

# **Cal Poly Report**

# **Employment**

## **Employment Opportunities**

For all available job openings, visit jobs.calpoly.edu. All new positions opened this week are listed below. To apply, go online and complete the application form. For assistance, call Human Resources at ext. 6-2236.

**#513636 — Student Services Coordinator — Dean of Students, Student Support, Success and Retention (Student Services Professional III) —** Student Affairs — Dean of Students. \$56,292-\$80,196 annually. Anticipated hiring range: \$56,292-\$66,000 annually. Open until filled.

**#513626** — Assistant Director of External Relations (Administrator I) — Student Affairs — Divisional Operations. Salary commensurate with the background and experience of the individual selected. Open until filled.

**#511753 — Budget Analyst — University Housing** (Administrative Analyst/Specialist — Non-Exempt) — Student Affairs — University Housing. \$39,456-\$76,164 annually. Anticipated hiring range: \$53,000-\$64,000 annually. Open until filled.

**#515153 — Software Engineer — Lead** (Analyst/Programmer — Expert) — Information Services — Information Technology Services. \$52,464-\$129,504 per year. Anticipated hiring range: \$101,000-\$117,000 per year. Open until filled.

## #514845 — Director of Service Strategy

(Administrator II) — Information Services — Information Technology Services. Salary commensurate with the background and experience of the individual selected. Open until filled.

**#507380 — Event Operations Assistant — Athletics (Athletic Equipment Attendant I) —** Student Affairs — Athletics. \$18-\$24.99 per hour. Anticipated hiring range: \$18-\$20.19 per hour. Open until filled.

**#514343** — Lead Event/Audio/Visual Technician — Performing Arts Center (Performing Arts Technician III) — Administration and Finance — Performing Arts Center. \$44,604-\$80,712 annually. Anticipated hiring range: \$54,000-\$68,000 annually. Open until filled.

## Spring 2022 Commencement Set for June 11-12

Nearly 5,500 students are eligible to be honored in this year's six spring commencement ceremonies Saturday and Sunday, June 11 and 12, at Spanos Stadium. The 2022 commencement will feature each college hosting an in-person celebration. This year's ceremonies will be held at 8:30 a.m., 12:30 and 4:30 p.m. each weekend day. An estimated 50,000 quests are expected across all the ceremonies. While masks and distancing will not be required in the stadium, COVID-19 remains on people's minds. The Class of 2022 began their campus experience in the fall of 2018; however, their sophomore year was upended by the rapid spread of coronavirus. As the pandemic forced students home and classes online, with a steady transition back to on-campus living and in-person learning over the last two years, these graduates have proved their mettle. "Succeeding in higher education and earning a degree is a mammoth achievement even under the best of circumstances - to say nothing of navigating the obstacles presented by the COVID-19 pandemic. But Cal Poly students are up to the challenge, and this weekend we will celebrate that success for several thousand new graduates," President Armstrong said.

## Faculty Tenure and Promotion Awards Announced

President Jeffrey D. Armstrong and Provost and Executive Vice President Cynthia Jackson-Elmoore have announced the promotion of 56 faculty members and the award of tenure to 32 faculty members effective in the 2022-23 academic year. The promotions include 21 to the academic rank of professor and 35 to the rank of associate professor. Armstrong and Jackson-Elmoore extend their congratulations and appreciation to those faculty members receiving promotion and/or tenure. The full listing is available at https://content-calpoly-

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## Spark Joy with Cal Poly Magazine's Spring Edition

The latest issue of Cal Poly Magazine is full of stories featuring students, faculty and staff diving into their chosen fields with a smile. See life through the eyes of budding architects boldly building for Design Village, hear from Mustangs with academically inspired tattoos and get to know one engineer inspired by a trip to rural Haiti. All this, plus articles on climate change research, environmental rhetoric courses, organic farming and alumni addressing homelessness is live on the Cal Poly Magazine website at https://magazine.calpoly.edu. Look for copies on racks throughout campus. Have a tip for a future magazine story? Share it by emailing magazine@calpoly.edu.

#### **Christina Wolfe-Chandler Recognized By Advising Association**

Christina Wolfe-Chandler, academic advisor in the Mustang Success Center (MSC), was recognized by the National Academic Advising Association (NACADA) for sharing her expertise in designing advising workshops. Wolfe-Chandler's presentation, "Using Curriculum Design to Create Outcomes-Based Advising Workshops," was awarded "Best of Region" for NACADA Region 9 at the 2022 Region Conference by NACADA's Executive Office and Region 9 Conference Committee. Wolfe-Chandler brings a wealth of knowledge to her position in the MSC, and all those who have benefited from her comprehensive training programs over the years would agree. In recognition of being named Best of Region, Wolfe-Chandler has been invited to present at the 2022 NACADA Annual Conference, to be held Oct. 23-26, in Portland, Oregon. Join the Mustang Success Center in congratulating Wolfe-Chandler on this prestigious award.

### **Mustang Shuttle Campus Partnership to Continue**

In fall 2021, a nightly pilot shuttle service coined Mustang Shuttle was launched, with ASI and the University Union Advisory Board (UUAB) providing 100% of the operating costs. Thanks to their partnership, plus support from the Cal Poly Corporation and University Housing, this seven-day evening shuttle service will return next fall. Ridership has continued to increase each quarter, with nearly 35,000 rides provided since it started in November. "It's been great to see the popularity and early adoption of Mustang Shuttle this past year, and we are very excited to continue to offer it," Transportation and Parking Services Director Marlene Cramer said. "But we couldn't have done this alone. A huge thanks goes to ASI and the UUAB for partnering to help make this pilot program happen." TAPS is partnering with ASI, UUAB, Cal Poly Corporation and University Housing on expanding Mustang Shuttle service this fall. Stay tuned for further details closer to the start of the academic year.

#### Institutional Research Launches a Revamped Cal Poly Fact Book

The Office of Institutional Research (IR) has revamped the Cal Poly Fact Book by transitioning Fact Book data to a series of Data Dashboards, which makes the information clearer and easier to navigate. The goal of the dashboards is to use the data to tell a story. As such, there are more charts and less tables and figures. The Data Dashboards include Admissions, Enrollment, Degrees, Retention and Graduation Rates, Financial Aid and Employee data. These can be accessed via the IR website at <a href="https://ir.calpoly.edu">https://ir.calpoly.edu</a> by clicking on "Data Dashboards" under the "IR MENU." There is an "About This Dashboard" icon (lightbulb icon) and a link to a glossary on each dashboard. The dashboards are interactive in that you can select any variables you would like via the filters to get the data you are looking for. The dashboard views can be downloaded as PDF's. Happy dashboarding!

#### **Retirements**

**Matthew White** began his Cal Poly career in 1992 as a graduate student in the Math Department. After finishing his master's degree in 1994, he enrolled in the Ph.D. program at UCSB. White earned his Ph.D. in 2000 under UCSB Professor Daryl Cooper and returned to Cal Poly as a full-time lecturer that same year. White later accepted a tenure-track position and became an active member of the geometry/topology group. During his 24 years of service, he taught 33 different courses across the curriculum, as well as supervising senior projects, undergraduate research, master's theses, and the graduate teaching seminar. He also served as the graduate coordinator from 2007-09 and 2019-22, shepherding the program to its current 30 students as well as overseeing the implementation of the applied specialization option for the degree. White plans to move to Hawaii with his wife Linda Patton, also retiring from the department this summer.

Linda Patton finished her Ph.D. at UCSD in 1991 under Jim Alger, now professor emeritus at USCD. Patton came to Cal Poly that fall as an assistant professor of mathematics. She has been an active member of the Analysis group in the department, with 14 peer-reviewed publications, three with student co-authors. During her 31 years she has taught 34 classes across the curriculum, from Beginning Algebra Review to Graduate Real Analysis and nearly everything in between. In addition, she has supervised 25 senior projects, 29 independent studies, and (currently) three master's theses. Patton's service contribution has been extensive; for example, she twice served as the undergraduate coordinator, participated on four screening committees (twice as chair), coordinated the Math Research Experience for Undergraduates from 2003-17, and has chaired the department scholarship committee continuously for 22 years. Patton plans to move to Hawaii with her husband, Matthew White, also retiring from the math department this summer.