November 14, 2005

Dear Colleague:

The Aerospace Engineering Department at California State Polytechnic University Pomona (Cal Poly Pomona) invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position to begin in September 2006. Applicants should be able to teach a broad range of courses in aerospace engineering with primary responsibility in the area of aircraft flight mechanics.

The details of the position are described in the enclosed announcement. This is an important position for our Department and we would appreciate your assistance in finding qualified applicants, including qualified women and minority applicants. We would appreciate it if you could post and/or distribute copies of the enclosed announcement to qualified persons in your department.

Application and further information may be obtained by contacting the Aerospace Engineering Department office at 909-869-2470 or via email from Ms. Carol Christian at cmchristian@csupomona.edu. The position description can also be found at our Department website: www.csupomona.edu/aro.

Thank you for your assistance,

Sincerely yours,

Ali R. Ahmadi, Ph.D.
Chair of Search Committee
Tenure-Track Faculty Position
California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
Aerospace Engineering Department

**Department**: The Aerospace Engineering Department is seeking to fill a tenure-track faculty position in aircraft flight mechanics and aircraft design. The Department serves over 300 students majoring in Aerospace Engineering.

**Position Description**: Assistant or Associate Professor of Aerospace Engineering. One tenure-track position beginning September 2006 to teach the theory and practice of aerospace engineering to both undergraduate and graduate students. Applicants must have the ability to teach a broad range of courses in aerospace engineering with primary responsibility in aircraft flight mechanics. A strong interest in curriculum, computer-based analysis/design and laboratory development, advising students in curriculum and club matters, senior projects and senior design projects, master’s theses, as well as serving on department, college and university committees are required. Successful applicants will also be expected to maintain currency in their fields and integrate new developments into the department curriculum. Involvement in professional activities is also expected.

**Minimum Qualifications**: Applicants must have a B.S. and a Ph.D. in Aerospace Engineering from a U.S.-accredited institution and industrial experience in the United States. Competence in Aerospace Engineering theory and practice is required. Qualified candidates must demonstrate potential for excellent teaching in both the undergraduate and M.S. programs, actively continue their professional development and possess excellent written and verbal communications skills. Successful candidates must also be committed to working with diverse student and community populations.

**Closing Date and How to Apply**: To be considered for the position, applicants must submit a letter of interest addressing how the candidate meets the qualifications for the position, a completed application form, a curriculum vitae, an unofficial transcript showing coursework completed and highest degree earned. Finalists will be required to submit official transcripts from accredited educational institutions, and arrange for four recent (dated within the past two years) letters of recommendation with phone numbers to be sent to the search committee. Candidates selected for on-campus interviews will make a presentation to the faculty, staff and students. Review of applications will begin on January 3, 2006 and priority will be given to applications received by that date, but the position will remain open until filled. Materials submitted by the candidate will be available for examination by all faculty members in the department. Please request an application package from:

Dr. Ali Ahmadi, Chair of Search Committee
Aerospace Engineering Department
California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
3801 West Temple Avenue
Pomona, CA 91768

Or from Ms. Carol Christian at the Aerospace Engineering Department Office at:
909-869-2470 or cmchristian@csupomona.edu.
The University: California State Polytechnic University, Pomona (Cal Poly Pomona) is one of 23 campuses in the California State University. The campus is located approximately 30 miles east of downtown Los Angeles and is part of one of the most dynamic economic and cultural regions in the country. Noted for its beautiful and historic 1,400-acre campus, once the Arabian horse ranch of cereal magnate W. K. Kellogg, the university currently has an ethnically diverse student population of 20,000, with approximately 70% representing diverse ethnic groups. Students are enrolled in 65 undergraduate majors and 20 master's degree programs. There are approximately 1,100 faculty members. The University is committed to diversifying its faculty and staff to better serve its multicultural student body, and has made educational equity one of its highest priorities. For additional information about the university, please visit our website at www.csupomona.edu. Cal Poly Pomona is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer, subscribes to all state and federal regulations and prohibits discrimination based on gender, race, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, marital status, age, religion, or covered veterans status. The university hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. As required by the Clery Disclosure Act, the university's annual security report is available at www.csupomona.edu/~public_safety.

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