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PHYSICS DEPARTMENT
Assistant Professor, Theoretical Materials Physics

The [Physics Department](#) at the University of California, Santa Cruz (UCSC) invites applications for a tenure track faculty position in theoretical materials physics at the Assistant Professor level. Candidates with a strong record of publication in theoretical and computational materials physics, and with a strong commitment to research and teaching, are encouraged to apply.

The successful candidate will be expected to participate in a new campuswide, interdisciplinary materials science program, to pursue a vigorous research program, to teach courses and mentor students at the undergraduate and graduate levels, and to perform service to the department and university. The successful candidate must be able to work with students, faculty, and staff from a wide range of social and cultural backgrounds. We are especially interested in candidates who can contribute to the diversity and excellence of the academic community through their research, teaching, and/or service.

RANK: Assistant Professor

SALARY: Commensurate with qualifications and experience; academic year (9-month) basis

BASIC QUALIFICATIONS: A Ph.D. or equivalent foreign degree in physics or a closely related discipline, a demonstrated record of research, and a record of publications in the fields of theoretical materials physics and theoretical condensed-matter physics.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS: One year or more of postdoctoral research experience.

POSITION AVAILABLE: July 1, 2017, with academic year beginning September 2017.

TO APPLY: Applications are accepted via the UCSC Academic Recruit online system and must include a letter of application, curriculum vitae (including a list of publications in the fields of materials physics and condensed-matter physics), research statement, teaching statement, and at least 3 but not more than 5 confidential letters of recommendation* evaluating the candidate's scholarly contributions, potential for leadership, teaching, and other professional attributes. Applicants are invited to submit a statement addressing their contributions to diversity through research, teaching, and/or service. Documents/materials must be submitted as PDF files.

Apply at <https://recruit.ucsc.edu/apply/JPF00398>

Refer to Position #**JPF00398-17** in all correspondence.

*All letters will be treated as confidential per University of California policy and California state law. For any reference letter provided via a third party (i.e., dossier service, career center), direct the author to UCSC's confidentiality statement at <http://apo.ucsc.edu/confstm.htm>

CLOSING DATE: Review of applications will begin on December 09, 2016.

To ensure full consideration, applications should be complete and letters of recommendation received by this date. The position will remain open until filled, but not later than 6/30/2017.

UC Santa Cruz faculty make significant contributions to the body of research that has earned the University of California the ranking as the foremost public higher education institution in the world. In the process, our faculty demonstrate that cutting-edge research, excellent teaching and outstanding service are mutually supportive.

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