

Research and Creative Activities Conference (RACA-CON)

A conference for the arts, the humanities, the sciences, and beyond

RACA-CON event date: Saturday, November 8, 2025

Application Deadline: Wednesday, October 1, 2025

Questions? Contact: raca-con@ccs.ucsb.edu

Full Name:

Major(s):

Email:

Phone:

Grad Yr:

CCS Faculty Advisor:

Your assigned CCS faculty advisor. This is the CCS faculty member that you meet with to satisfy your quarterly advising.

Application Endorser (faculty):

The faculty member who oversaw your specific project (may or may not be your CCS advisor). E.g., research advisor, creative mentor. Please note: their signature endorsing the application is required by the application deadline. Need help identifying your endorser? Reach out to raca-con@ccs.ucsb.edu.

Are you a 2025 CCS Summer Fellowship Recipient?

(yes/no)

Note: Summer fellowship (SURF) recipients are required to participate in the poster session.

Would you like to display a poster or piece of work in the poster session?

(yes/no)

This includes research posters, original artwork, etc. Standard poster size is 24" x 36" or 48" x 36" though all work that fits within an approximate 4x4 ft area is acceptable. For work that does not fit these dimensions (e.g. larger 2D or 3D), or for work that cannot be mounted using push pins, please email raca-con@ccs.ucsb.edu as soon as possible prior to the application deadline, so that the college can identify options for display.

Note: CCS is planning to collect posters after the event for potential display in the CCS building. To request an exception, please email create@ccs.ucsb.edu.

Title of poster (if applicable):

Would you like to give a brief talk or performance to a general audience?

(yes/no)

Presentations may include research talks, readings of literary works, musical performances, and similar contributions. Note: While the exact duration of the talks has yet to be finalized, each presentation will likely be allotted approximately 5–7 minutes, potentially followed by a brief Q&A session. The College will communicate these details following the application deadline.

Title of talk (if applicable):

Brief summary of research or creative activity to be presented:

By signing below I, the applicant, verify that I have personally completed this application, and am committed to participating in RACA-CON. If selected to participate, I will adhere to all deliverable deadlines and attend the conference on November 8, 2025.

X _____
Applicant Signature

Date

-- To be completed by the Application Endorser (faculty) by October 1, 2025 --

Thank you for reviewing this student's submission to CCS RACA-CON 2025. As the application endorser, you play a vital role in confirming that the project is prepared for presentation at the conference. By signing off, you also affirm that the work is ready to be shared with a broader academic community. More information about the conference can be found here: ccs.ucsb.edu/raca-con. Please join us on Saturday, November 8, 2025! Questions or comments regarding this application? Email: raca-con@ccs.ucsb.edu.

Faculty full name:

Dept:

By signing below I, the Application Endorser, verify that I have reviewed this student's application and believe the applicant is prepared to successfully submit and present their work as described.

X _____
Application Endorser Signature

Date