The Chancellor's Doctoral Incentive Program

The purpose of the Chancellor's Doctoral Incentive Program (CDIP) is to increase the number of individuals who demonstrate potential as doctoral students and who may be interested in applying for future CSU instructional faculty positions.

This exemplary program has been in existence for over 20 years and has resulted in the hiring of 800 CSU faculty members in a wide range of disciplines.

The program is open to applicants who will be new or continuing full-time students in doctoral programs at regionally accredited universities anywhere within the United States.

Applicants are not required to have attended the CSU or to have been accepted in a doctoral program at the time of their application.

The CDI loan is \$10,000 per year for three years and forgivable for those with full- or half-time teaching appointments at a CSU campus. Recipients must be CSU employees in order to receive loan forgiveness. Being awarded the CDI loan is **not** a guarantee of employment at the CSU.

Each applicant is required to have a full-time tenure/tenure track CSU faculty advisor who will provide professional mentoring and networking opportunities throughout the student's educational experience.

Applications are available from the Chancellor's Office website only. Please see link on our "Funding Opportunities" webpage.