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Dear Colleagues:

I am pleased to announce the second annual call for nominations for the Regents Foster Youth Award. This award seeks to honor University of California students who are current or former foster youth for their academic achievements and community services. It also aims to raise awareness about the unique barriers that foster youth face in their pursuit of academic success.

To be eligible for the Regents Foster Youth Award, nominees must be: 1) current or former foster youth and 2) enrolled as a full-time undergraduate, graduate, or professional student in good academic and disciplinary standing at one of UC's 10 campuses. The Regents will consider nominations of students who graduated from UC within the same academic year.

Please have nominators use the enclosed fillable PDF nomination form to designate candidates for the 2023 Regents Foster Youth Award. Any UC student, faculty or staff member may nominate a fellow candidate for this award. Self-nominations, however, will not be accepted.

Please submit nomination materials by **Friday, June 9, 2023** to [RegentsFosterYouthAward@ucop.edu](mailto:RegentsFosterYouthAward@ucop.edu).

A Selection Committee comprised of individual Regents and UCOP staff will evaluate the submitted nominations and select a finalist. I will present the selected honoree with a \$1,000 award and a framed certificate of honor at the Regents meeting on July 20, 2023.

Thanks for your assistance with nominating students for the second annual Regents Foster Youth Award.

Sincerely,

Rich Leib  
Chair, UC Board of Regents

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