

**Faculty Position, Philosophy Department  
Santa Clara University**

The College of Arts and Sciences of Santa Clara University expects to be seeking applications in the fall of 2017 for a tenure track faculty position in the Philosophy Department starting September 1, 2018. The rank of this position is open: Professor, Associate Professor, or Assistant Professor. The area of specialization for this position is Bioethics, Neuroethics, and/or Environmental Ethics. The area of competence is open. We expect that public announcements for this position will be appearing in PhilJobs and other venues on or about October 2, 2017, and will contain information about the online application procedure.

Applicants will have an area of specialization in Bioethics, Neuroethics, and/or Environmental Ethics, the ability to teach introductory and advanced undergraduate courses in one or more of these areas, and other areas of concentration. The candidate will have a primary research and teaching focus in interdisciplinary and applied philosophy/ethics, engaging one or more of the STEM disciplines. Successful junior applicants will be able to teach a two course core sequences in Culture & Ideas and/or Critical Thinking and Writing to first year students.

Candidates must have a strong commitment to both teaching and research and be able to establish and maintain an active research program. The normal teaching load is six courses per year: two 10-week courses per academic quarter, over three quarters. The successful candidate may have a reduced teaching load of five courses in the first year of appointment.

Located in the heart of northern California's Silicon Valley, Santa Clara University is a private Jesuit, Catholic university and an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action employer, committed to excellence through diversity; in this spirit we particularly welcome applications from women, persons of color, and members of historically underrepresented groups. The University will provide reasonable accommodations to all qualified individuals with a disability.

Questions regarding this position should be directed to Lawrence Nelson, Search Committee Chair, Department of Philosophy, 500 El Camino Real, Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA 95053-0310. [lnelson@scu.edu](mailto:lnelson@scu.edu). 408-554-5094. Prof. Nelson will be attending the annual meeting of the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities in Kansas City on October 20 and 21 and will be happy to speak with prospective applicants.