

**San José State University**  
**San José, California**  
**ANNOUNCEMENT OF POSITION AVAILABILITY**  
***Subject to Budgetary Approval***  
**Applied Economics**

**Job Opening ID: 013003**

**Rank:** Assistant Professor (Tenure Track)

**Qualifications:** The Department is seeking candidates with demonstrated teaching expertise and research potential in Applied Economics. The Department prefers candidates who can supplement public finance or industrial organization with the courses listed below. Candidates should indicate which courses they are prepared to teach at the graduate and undergraduate level:

Public Finance  
Industrial Organization

History of Economic Thought  
Institutional Economics  
Economics of Race and Gender  
Labor Economics

Economic Decision Making (Cost Benefit  
Analysis)  
Managerial Economics  
Seminar in International Trade & Finance

Economic Development  
Political Economy  
Topics in Latin American Economies  
Topics in Asian Economies

Institutional Economics  
Economics of Race and Gender  
Labor Economics  
Experimental Economics

**TEACHING:** A commitment to outstanding teaching is required. The successful candidate should demonstrate experience, understanding, and/or potential for excellence in teaching. Integration of teaching and research is expected. Candidates should infuse all courses with an international perspective.

**RESEARCH:** The successful candidate should have publications and/or strong potential for publications. The Department engages in applied economic research with local and statewide impact. Please review the Department website for an indication of the level and quantity of publications currently accomplished by tenure-track faculty.

Successful candidates are expected to have completed the Ph.D. in economics or a closely related field by August 20, 2008. Teaching excellence, publication in refereed journals, and active university and community service are required for tenure and promotion.

Applicants should demonstrate a commitment to promoting global education, utilizing appropriate technologies, and interacting effectively with Silicon Valley communities. Applicants should have 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.

**Responsibilities:**

Teaching assignment is 12 hours of classroom instruction per semester.  
Teaching and developing curriculum in their field and in introductory courses.  
Teaching and advising of graduates and undergraduates.  
Committee work at the department, college, and university level  
Service to the community through, for example, media interviews.

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 21, 2008

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

**Application**

**Procedures:** For full consideration send a letter of application, curriculum vitae, statement of teaching interests/philosophy and research plans, and at least three original letters of reference with contact information by November 1, 2007 to:

Recruitment Chair, Department of Economics, San José State University,  
One Washington Square, San José, CA 95192-0114  
*Please include Job Opening ID (JOID) on all correspondence.*

The Department Search Committee will be conducting informational interviews at the American Economic Association in New Orleans.

**Links Of Interest**

Department of Economics: [www.sjsu.edu/depts/economics](http://www.sjsu.edu/depts/economics)  
SJSU History: [www.sjsu.edu/sjsuhistory](http://www.sjsu.edu/sjsuhistory)  
SJSU Website: [www.sjsu.edu](http://www.sjsu.edu)  
CSU Website: [www.calstate.edu](http://www.calstate.edu)  
San Jose City: [www.sjchamber.com](http://www.sjchamber.com)

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. 945,000), 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.

SJSU is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer committed to nondiscrimination on the bases of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender status, marital status, pregnancy, age, disability, or covered veteran status consistent with applicable federal and state laws. This policy applies to all SJSU students, faculty, and staff as well as University programs and activities. Reasonable accommodations are made for applicants with disabilities who self-disclose.

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