

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, BAKERSFIELD
ACADEMIC SENATE

FACULTY AWARD FOR SCHOLARSHIP — HANDBOOK CHANGE
RES 192001

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RESOLVED: that the Academic Senate recommend to the President the following change to the *University Handbook*:

308 REVIEW PROCEDURES FOR SPECIAL AWARDS AND APPOINTMENTS

The Faculty Honors and Awards Committee (FHAC) is the University-wide committee responsible for reviewing and making recommendations for the granting of honors, awards, and distinctions as specified in this section, ~~except for the Faculty Research Award. Recommendation for the latter is determined by the Research Council of the University.~~

RATIONALE: The reference to the Research Council deciding the "Faculty Research Award" appears to be a remnant of a past version of the *University Handbook*. The award is now named the Faculty Scholarship and Creative Activity Award and later in the handbook (308.3.3.1) this award is assigned to the FHAC. In addition, the overview of the responsibilities of the RCU (308.4) makes no mention of this faculty award. The suggested language change would make the *University Handbook* consistent with current practice. The faculty members of the RCU have been consulted and are in unanimous support of this resolution.

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