

GOOD JOBS: INVEST IN OUR FUTURE

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I have worked for the CSU system for twenty years. When I began my career, I was idealistic. Knowing that I was helping students to achieve their academic goals made me feel validated as a human being.

As the years went on, it became much harder for me to keep my positive optimism.

I have a baccalaureate, two master's degrees, and currently finishing my Doctoral EdD. program. With the amount of education I have, why do I have to work a full-time AND part-time job to make ends meet?

With the current COVID-19 pandemic, my colleagues and I rose to the challenge of working from home. I had to pay out of my own pocket for office equipment, including an ergonomic chair. Yet, I continued to believe in the work I was doing.

I had anxiety about coming back to work face-to-face but still continued. Now, with gas, food, utility prices rising, and, still not being able to afford to purchase a home in California AND with no salary increase, cost of living increase, or even no option for equal pay for excellent work, where do I go from here?



Help CSU workers thrive.

Approve funding for CSU salary study recommendations in this year's budget.

