

William Barrios

Federally Recognized Tribal Member, Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe

Campus Preference: Fresno

Qualified:

Mr. Barrios has more than six years of experience in his Tribe's Cultural Department both as a Cultural Monitor and as a Cultural Liaison.

Tribal Council Resolution Provided

References Contacted:

Christina Gonzales, Shana Powers, and Leo Sisco recommend the candidate.

**Systemwide NAGPRA Implementation & Oversight Committee
Nominations Cover Sheet**

Committee Type: Both Systemwide Committee Campus Committee

Nominee Name:

Preferred Campus: _____

Alt. Campus: _____

Alt. Campus: _____

Position Sought: Tribal Nominee CSU Nominee

Alt. Campus: _____

Tribal/CSU Institutional Affiliation

Name of Tribe: _____

Name of Campus: _____

- Federally Recognized Tribe CA Indian Tribe
 CSU Administrator CSU Faculty Staff NAGPRA Coordinator

Tribal Members (Check all that apply):

- Tribal Historic Preservation Officer work
 Repatriation of human remains and cultural items pursuant to CalNAGPRA/ NAGPRA
 Cultural resources protection under Tribal, state, and federal law
 Consultation with state and federal entities and agencies
 An Elder, Spiritual Leader
 A minimum of five years' experience

CSU Staff/Faculty Members (Check all that apply):

- Archaeology Anthropology Environmental Studies
 Ethnic Studies History (with a focus in California) Law
 Native American Studies Social Science Sociology
 A minimum of five years' experience working in field of study

Circle One: Complete Application (Includes Attachments)

- Short Bio, A Resume or CV
 Tribal Resolution/Letter (as applicable)
 Three References

Incomplete Applications

- Missing Attachments
 Needs Follow Up Call
 Other Explanation: _____

CSU or NAHC Reviewer _____
CSU or NAHC Reviewer _____

Date: _____
Date: _____



THE CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY
OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR

BAKERSFIELD

November 8, 2023

CHANNEL ISLANDS

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Dear Tribal Leader,

DOMINGUEZ HILLS

EAST BAY

FRESNO

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HUMBOLDT

This correspondence is intended to solicit nominations for qualified candidates to serve on the California State University (CSU) Systemwide NAGPRA Committee to oversee the state and federal Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act compliance efforts. Respectful repatriation rooted in meaningful tribal consultation is required by California NAGPRA (CalNAGPRA). The CSU is committed to fully implementing the spirit as well as the legal requirements of federal NAGPRA and CalNAGPRA, which were enacted to acknowledge the fundamental human right of Native Americans, Alaska Natives and Native Hawaiians to their ancestral human remains and cultural items.

LONG BEACH

LOS ANGELES

MARITIME ACADEMY

MONTEREY BAY

The committee is composed of both tribal and CSU representatives with a majority of the committee's voting members from California Indian Tribes and one non-voting member from each campus subject to CalNAGPRA and federal NAGPRA. All members are nominated by the California Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) and appointed by the CSU chancellor or the chancellor's designee. More information and nomination materials can be found on the CSU NAGPRA website, <https://nagpra.calstate.edu>.

NORTHRIDGE

POMONA

Committee members are expected to commit to quarterly meetings each calendar year to discuss the development and implementation of the systemwide NAGPRA policy.

SACRAMENTO

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Tribal Nominees

Tribal nominees must be a member of a federally or non-federally recognized California Indian Tribe as defined by Section 8012 of the Health and Safety Code. Experience in any of the following is preferred:

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SAN FRANCISCO

- Tribal historic preservation officer work
- Repatriation of human remains and cultural items pursuant to NAGPRA/CalNAGPRA;
- Cultural resources protection under tribal, state and federal law; or
- Consultation with state and federal entities and agencies.

SAN JOSÉ

SAN LUIS OBISPO

SAN MARCOS

SONOMA

Preference shall be given to members of a California Indian Tribe. If no members of a California Indian Tribe meeting the qualifications of 8028.71 subdivision (c) paragraph (1) are available, members of other tribes may serve.

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Tribal Leader
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You are encouraged to submit a nomination/self-nomination if the nominee meets a majority of the requirements, even if you are unsure as to whether they meet a specific requirement.

Please feel free to reach out with questions or concerns to nagpra@calstate.edu.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mildred García". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, decorative initial "M".

Mildred García, Ed.D.
Chancellor

California State University Systemwide NAGPRA Oversight Committee

Overview

Policy

California State University is committed to establishing a Systemwide NAGPRA Committee with repatriation expertise in accordance with the state and federal Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Acts (NAGPRA and CalNAGPRA).

The California State University (CSU) is committed to fully implementing the spirit as well as the legal requirements of both the Federal Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) and the California Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (CalNAGPRA), which were enacted to acknowledge the fundamental human right of Native Americans, Alaska Natives, and Native Hawaiians to their ancestral Human Remains and Cultural Items.

Committee Charge

The purpose of the committee is to provide The California State University system with expertise concerning repatriation in accordance with the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) and the California Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (CalNAGPRA) and makes recommendations to the Chancellor on matters of compliance and best practices. The committee provides systemwide compliance oversight as well as reviews and promotes implementation of the CSU Systemwide NAGPRA Policy. The committee will establish systemwide directives and guiding principles for all CSU campuses whether or not campuses hold CalNAGPRA/NAGPRA collections. The CSU is referencing the requirements as outlined in Assembly Bill 389 Section 8028.7 and Section 8028.71 to guide the committee selection and policy development processes.

The CSU Systemwide NAGPRA Committee (“Committee” herein) is an advisory committee to the Chancellor to:

- Ensure that campuses within the CSU system are compliant with the state and federal NAGPRA laws;
- Monitor repatriation process and activities of all CSU campuses; and
- Ensure repatriation to Tribes is made in a timely manner through meaningful consultations.

The Committee provides an opportunity to educate administrators, faculty, staff, and students on state and federal NAGPRA laws and CSU responsibility to Tribal communities to ensure the Native American ancestral remains and cultural items are repatriated with dignity and respect.

Committee Membership

There shall be a total of seven voting members and one non-voting member. Of these, four voting members shall be from an Indian Tribe, and three voting members shall be from the

California State University. There shall be a non-voting member from each CSU campus. At least a majority of the Committee's voting members shall be from California Indian Tribes. The membership of the committee shall be as follows per Assembly Bill 389 Section 8028.71:

Three voting members of an Indian Tribe as described paragraph (1) of subdivision (c) of Section 8012, meeting the requirements of subdivision (c) of this section.

One voting member of an Indian Tribe as described in paragraph (2) of subdivision (c) of Section 8012, meeting the requirements of subdivision (c) of this section, or, if none is available, a member of an Indian Tribe as described in paragraph (1) of subdivision (c) of Section 8012, meeting the requirements of subdivision (c) of this section.

Three voting members from the California State University. At least two of these members shall be affiliated with an American Indian or Native American studies program and each of these members shall meet the requirements of subdivision (d).

One nonvoting member from each campus of the California State University that is subject to the federal Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (25 U.S.C. Sec. 3001 et seq.). Each of these nonvoting members shall meet the requirements of subdivision (d).

The composition of the systemwide committee may be altered to include a greater number of qualified members of a California Indian Tribe, to the extent that qualified California State University candidates cannot be located pursuant to paragraph (2).

Tribal Members

Tribal members must be a member of a federally or non-federally recognized California Indian Tribe as defined by Section 8012 of the Health and Safety Code. Committee members shall have preferred experience in any of the following:

- Tribal Historic Preservation Officer work;
- Repatriation of human remains and cultural items pursuant to CalNAGPRA/NAGPRA;
- Cultural resources protection under Tribal, state, and federal law; or
- Consultation with state and federal entities and agencies.

Preference shall be given to members of a California Indian Tribe. If no members of a California Indian Tribe meeting the qualifications of 8028.71 subdivision (c) paragraph (1) are available, members of other Tribes may serve.

CSU Staff/Faculty Members

CSU Staff/Faculty members must be affiliated with or employed by the California State University and have the following:

- A graduate degree in any of the following: Archaeology, Anthropology, Native American Studies, Ethnic Studies, Law, Sociology, Social Sciences, Environmental Studies, or History, with a focus in California;
 - If there are no candidates satisfying this clause, candidates that have degrees and direct professional experience in fields relevant to repatriation or tribal cultural resources matters shall be deemed to meet

- the clause; and
- A minimum of five years' experience working in his or her field of study.

Preference shall be given to members who have demonstrated, through their professional experience, the ability to work in collaboration with Native American tribes successfully on issues related to repatriation or museum collection management.

Appointments

The Chancellor of the California State University, or the Chancellor's designee, shall appoint members to the Committee upon nomination by the California Native American Heritage Commission.

Term

Members will serve three-year staggered terms with the ability to continue consecutive terms.

Compensation

Travel expenses will be reimbursed in accord with the CSU Systemwide Travel and Business Expense Payments Policy:

<https://calstate.policystat.com/policy/14534868/latest/?showchanges=true>

Meetings

The Committee will meet quarterly within the academic year and as needed to comply with timely repatriation efforts to the Tribes.

Officer Positions

Chairperson: The Committee will be chaired by a member elected by the Committee from its membership, every three years.

Vice Chairperson: Chairperson shall elect this position.

Secretary: A secretary will be assigned by the Office of the Chancellor.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY
NATIVE AMERICAN GRAVES PROTECTION AND REPATRIATION ACT
IMPLEMENTATION AND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

NOMINATION FORM

The California State University (CSU) is committed to fully implementing the spirit as well as the legal requirements of both the Federal Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) and the California Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (CalNAGPRA), which were enacted to acknowledge the fundamental human right of Native Americans, Alaska Natives, and Native Hawaiians to their ancestral Human Remains and Cultural Items.

The CSU seeks nominees for the Systemwide and Campus NAGPRA Committees. The purpose of the committees is to provide oversight and guidance for the development and implementation of Systemwide and Campus CalNAGPRA and federal NAGPRA compliance, which includes NAGPRA policy development. The CSU is referencing the requirements as outlined in Assembly Bill 389 Section 8028.7 and Section 8028.71 to guide the committee selection and policy development processes.

If you are interested in serving or nominating a candidate please review the criteria below, complete the following application materials, and submit completed materials with 1) Attach a short biography or resume demonstrating that the nominee meets the criteria below; 2) Attach a letter of support from Tribe, Tribal resolution or a letter of interest with this form; and 3) Attach a list of at least three references, with name, telephone number, and email address for each.

Committee Term: 3-year renewable staggering term

Tribal Nominees: Support letters or Tribal resolutions for Tribal nominees should be from Tribal governments, Tribal community organizations or Institutional leadership organizations, include the strengths of the candidate, as well as any information that might be relevant.

CSU Nominees: Support letters or resume for CSU nominees should include professional experience demonstrating the ability to work in collaboration with Native American Tribes successfully on issues related to repatriation or museum collection management.

Please note, the CSU will keep completed application on file for committee positions that may become available in the future.

Deadline: Nomination materials must be submitted to nagpra@calstate.edu by November 27, 2023

QUALIFICATIONS

Tribal Nominees

Tribal Nominees must be a member of a federally or non-federally recognized California Indian Tribe as defined by Section 8012 of the Health and Safety Code. Preferred experience in any of the following:

- Tribal Historic Preservation Officer work;
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 - If there are no candidates satisfying this clause, candidates that have degrees and direct professional experience in fields relevant to repatriation or tribal cultural resources matters shall be deemed to meet the requirements of the clause; and
- A minimum of five years' experience working in his or her field of study.

Preference shall be given to members who have demonstrated, through their professional experience, the ability to work in collaboration with Native American tribes successfully on issues related to repatriation or museum collection management.

Note: At least two CSU nominees to the Systemwide one CSU nominee to the Campus Committee(s) must be affiliated with an American Indian or Native American Studies program.

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COMMITTEE(S) SOUGHT

Please indicate the Committee(s) to which the nominee is seeking appointment. If nominating for a campus committee(s), list the campus(es) where the nominee is interested in serving, in order of preference. Check all that apply. If a nominee selects both the CSU Systemwide Committee and Campus Committee, their application will be considered for both Committees and they may be appointed to either, however at this time Committee members will only serve on one Committee at a time, unless the pool of candidates does not allow.

X CSU Systemwide Committee (*if only Systemwide please skip to Nominator Information below*)

X Campus Committee (*please fill out Section A below*)



A. If the Nominee would like to serve on a Campus Committee, please fill out the following additional information.

Campus Committee (*Preferred Campus*): California State University Fresno

Alternative campus(es) Nominee will consider (*candidates are encouraged to complete this section, if possible*):

- 1) Cal State Bakersfield
- 2) Cal State Stanislaus
- 3) Cal State San Luis Obispo

SUBMISSION INFORMATION

Nominator Information (if applicable)

Name: Leo Sisco Title: Tribal Chairperson

Tribal/CSU Institutional Affiliation: Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe

Email: lisco@tachi-yokut-nsn.gov Phone: 559-924-1278

Nominee Information

Name: William (Kenny) Barrios Title: Cultural Liaison

Tribal/CSU Institutional Affiliation: Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe

Email: WBarrios@tachi-yokut-nsn.gov Phone: 559-924-1278

Position Sought:

Please attach: Tribal Nominee CSU Nominee

- (i) A short biography and, if desired, a resume or CV;
- (ii) A tribal resolution or letter of support from Tribe (if applicable), and
- (iii) A list of at least three references, with name, telephone number, and email addresses for each.

Submit completed nomination materials to nagpra@calstate.edu by November 27, 2023.

Incomplete materials will not be considered.

William (Kenny) Barrios

16379 Jeff Rd., Lemoore, CA 93245

559-924-1278

WBarrios@tachi-yokut-nsn.gov

Qualifications:

Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribal Member.

Self-taught tachi language speaker

Cultural Practitioner

Experience in Archeology and NAGPRA:

I have been employed at Santa Rosa Rancheria's Cultural Department for over six years. I have been active in community cultural activities my entire life whether that was through sweat, singing, making traditional instruments, or learning history. I was trained in cultural customs by my father and uncles. I dedicated the last two decades of my life to teaching my children traditional ways. In the past five years, I have devoted myself to learning the Tachi Yokut Language.

Archaeological Field School, California State University Fresno, Mariposa County, CA, summers of 2018, 2019, and 2021

- Developed detailed drawings of surrounding strata, features, and excavated artifacts.
- Excavated the site and surveyed the surrounding area.
- Cataloged and recorded the excavated cultural material.
- Identified and recorded percentages of daub, lithics, organic material, and sedimentary layers.
- Learned Archaeological methods, techniques, and theories.

Santa Rosa Rancheria, Cultural Liaison, Lemoore CA, 6/25/2021-Present

- Prepare and present cultural information. - Prepare and present presentations;
- Research, archive and present cultural documents, recordings and other materials;
- Investigate Community interest and need for culturally focused programs and events;
- Implement and create educational programs for the Community;
- Participate and collaborate on tribal NAGPRA cases with the Yokut NAGPRA Chairman Coalition
- Create and implement cultural based research projects based upon Community interest;
- Find funding to support Cultural Programs;
- Participate in re-burial of ancestral human remains;
- Participate in cultural activities at community events;
- Learn and teach language, history, tribal geography, traditional stories and cultural practices;
- Input and collaborate with other employees on the creation of a Tribal Database;
- Create lesson plans and activities for various age groups;
- Gather and prepare cultural materials for Community needs.

Santa Rosa Rancheria, Cultural Monitor, Lemoore CA, 6/2018-6/2021

- Monitored construction projects for cultural resources and human remains.
- Participated in excavations
- Conducted cultural surveys
- Participated in reburials
- Participated in Cultural Presentations

- Researched cultural practices, geography, and language
- Collaborated in community cultural events
- Assisted with educational research projects.
- Assisted with educational programs with Tribal Youth

Other Skills and Experience

Conducted inventories of financial holdings and other equipment and supplies.

Ability to supervise and train employees.

Proficient in a variety of office and digital imagery software programs.

A reference sheet will be made available upon request

William Barrios, Tribal Liaison

Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe

Cal State University Systemwide and Campus NAGPRA Committee Nomination

Reference List

1. Leo Sisco, Tribal Chairperson, 559-924-1278, lsisco@tachi-yokut-nsn.gov
2. Shana Powers, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer, 559-924-1278, spowers@tachi-yokut-nsn.gov
3. Cristina Gonzales, Cultural Registrar, 559-924-1278, mgonzales@tachi-yokut-nsn.gov

SANTA ROSA RANCHERIA TACHI YOKUT TRIBE

Leo J. Sisco
Chairman

Robert Jeff II
Vice Chairman

Candida L. Cuara
Secretary

Rosa Hernandez
Treasurer

Bryce Baga/Jaime Pimentel
Delegates

TRIBAL COUNCIL RESOLUTION No. 2023-503

THE TRIBE'S OFFICIAL NOMINATION FOR CSU SYSTEMWIDE AND CAMPUS NAGPRA COMMITTEES

WHEREAS, the Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe ("Tribe") is a federally recognized Indian Tribe organized pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, as amended, and established pursuant to the Articles of Community Organization (the "Articles"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article IV, Section 1 of the Articles, the governing body of the Tribe is the General Council; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article VI, Section 1.K of the Articles, the General Council may delegate its authorities and responsibilities to the Business Committee (also known as "Tribal Council") established under Article IV, Section 2 of the Articles; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 83-13, the General Council has delegated to the Business Committee all powers and responsibilities of General Council provided for under Article VI, Section 1, paragraphs A through J of the Articles; and

WHEREAS, the Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe is dedicated to the preservation and protection of cultural resources associated with traditional values and beliefs important to the Tachi Yokut cultural and of preservation of the physical sites, location, and context in which those resources are found; and

WHEREAS, the Santa Rosa Rancheria is dedicated to the protection and repatriation of their ancestral remains, funerary items, sacred items, and items of cultural patrimony; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe is determined to assist the California State Universities to repatriate all Native American Ancestral remains; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe's self-governing capabilities, political integrity, and our identity as Tachi People will be enhanced and protected by Tachi governmental control, regulation, and preservation of our cultural resources, which are essential for the well-being of the Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe and its future.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Tribal Council of the Santa Rosa Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe supports and nominates Tribal Liaison William (Kenny) Barrios to the CSU Systemwide and Campus NAGPRA Committees.

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the foregoing Resolution 2023-503 was approved and adopted by the Tribal Council by a vote of 5 For, 0 Opposed, and 0 Abstentions, pursuant to authority vested in the Tribal Council by the Tribe's Constitution and Bylaws, as amended, adopted and approve pursuant

to the Federal Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 948, as amended), and by General Council Resolution 83-13.



Jaime Pimentel, Delegate

Attest:



Bryce Baga, Delegate

