

CUESTA COLLEGE

OUTSTANDING EMPLOYEE AWARD – **ACADEMIC**

With the exception of the Superintendent/President, all full-time academic staff with four (4) or more years of service and part-time temporary academic staff with eight (8) or more years of service with the District are eligible for nomination.

All staff may nominate one (1) **Academic Employee**

Nominee's Name: _____

Department in which nominee works: _____

CRITERIA CONSIDERED BY THE AWARDS COMMITTEE ARE:

How has the employee's performance:

1. Promoted and/or supported student learning and/or institutional effectiveness outcomes and/or institutional goals/objectives?
2. Demonstrated the established values as stated in the District's Vision, Mission, Values?
3. Specific accomplishments, contributions, or qualities that make your nominee an outstanding candidate (examples: professional contributions, mentoring, and community service).

Other criteria considered is the employee's dedication, loyalty and enthusiasm to his/her job and the College; enthusiasm and willingness for assisting others and maintaining cooperative relationships with faculty, staff, and students, and showing initiative in achieving contributions to the College and the community. If your candidate is selected as a finalist, you may be contacted to assist the committee by providing additional information. You may also provide any additional comments for your candidate to be considered.

Please describe the expertise the nominee has exhibited in performing his/her job:

(Attach additional pages as needed.)

Nominator's Name _____ **Signature:** _____

Nominator's Dept./Division: _____ **Phone Extension:** _____

Please submit your nomination to:

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE – April 23, 2021 by 5:00 p.m.

via email to cynthia_dilbeck@cuesta.edu

A confirmation will be returned to you that your nomination has been received.

The Awards Committee will make its recommendation to the Superintendent/President for final consideration.

Outstanding Academic Employee of the Year
Previous Recipients

Joe Brundage, 1988

Hal Platou, 1989

Dave Kelley, 1990

Mary Lou Wilhelm, 1991

Warren Balfour, 1992

Chet Amyx, 1993

Bill Fairbanks, 1994

Mary El Hansen, 1995

Cheryl Ziehl, 1996

Nella Girolo, 1997

Randy Gold, 1998

Guyla Amyx, 1999

Bill Richmond, 2000

Dick Hitchman, 2001

Bob Marshall, 2002

Dwight Panter, 2003

Judy Barclay, 2004

George Stone, 2005

Diane Lichty, 2006

Douglas Pillsbury, 2007

Madeline Medeiros, 2008

John Knutson, 2009

Allison Merzon, 2010

Greg Baxley, 2011

No Award, 2012

Petra Clayton, 2013

Sally Demarest, 2014

Marie Larsen, 2015

Cherie Moore, 2016

Chris Gilbert, 2017

Gary Rubin, 2018

Rob Thoresen, 2019

Cynthia Wilshusen, 2020