

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

College of Social Sciences

NOMINATIONS DUE: MARCH 1, 2011 - 4:00 P.M.
DEAN'S OFFICE - WSQ 103

AUSTEN D. WARBURTON AWARD

Name: Austen D. Warburton Award of Merit

Principal Donor: Austen D. Warburton

Award: \$1,500

Award

Presentation: Each Spring in Perpetuity – April 29, 2011

Purpose: To recognize outstanding scholarly achievement among the tenured faculty of the College of Social Sciences.

The Warburton Award is intended to recognize the highest level of scholarly achievement, not to encourage start-up research projects or scholarship-in-progress.

The recipient's career should be worthy of international or national recognition, with significant impact upon a field of scholarship in the Social Sciences. This record should be demonstrated by a record of outstanding publication and the delivery of scholarly papers before prestigious international or national organizations.

The Warburton Award Committee may consider other scholarly distinctions that focus international or national scholarly acclaim upon a tenured faculty member and the College of Social Sciences, San Jose State University.

Awards may be deferred when, in the judgment of the Selection Committee, no nominee has achieved the level of distinction required by the Austen D. Warburton Award. The Award itself and the attainments of its recipient are to be mutually enhancing.

The recipient of the Award will address a meeting of faculty, alumni, and friends of the College of Social Sciences and present the essence of the scholarly achievement(s) upon which the Award was granted. The social as well as the intellectual environment within the College of Social Sciences should be enhanced by the Austen D. Warburton Award of Merit and by the presentations of its recipients.

Any faculty member in the College of Social Sciences may nominate a tenured colleague. University **faculty who have tenure in the College are eligible** for the award; except for those in the Faculty Early Retirement program. Faculty that have retired are not eligible. The letter of nomination, along with the nominee's vita, is **due** in the **Dean's Office (WSQ 103) by 4 p.m., March 1, 2011**

Selection Committee:

The Dean of the College of Social Sciences will convene a 5-member committee of faculty from within the College to form the selection committee. These five faculty members are to be those who have had their own academic achievements recognized by the University as Outstanding Professors or President's Scholars. If needed, the Dean, in consultation with the chairs, may select other notable faculty from the College to assure full committee membership.

The Dean will organize their participation in the selection process. The Selection Committee will elect its own chair. The Dean will not vote and will not participate in the deliberations. No member of the selection committee may be a nominee for the annual award during the year in which he or she serves on the selection committee. The Dean may not be a nominee. University faculty who have tenure in the College are eligible for the award, except for those in the Faculty Early Retirement Program. Retired faculty are not eligible.

Announcement:

The announcement of the recipient of the Austen D. Warburton Award of Merit will be made by the Dean of the College of Social Sciences at the College Award Reception for all College faculty and staff on April 29, 2011.

Previous Recipients:

James Freeman (Anthro.)	1991
Larry Engelmann (Hist.)	1992
Robert Gliner (Sociol)	1993
Robert Hicks (Psych.)	1994
Robert Pellegrini (Psych.)	1995
James Walsh (Hist.)	1996
J. Paul Leigh (Econ.)	1997
Thomas Layton (Anthro.)	1998
Robert Fox (Psych.)	1999
Kevin Jordan (Psych.)	2000
James Lull (Comm. St.)	2001
Rodolfo Gonzalez (Econ.)	2002
Jo Sprague (Com. St.)	2003
Jan English-Lueck (Anthro)	2004
Larry Gerston (Pol. Sci.)	2005
E. Bruce Reynolds (Hist.)	2006
Terry Christensen (Pol. Sci.)	2007
Constantine Danopoulos (Pol. Sci.)	2008

William Reckmeyer (Anthropology)	2009
Mary Pickering (History)	2010