

ACSA Administrator of the Year Awards Nominations due on January 22. Every Student Succeeding Nominations due on January 31, 2026. See below for "Call for Proposals" for Bay Area Equity Symposium and Region 6 Annual Conference.



January 6, 2026

2026 ACSA Administrator of the Year Awards

Nominations due January 22



COUNTING DOWN!

Nominations must be submitted on the ACSA platform by January 22, 2026. Except for two special categories, all nominations need to be considered in your Charter. Charters have their own selection process to move nominees to the region level. Contact your Charter President if you have any questions.

Save the date for R6 Awards Celebration on April 23, 2026 at the San Ramon Marriott.



Every Student Succeeding
Nominations due on January 30

We encourage members to look in their schools to identify student nominees for this recognition program. You all have students in your districts with compelling stories of personal challenges and overcoming them with support from school teams. Administrators have this platform to tell their stories. Here's the [link for the nomination process](#) and form. Nominations are due by January 30, 2026.

Region 6 finalists and winner as well as all nominees will be recognized at an awards reception later in the spring. Each finalist will receive a \$250 award and the Region 6 winner \$1000. All region winners will be honored at ACSA's annual conference in November in Chula Vista where they will also receive another \$1000 award.

We have many deserving students in Region 6! Their stories inspire all of us.



Bay Area Equity Symposium Returns

A Regions 5,6,8 Joint Conference



The Bay Area Equity Symposium is returning in 2026.

Beyond Access: Empowering Leaders, Transforming Systems

Save the Date: Saturday, March 28, 2026
Santa Clara County (Specific venue TBD)

[Call for Proposals](#) due January 26, 2026

Look for Registration information coming shortly

[Download flyer here](#)



Region 6 Annual Conference

SAVE THE DATE



Empowered to Lead, Inspired by Heart, United for Impact

Region 6 Annual Conference

Thursday, June 11, 2026
8:30 am - 3:30 pm
Hilton DoubleTree, Pleasanton, CA

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

At our Region 6 Conference, we would like to highlight the expertise and best practices of our Region. Please use this form to submit your proposal.

Deadline for Submission: February 10, 2026

Presenters must choose at least one conference strand for their proposed session:

- Empowered to Lead
- Inspired by Heart
- United for Impact

Guidelines and Procedures for Submitting Proposals

Selection Criteria: We are seeking to elevate and celebrate the good work that is happening in our Region. Proposed presentations will be evaluated on how relevant and practical the presentation will be to our attendees. In addition, presentations will be evaluated on description of clear, measurable learning outcomes. Workshop learning activities should provide opportunities for participants to practice skills identified in the learning outcomes.

Proposals should provide evidence to support that the workshop is relevant, timely, and likely to contribute to professional development of attendees.

No sales presentations will be accepted.

Here's the link for the Google Form to submit your proposal:

<https://tinyurl.com/acsar6callforproposals26>

Notification of Acceptance: March 13, 2026

Questions may be addressed to Dr. Hong Nguyen (VP of Staff Development and Equity Chair) at hnguyen2@srvusd.net

[Download flyer here](#)

**Coming Soon: Conference schedule and registration information
PUT JUNE 11 ON YOUR CALENDAR NOW!**



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