



Faculty Employment Opportunity

POSITION: **ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF ART (Sculpture):** The Art Department invites applications for a tenure-track appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor. The department supports a NASAD accredited BFA program and is committed to hiring a sculptor with a proven teaching and exhibition record, with experience in contemporary and traditional methods and materials. The successful applicant will demonstrate involvement with contemporary forms of installation and social or critical practice. The Art faculty seeks an engaging colleague whose instructional practice develops and sustains student technical, conceptual and expressive engagement leading to the development of original and significant artwork. The individual appointed to this position will teach foundation sculpture and upper division courses in areas such as environmental art, construction, and more contemporary forms of installation, performance and social or critical practice. *This position is contingent on the availability of authorized funding.*

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: MFA or equivalent degree in Sculpture. Applicant must have a strong commitment to teaching, with demonstrated competence and experience at the university level appropriate to the area of instruction.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS: Teaching experience beyond graduate assistantship is strongly preferred. Minimum two years full-time university level teaching experience in studio art. Consideration will be enhanced by providing evidence of significant professional practice and recognition. An ability and willingness to collaborate creatively with other departments on campus on cross-disciplinary projects and with external groups in the immediate area, particularly where such efforts produce greater involvement and representation of communities who reflect the diverse demographic of the area. Experience with digital 3d software and more experimental forms such as new media art, performance or ecological art is recommended.

HOW TO APPLY & DEADLINE: A complete application must include: (1) an application letter specifically addressing the position description and qualifications; (2) unofficial copies of graduate transcripts; (3) a professional résumé, to include the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references; (4) evidence of teaching effectiveness, i.e., teaching evaluations; (5) a short statement of teaching philosophy; and (6) a flash drive of images in PPT or PDF format, or links showing the candidate's own work and that of prior students. Official transcripts will be required at the time of hire. Screening of completed application files will begin on **January 5, 2017**. The position will remain open until filled. This appointment is scheduled to begin on **August 18, 2017**.

Send applications and all other correspondence concerning this position announcement to:

Sculpture Search Committee
Art Department
California State University, Stanislaus
One University Circle
Turlock, CA 95382

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 Art at California State University, Stanislaus, is one of three divisions within the School of Art, College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, and offers the following NASAD accredited programs: BFA, Mixed Subject emphasis; BA in Art, Studio emphasis; BA in Art, Art History emphasis; BA in Art, Subject Matter Preparation in Art, designed for future teachers; Minor in Art; and a Liberal Studies Concentration in Art for Liberal Studies students. Find out more about our program at: <https://www.csustan.edu/soa> and <https://www.csustan.edu/art>.

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. The University 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-Master's" institutions in the West in its America's Best Colleges ratings. CSU Stanislaus also 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.