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### **Mild/Moderate Disabilities, Job Ad**

San Francisco State University, Department of Special Education and Communicative Disorders invites applicants for a tenure-track Assistant or Associate Professor position in Mild/Moderate Disabilities beginning August 2017.

The Department seeks individuals with a strong background in Mild/Moderate Disabilities (e.g., learning disabilities, mild/moderate intellectual disabilities, other health impairment, emotional/behavioral disorder, autism spectrum). The Department is a large and comprehensive unit with 17 full-time faculty and approximately 700 students. The department offers a range of credential, certificate, and degree programs in Special Education and Communicative Disorders, including a M.A. in Special Education and Education Specialist Credential program in Mild/Moderate Disabilities.

#### **Qualifications:**

Candidates must have a doctoral degree in Special Education or a related field

Candidates must have a minimum of three years of special education teaching experience in K-12 school settings

Candidates must demonstrate the ability to teach a variety of courses (undergraduate and graduate) in the area of Mild/Moderate Disabilities

Candidates must demonstrate excellence in teaching and scholarship related to their specialty area; Candidates are preferred who show evidence of external support or the potential for external funding of these activities

Candidates must have a commitment to engaged pedagogy in a faculty learning community and evidence of interpersonal skills and collegiality; Candidates must have the ability to communicate with general educators and with a variety of educational professionals, promoting participation in collaborative activities

Candidates are preferred who demonstrate higher education teaching and/or research experience with a large, diverse, multicultural student body

**Responsibilities:** The position requires teaching undergraduate and graduate courses in special education and mild/moderate disabilities, including introductory courses and advanced courses in teaching methods; recruiting, mentoring, and advising students; supervising student fieldwork and student teaching experiences; contributing to curriculum development and enhancement; developing an active ongoing scholarship program in one's area of specialty; actively seeking external funding for research, teaching, and program development efforts; participating in ongoing committee and service assignments.

**Rank and salary:** Assistant or Associate Professor. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. The CSU provides generous health, retirement and other benefits.

**Application process:**

Submit cover letter, a current CV, two samples of scholarly papers, one-page teaching philosophy, names and contact information for three professional references. Letters of recommendation upon request at a later date.

Submit all materials via email to Anna Kozubek ([annak@sfsu.edu](mailto:annak@sfsu.edu)) by November 1, 2016. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled. Refer any questions about the position to the Department Chairperson, Dr. Yvonne Bui, [ybui@sfsu.edu](mailto:ybui@sfsu.edu), 415-338-2503.

San Francisco State University is a member of the California State University system and serves a diverse student body of 30,000 undergraduate and graduate students. The University seeks to promote appreciation of scholarship, freedom and, human diversity through excellence in instruction and intellectual accomplishment. SFSU faculty are expected to be effective teachers and demonstrate professional achievement and growth through research, scholarship, and/or creative work.

San Francisco State University is an Equal Opportunity Employer with a strong commitment to diversity. We welcome applications from members of all ethnic and racial groups, gender identities, sexual orientations, veterans, and individuals with disabilities.

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.