



FACULTY INFORMATION BULLETIN

FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP & CREATIVE ACTIVITY AWARD 2026/2027

Nominations due by March 23, 2026

The Faculty Scholarship & Creative Activity award was established in 1996/97 by the Academic Senate of California State University, Bakersfield and the CSUB Foundation in order to recognize and encourage outstanding contributions to the principle and practice of research and creative activity. Faculty research and creative activity are critical to providing an educational experience of high quality and to the overall mission of CSUB.

Nomination Process

You are encouraged to participate. CSUB is known for its excellent faculty, and now is the time to formally acknowledge a faculty member you feel is *especially* deserving of recognition. The nomination process is simple:

Nominations must be submitted **electronically** to Julie Kang (hkang8@csub.edu) by **March 23, 2026** and include the nominee's most current abbreviated vita and a written statement not to exceed 600 words, summarizing the reasons for the nomination. The statement should be concise and factual and confined to issues related directly to the contributions, achievements, and currency as articulated in criteria for selection. The following rules apply:

- ❖ Any full-time faculty member is eligible.
- ❖ Nominations may be submitted by administrators, faculty, students, or alumni. No self-nominations will be accepted.
- ❖ The criteria for the award, as set by the Academic Senate of CSUB, call for achievement in outstanding research or creative activity.
- ❖ After receiving the nomination, the Faculty Honors and Awards Committee will reach out to the nominee's department or unit to solicit its collective decision whether to support, oppose, or take no position regarding the nomination.

The Faculty Honors and Awards Committee will select a nominee to submit to the CSUB Academic Senate for approval. The Faculty Scholarship & Creative Activity Award recipient will receive University recognition and a \$2,000 stipend.

Faculty Awards Deadlines

March 23, 2026 Monday by 5:00 p.m.	Nominations due to the Office of the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs (via hkang8@csub.edu).
April 20, 2026 Monday by 5:00 p.m.	FHAC submit their recommendations to the Academic Senate for approval.