

MEMORANDUM

May 6, 2026

To: SUNY Campus Chief Academic Officers

From: Dr. Ram Ramasubramanian, Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost

Subject: Call for Nominations:
Chancellor's Awards for Excellence, 2026-2027 and 2027-2028

I am pleased to issue the call for nominations for the Chancellor's Awards for Excellence in Faculty Service, Librarianship, Professional Service, Scholarship and Creative Activities, Teaching, and Adjunct Teaching for academic years 2026-2027 and 2027-2028.

These Chancellor's Awards for Excellence recognize the expertise, commitment, and dedication of SUNY's diverse body of faculty and professional staff. Full-time tenured or tenure track faculty and full-time non-tenure track faculty, including those who hold the title of full-time Lecturer, are eligible for nomination in three categories: Faculty Service, Scholarship and Creative Activities, and Teaching. Nominees defined by their specific SUNY institution as adjunct faculty are eligible for nomination in the Adjunct Teaching category. The complete *Policies and Procedures* for these awards, including the number of nominations allowed per campus, are posted [online](#). Again, we encourage campuses to have a diverse and inclusive pool of candidates for consideration. The deadline for receipt of nominations is **Tuesday, February 16, 2027** for academic year 2026-2027. Nominations must be submitted electronically via form.

Please share all this information with your campus president, faculty and staff awards coordinators, faculty governance leaders, and any others you deem appropriate. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Chancellor's Awards for Excellence, please send to excellenceawards@suny.edu.

We look forward to your participation in these important programs that honor SUNY's exemplary faculty and professional staff.