



Scholarships Are Available for Students in the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Who are Planning a Career of Service to People with Developmental Disabilities

With a \$50,000 donation to the California State University San Bernardino Philanthropic Foundation, an endowed scholarship fund has been created to honor the memory of Tina Baldwin and her daughter Kenyon Cornelius.

Beginning in the 2026-27 academic year, one scholarship of \$2,000 will be offered annually to a third or fourth year undergraduate student or a graduate student in CSUSB's College of Social and Behavioral Sciences who plans to use their education and chosen career to advance the well-being of people with developmental disabilities. Priority will be given to students who have engaged in some form of research, advocacy or service involving people with disabilities.

Tina Baldwin advocated for decades for appropriate services for her daughter Kenyon who had Down syndrome. During the last decade of Tina's life, she also promoted reforms in adult guardianship and conservatorship systems so that others might be spared the injustices that she and her daughter had experienced. As an advocate, Tina worked with like-minded

colleagues to advance meaningful changes in policy and practice to ensure that the rights of adults with developmental disabilities are respected and protected and that less restrictive alternatives to guardianship are used when feasible. Despite being entangled in an overly protective and unduly restrictive guardianship, Kenyon did her best, with her mother's advocacy, to lead a dignified and fulfilling life. Kenyon died in 2024. Tina died in 2025.



Tina Baldwin & Kenyon Cornelius

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