Applications are invited for:

TEMPORARY LECTURER POSITION IN THE CINEMA AND DIGITAL MEDIA PROGRAM
COMPUTER GRAPHICS AND CHARACTER ANIMATION

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT DAVIS

The Program for Cinema and Digital Media at the University of California, Davis, invites applications for a lecturer position in the Cinema and Digital Media Program to teach two courses, TCS 130 Fundamentals of Computer Graphics during Winter Quarter of the 2016-2017 school year (1/6/2017 – 3/24/2017) and TCS 131 Character Animation during Spring Quarter of the 2016-2017 school year (3/30/2017 – 6/15/2017). A lecturer teaches a three-hour studio class twice a week and holds regular office hours for his or her students. **We are open to hiring one person for both courses or two separate people.** Please indicate your specific interest in your cover letter. The course is scheduled for Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Fundamentals of Computer Graphics provides a broad introduction to computer graphics with an emphasis on applied production. It normally focuses on modeling, including rigging a basic character model, but also briefly touches on rendering and animation. Character Animation provides depth in 3D CG character animation with an emphasis on applied production. The courses should integrate practical skills with conceptual foundations in a way that takes advantage of the instructor's strengths, interests and background. The courses will be taught in a computer lab equipped with Autodesk Maya for production work.

Qualifications include:

- An appropriate terminal degree; e.g., MFA, Ph.D., or equivalent training and professional experience.
- Demonstrated teaching ability and experience.
- A developing record of creative, scholarly, or professional achievement in an area of expertise related to the subject area described in this announcement.

Closing date for applications is **Oct. 31, 2016.** Please submit the following materials to the recruitment website: [https://recruit.ucdavis.edu/apply/JPF001265](https://recruit.ucdavis.edu/apply/JPF001265).

- Curriculum vitae
- List of classes you have taught, where, and when
- Letter of interest including desired course(s) to be taught
- Digital portfolio of up to five relevant creative works or five published works
- Names and contact information of three references
- Statement of contributions to diversity

This is a non-tenured, temporary position: the appointments to the title of Lecturer are self-terminating (no further notice on non-reappointment will be forthcoming) and do not create an obligation on the part of the University either to extend or renew the appointment outlined above. Any reappointment will be preceded by an assessment.

Proof of citizenship or eligibility for US employment required prior to employment (Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986). This position is subject to UC policy and is covered by a collective bargaining unit.