratory sciences, and performing arts.

CSU Stanislaus continues to receive national recognition with its ranking as one of the best 373 colleges in the nation by *The Princeton Review*. CSU Stanislaus was one of 12 public universities in the nation to be recognized by the *American Association of State Colleges and Universities* for demonstrating exceptional performance in retention and graduation rates. In addition, *U.S. News and World Report* ranks CSU Stanislaus as one of "The Top Public Universities—Masters" institutions in the West in its *America's Best Colleges* ratings. CSU Stanislaus is recognized as a *Hispanic-Serving Institution (HSI)* by the U.S. Department of Education.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

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. You can learn more about federal equal employment opportunity protections by accessing the Department of Labor's notices:

<http://www.dol.gov/ofccp/regs/compliance/posters/pdf/eeopost.pdf> and
http://www.dol.gov/ofccp/regs/compliance/posters/pdf/Supplement_English.pdf.

Individuals with disabling conditions who require accommodation during the recruitment process may contact the ADA Coordinator at (209) 667-3159.

In compliance with federal law, all persons hired will be required to verify identity and eligibility to work in the United States and to complete the required employment eligibility verification document form upon hire.

MANDATED REPORTER PER CANRA

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.

CLERY ACT DISCLOSURE

The annual *Campus Security and Fire Report* includes statistics for the previous three years concerning reported crimes that occurred on campus; in certain off-campus buildings or property owned or controlled by Stanislaus State; and on public property within, or immediately adjacent to and accessible from the campus. The report also includes institutional policies concerning campus security, such as alcohol and drug use, crime prevention, the reporting of crimes, sexual assault and, campus fire statistics. You can obtain a copy of this report on the web at: <https://www.csustan.edu/upd/crime-statistics>.

To request a printed copy call: (209) 667-3572; Fax: (209) 667-3104; or email: Public_Safety@csustan.edu.

Information regarding Campus Security Reports at other locations can be found on the web at: <http://ope.ed.gov/security/>.

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CLEARANCE NOTICE

The university requires a criminal background check to be completed for all of its new employees, current employees seeking promotional or transfer opportunities, and current employees assigned new duties. Necessary background investigations will be conducted, as required, depending upon the job requirements of position. These could include, but are not limited to, employment verification, education verification, reference checks, and criminal records checks via processing of fingerprints through the Department of Justice and FBI, as well as, license verification upon employment. Additionally, all applicants or employees whose responsibilities include regular or direct contact with minor children are subject to the child abuse background check. Failure to consent to any background check will disqualify an applicant from further consideration. Additionally, an applicant who fails to provide the necessary information or who provides false or misleading information may also be disqualified from further consideration. Later discovery of false or misleading information related to the background check may result in the offer of employment being withdrawn or subject the employee to disciplinary action, up to and including termination. Full disclosure of all misdemeanors and felonies should be made in connection with this application.