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The Graduating Class of 2015

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ORDER OF CEREMONIES

Processional

Salutation
Dr. Chui L. Tsang
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Welcome
Rob Rader
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Introduction of Special Guests
Dr. Chui L. Tsang
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Alumni Recognition Awards
Andrew Hem
Dr. Nathan Myhrvold

Faculty Challenge
Eve Adler
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Student Challenge
Caitlin Corker
Graduating Student
Introduction of Commencement Speaker

Jeff Shimizu
Executive Vice President

Commencement Address

Dr. Chui L. Tsang
Superintendent/President, Santa Monica College

Graduation Announcements

Teresita Rodriguez
Vice President, Enrollment Development

Conferral of Degrees and Certificates

Board of Trustees

Presentation of the Class of 2015

Dr. Chui L. Tsang
Superintendent/President

Recessional

Alumni Association Reception
in the Quad immediately following program
Dr. Chui L. Tsang's calm, visionary leadership came at a time when Santa Monica College needed it most. He began his nine-year tenure as SMC’s Superintendent and President in 2006, shortly before the state's community college system plunged into the worst economic crisis to hit since the passage of Proposition 13.

Not only did he guide the College through a rocky budget climate—from which SMC emerged with a favorable financial reserve and retaining all employees—he did so while championing innovative programs and establishing new partnerships that would seal Santa Monica College's reputation and legacy as a pioneer in the state's higher education framework.

Dr. Tsang revealed his vision of “global citizenship” early on—a first-of-its-kind initiative that instills in students through curriculum, study abroad, and extra-curricular activities the opportunities and responsibilities of living in a global, interconnected society. SMC’s faculty and staff participate in overseas professional development, experiencing first-hand the ancient cultures and progressive fabric of countries like China. This concept of global citizenship took root in a graduation requirement and provided a powerful context for an already-global campus where around 3,400 out of 34,000 students come from 116 countries.

SMC’s reputation as the Westside's leading job trainer was further enhanced by Dr. Tsang's pursuit of greater opportunities for students, while anticipating local industry needs. The College submitted a proposal to offer a Bachelor's degree in a little-known but high demand technology field called Interaction Design to be part of California's first community college baccalaureate pilot program. Backed by over one hundred letters of support from a veritable Who's Who list in government, politics and industry, SMC was selected to offer this degree to meet a gaping need in “Silicon Beach,” the moniker given to the Westside's rising tech scene.

Dr. Tsang pioneered an interdisciplinary model at SMC to capitalize on thousands of job opportunities for students in the Information, Communication and Technology Industry. It went on to become the foundation for a Los Angeles-based community college, high school, and industry consortium called “LA HI-TECH,” which was recognized by President Obama as part of his TechHire Initiative. As one of the leaders, SMC will execute Dr. Tsang's vision of building “pathways”—or faster ways for students to segue from high school to college and into careers—by training students for tech jobs in the next four years.

Dr. Tsang recruited and hired over one hundred full-time professors with distinguished academic credentials to enrich and advance what is widely recognized to be one of the most innovative and rigorous, yet student-centered lower division curriculum in the nation. He also fostered the creation of an inclusive and nurturing environment for all students where the embracing of diversity became an intrinsic part of the SMC fabric.
Dr. Tsang's progressive brand of leadership helped establish an open and inclusive management style. He built excellent, mutually-beneficial relationships with the City of Santa Monica, the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District, and other local and regional organizations. The signing of the SMC-SMMUSD collaborative to expand college-level opportunities for local high school students, and the naming of the new light rail Metro station at 17th and Colorado to include “Santa Monica College” in its name are two such examples. Under his leadership, the College also solved its longstanding parking problems through a combination of an aggressive and groundbreaking public transit initiative and building a new satellite parking lot.

Under his direction, SMC began a long-term planning process to ensure financial and institutional stability. Dr. Tsang has also overseen the opening of several multi-million-dollar facilities projects, including the Theatre Arts Building, Humanities & Social Science Building, and the award-winning quad on SMC’s main campus. In an overwhelming community endorsement of the College, the voters of Santa Monica and Malibu passed Measure AA in 2008, a $295 million bond measure for SMC—despite a severe recession. A new Information Technology building, and an $89 million renovation of the new design and media campus that will house KCRW and the new Interaction Design program, are among a number of Measure AA-funded projects set in motion under Dr. Tsang’s direction.

The College’s service to the community was enhanced during Dr. Tsang’s tenure through the opening of the Broad Stage at the SMC Performing Arts Center in 2008, which delivers world-class performances in various genres, and has established itself as one of LA’s most iconic venues. Legendary artistes like Mikhail Baryshnikov, Joshua Bell, Paul McCartney, and Helen Hunt have graced the Broad Stage, which is now also one of the largest educational outreach providers in the county. Meanwhile, SMC’s public radio station KCRW 89.9 FM continued to deliver culture-defining programming and expanded its web and broadcast footprint, acquiring a Santa Barbara station.

Dr. Tsang’s leadership also saw the blossoming of the College’s already strong student support culture. He oversaw the creation of new programs like the Veterans’ Resource Center and Guardian Scholars for foster youth. SMC maintained its hold as the number one transfer institution to the University of California, also transferring more Latino and African-American students to the UC system than any other community college. Dr. Tsang championed the formation of SMC’s Alumni Association and the President’s Ambassadors—a select group of students who serve as institutional ambassadors.

A former community college student himself, Dr. Tsang earned a B.A. Degree in Linguistics from UC Berkeley, and went on to earn his doctorate in Linguistics from Stanford University. A recognized leader in the field of higher education, he has been invited to speak at venues including the Royal Society of London, and has been a guest lecturer at the UCLA Anderson School of Management and the USC Rossier School of Education.

In a higher education career that spans almost four decades, Dr. Tsang also served as President of San Jose City College and as a dean at the City College of San Francisco. He has taught at Stanford University, De Anza College in Cupertino, and San Francisco State University. He also had a distinguished career in leading nonprofits that served immigrants by providing community-based job and language training.

Dr. Tsang was recently recognized with a Lifetime Achievement Award by the Asian Pacific Americans in Higher Education and a Leadership in Caring Award from the Santa Monica-based WISE & Healthy Aging in recognition of his leadership of Emeritus College, SMC’s free, lifelong learning program for older adults. The Carnegie Corporation of New York also recognized Dr. Tsang as one of America’s “100 great immigrants” in 2014, alongside individuals like Nobel laureate Roger Guillemin, author Deepak Chopra, Vogue editor Anna Wintour, and SMC alum Arnold Schwarzenegger.
Andrew Hem grew up poised in the balance between two cultures: the rural animistic society of his Khmer ancestors, and the dynamic urban arts of the tough Los Angeles neighborhood where his family eventually came to live. Fascinated by graffiti at an early age, he honed his skills with graphics and composition on the walls of the city before following his passion to Santa Monica College, and eventually to a degree in illustration from Art Center College of Design.

With his background in street art, Hem decided to take his very first art class at SMC in figure drawing.

“It was an easy transition for me. Before that I only did graffiti, and I mainly did lettering,” says Hem, explaining why he decided to focus his education on fine art. “It was easy for me to change to figure drawing because of the shapes and cylinders in graffiti.” He is very grateful to Professor Marc Trujillo, as well as many other SMC professors who were dedicated to encouraging him to perfect his craft.

The drawing classes Andrew took at SMC helped him reach the level of professionalism he is at now, because they gave him the strong drawing background that was necessary to strengthen his painting. After earning an Associate degree, Andrew transferred to study at Art Center in Pasadena. Today, he works in gouache, oil, and acrylic, and his haunting impressions of culture and landscape evoke the life of the spirit through the visionary manifestation of memories and dreams.

Over the nine years since his graduation from Santa Monica College and Art Center with a B.F.A. in Illustration, Andrew Hem has exhibited in venues worldwide, including museums such as Portsmouth Museum in New Hampshire, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Fort Wayne Museum, Worcester Art Museum, and Oakland Museum of California. He has also had solo and group exhibitions in Los Angeles, New York, San Francisco, San Diego, Seattle, Portland, Nashville, Miami, Toronto, Zurich, Berlin, and Lecce, Italy.

Hem has flown across the world doing murals in Germany, Colombia, Brazil, Chile, and Australia. He has lectured at Otis College of Art and Design in Los Angeles, Art Center College of Design in Pasadena, Ringling College of Art and Design in Florida, Transylvania University in Lexington, California State University Northridge, and Rio Laboratorio in Colombia. His personal work has been featured in Beyond Illustration, the Society of Illustrators annual, Communication Arts, Spectrum, American Illustration, 3x3, Swallow and Hi-Fructose, among others, and his illustration clients have included Apple Inc., EBay Inc., Sony, TBWA, 42 entertainment, Scholastic, Geo Photoredaktion, DPI, St. Anthony Messenger, Three Legged Legs, Matchbox Studios, Weekly Reader, Time Out Chicago, The Atlantic, New Scientist, the Los Angeles Times, Adidas, and Lucky Brand Jeans. He lives and works in Los Angeles.

He was also one of ten artists to be invited to the White House for a celebration of American Art.
Dr. Nathan Myhrvold is most recently recognized as the principal author of *Modernist Cuisine*, a culinary text on the application of scientific research principles and new techniques and technology to cooking. After his 14-year tenure as chief strategist and chief technology officer of Microsoft Corporation—where he helped spearhead many of the company’s most successful products and founded Microsoft Research—Myhrvold founded Intellectual Ventures (IV) in 2000.

Dr. Myhrvold, a visionary technology and business leader, is also a proud alumnus of Santa Monica College. He attended SMC, then transferred in 1979 to the University of California at Los Angeles, where he would earn a Bachelor’s degree in mathematics and a Master’s degree in geophysics and space physics. Myhrvold earned a Doctorate in theoretical and mathematical physics and a Master’s degree in mathematical economics from Princeton University, and a postdoctoral fellowship from the Department of Applied Mathematics and Theoretical Physics at Cambridge University while working with Professor Stephen Hawking on research in cosmology, quantum field theory in “curved spacetime,” and quantum theories of gravitation. In 2005, in recognition of his distinguished career, Princeton awarded Myhrvold the James Madison Medal, the University’s highest honor for alumni.

Under his leadership, IV manages one of the largest and fastest growing intellectual property (IP) portfolios in the world, with more than 40,000 assets and over $6 billion in total committed capital. IV’s investors include many of the world’s most innovative companies and renowned academic and research institutions. Myhrvold is also an avid inventor himself and holds hundreds of issued patents.


Currently, Myhrvold serves as an affiliate research associate of paleontology at the Museum of the Rockies, an affiliate of Montana State University, where he funds and participates in paleontological research and yearly expeditions. Myhrvold is a member of United Way’s Million Dollar Roundtable and a regular contributor to local Seattle arts and education non-profits. In 2000, he partnered with Paul Allen and pledged $1 million to the SETI Foundation to fund the development phase of the world’s most powerful telescope—the Allen Telescope Array.
Dakota Black  A Fluke Becomes a Path

After witnessing the suicide of his brother and losing two uncles to suicide, Dakota Black became what he calls “a very, very angry man” and ended up in prison for four years on a felony. After getting out, he became a commercial diver.

“My plan was to hide in the ocean,” says Black, a member of the Blackfeet tribe. On a whim, he made a foray into stand-up comedy, something that became a healing process for him. Black has also made appearances in TV shows like Drunk History and Justified and films like Low Down with Glenn Close and Elle Fanning.

He came to SMC to take a few classes on a “fluke”: he was short on cash for a helicopter pilot’s license and he thought of setting aside some of his financial aid. He enrolled in a Psychology 1 class, where he found his life’s true calling: to help people contemplating suicide.

He is graduating from SMC with an Associate degree in Liberal Arts, Social and Behavioral Sciences and is transferring to California State University, Fullerton—his top choice—to major in psychology. Today, he volunteers with suicide prevention organizations and wants to make a big difference, especially within the Native American community. Future plans include a Doctor of Psychology degree. Black is a proud father to his daughter, 10-year old Jada.

Caitlin Corker  Give Yourself a Chance

Down on her luck, Caitlin Corker didn't know what to do. Her parents were divorced, her uncle passed away, and everything fell apart at home. She attended Humboldt State University, where she struggled to get by and left the university with a 1.29 GPA. She worked for a few years and decided to go back to school.

Despite feeling discouraged, Corker still had hope and dreamed about going to UCLA one day.

“I knew I needed to work really hard, and I knew my chances were really slim,” Corker says.

She credits her work ethic and her involvement with clubs and organizations across campus for her success.

“SMC has truly been the best experience of my life. It really has. Everyone here is so amazing.” Corker is graduating with Associate degrees in Liberal Arts: Social and Behavioral Sciences as well as Public Policy. She is transferring this fall to UCLA to major in political science.

Reflecting on her success, Corker recommends students take initiative getting involved in student life.

“Take a chance,” Corker says. “When you first get on the campus, it can be very overwhelming because you don’t know anyone. But if you join an organization, join a club, volunteer somewhere, work somewhere, and reach out, someone will help you. Take a chance on that and you will really grow.”
GRADUATING STUDENT PROFILE

Jon Kent Ethridge II
Be the Best, Do the Best, Because You are the Best

With his family in Detroit and a 2.4 GPA from Santa Monica High School, the odds were against Jon Kent Ethridge II when he entered SMC.

“I moved in with LA-area family friends, the Robinson-Bedfords,” said Ethridge, “who motivated me at a time when I was pretty unfocused.”

Then, encouraged by now-retired SMC counselor Brenda Simmons, he joined SMC’s Black Collegians.

He also joined the Latino Center’s Adelante program, EOPS, Pico Promise Transfer Academy (PPTA), and Scholars Program, and became a leader in the Associated Students (AS), serving in the college’s Student Affairs Committee.

Ethridge, a cofounder of the TEDxSMC club and the SMC Student Food Cooperative, is a member of honors society Phi Theta Kappa, and an associate of forensics organization Phi Rho Pi. He currently mentors in the EOPS program and interns for the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District.

“The support of SMC staff and faculty, and my family and friends, empowered me to persevere,” said Ethridge.

Acting is his passion these days. “My aspiration is to use acting to inspire others to find their own unique attributes,” he said.

Ethridge graduates with an Associate degree in Liberal Arts: Social and Behavioral Science, as well as in Public Policy, and will transfer to UCLA.

Genesis Garcia A Long Journey

Genesis Garcia’s story is the ultimate testament to the strength of the human spirit. As a child, she traveled alone on a precarious journey from Guatemala to the United States to join her mother who had immigrated earlier, ending up in an orphanage in Mexico for a year en route. By the age of 13, both her parents had passed away and Garcia was left in the care of an uncle who was not able to support her financially. In middle and high school, Garcia did not speak any English but poured herself into her studies—an escape for her—and graduated from high school with a 4.0 GPA. An AB 540 student, she thought university was just a dream, until President Obama announced the California Dream Act two days after her high school graduation.

At SMC, when a counselor asked her to write down where she would like to transfer, she wrote “UC Berkeley,” as a joke. The counselor helped her realize that her dream was not far from reality. But when that acceptance email came from UC Berkeley, Garcia admits she “freaked out.”

Garcia is graduating from SMC with an Associate degree in General Science and will be majoring in sociology at UC Berkeley. She plans on becoming an immigration lawyer. Garcia credits her success to the many inspiring professors and counselors who supported her and filled the void her parents left, and her Christian faith, which instilled in her a belief that adversity would not get the best of her.
Alex Kierlanczyk  Empathy is Everything

One of Alex Kierlanczyk’s most vivid memories is of the day his father took him to a flea market when he was three. Of all things, Kierlanczyk asked for an old transistor radio. He later took it apart and sat in awe.

That passion for technology grew, but as he got older, Kierlanczyk realized that there was something missing: a human element. After high school, he was accepted as a computer science major at the University of Illinois, where he came to terms with his identity as a gay man. Unhappy with the deep-seated masculine culture he experienced there, Kierlanczyk left to go where his heart was calling him: California, and he arrived at Santa Monica College.

Here, he got involved with leadership groups like the President’s Ambassadors and Alpha Gamma Sigma.

“I was finally able to stand tall and proud,” says Kierlanczyk, who has since contributed to a research team at UCLA and a startup in Silicon Beach. His startup — Optiup! — has grown to almost 4,000 Instagram followers. At SMC, Kierlanczyk also found the human element missing in technology by experiencing what he calls “the best of humanity”: diversity.

He hopes to transfer to a four-year college or university where he can dive deep into the fields of psychology, cognitive science, and computer science to create standardized, ethical Application Programming Interfaces (APIs) that allow users to engage with technology without compromising the altruistic nature that exists in them. He graduates with an Associate degree in General Science.

Daniel Kolko  A Voice for the Future

Daniel Kolko made a choice that changed his life: He enrolled at SMC.

And then he developed an interest in public policy in a class with Christina Gabler, who “taught me how anyone can make a change,” he said. “I really look up to her as a mentor.”

Kolko also noticed that students who were active in campus activities seemed to be the happiest. And he met SMC Associate Dean of Student Life Sonali Bridges, “one of the most significant people in my time at SMC,” he said. “She kept an eye on me and encouraged me to get involved.”

The result? Kolko became an activist, serving a 2013 internship at the California Climate Change Exchange, working to make people more aware of the issue of climate change and what they can do to make a difference.

Kolko also became Commissioner of Public Policy to SMC’s 2013-14 Student Trustee. Then he was elected the 2014-15 Student Trustee.

And Kolko is one of six students chosen for this summer’s prestigious Dale Ride Internship in Washington, DC.

Kolko has earned an Associate degree in Public Policy at SMC. He is transferring to UCLA, where he will major in political science, and plans to pursue a career in law.
Marie Medina  
**Tragedy to Triumph**

Marie Medina became a mother at 16, survived an abusive relationship, and came to SMC hoping to build a better life for her son, Dennis. She found herself in an Adelante sociology class taught by social science professor Christina Preciado, called “Latina/os in Contemporary Society.”

“I related to it and it made me feel like I matter,” says Medina. Today, she is clear on her life’s purpose: to transform her experiences into an opportunity to help other teenagers. “SMC taught me that an education is about growing as a person... now I want to start making a difference.”

Medina will be transferring to her university of choice—California State University, Long Beach—where she will major in social work. When she was going through her life’s worst struggles, Medina never met a person who reached out to her with affirmation that she could triumph over her circumstances. She plans on working with teenagers—those who are going through what she went through. And she wants to do this work in her own community in Compton.

“I just held everything in,” recalls Medina about the rejection she faced before she came to SMC. “I want to be there for others like me, even telling them these simple words: No, you’re not stupid. There are opportunities for you, too—realize that.”

Sure Oeng  
**Change Your Destiny**

When Sure Oeng finished high school, his graduation gift was his parents’ donut shop he grew up working in as a kid. Every day after school, he would help prepare ingredients, clean, and serve customers.

He postponed his dream of going to college to support his family, working to make sure the store ran smoothly. A few years later, Oeng realized he should go to SMC. He is a first-generation college student in his family. His parents are Cambodian refugees who escaped the genocide of the Khmer Rouge in the 1970s. “If it weren’t for them, I wouldn’t be here,” Oeng says.

Oeng juggled classes and work, paying his way through SMC. He took business classes because he felt destined to run his shop, but realized he needed a change in pace so he began taking communications classes.

“SMC gives you the opportunity to transfer if you work hard, if you do well. And it’s affordable,” says Oeng. “I encourage everyone to come to SMC. When you don’t have much money and you’re relying on yourself, or your family doesn’t have enough, community college is the best option for you.”

Oeng is graduating with Associate degrees in Liberal Arts: Social and Behavioral Sciences as well as Communication Studies. He plans on transferring this fall to major in film and media studies.
GRADUATING CLASS
Summer 2014
Associate Degrees

* Steven Abdian
  Rodney Jay Acoff
* Matthew Ruben
  Atfiolun
* Maria Jessica
  Agazaryan
Jose Esteban Aguilar
Francisco Javier
  Aguilara
Rocio Agustin
  Gregory Akerman
* Sarah Al-
  Ghalab
Harisbeth Alejo
  Zamora
* Maksim Alekseev
  Tasim Lee Alidadi
* Rend Saif Al-Kassir
  Lauren Alexis
  Almaraz
Abdullah Khaled
  Almulhem
* Zahra Aloei
  Marwa Alomari
  Stephanye Alonso
* Nikolas Andrew
  Alvarez
Samir Alvarez
* Karen Elissa Amaya
  Lizeth Maggie
  Amaya
* Carolyne Michal
  Amin
* Joshua Abraham
  Amirianfar
* Qin An
  Martin Matthew
  Andan
Robin Ann Andrews
* Steven Michael
  Anello
* Allison Therma Marie
  Angelich
* Angela Anghel
  Leslie Antonio
* Oscar Felipe Arancibia
  Valdez
Ethel Lowella B.
  Arbillera-Adams
* Bianca Dizon
  Arguelles
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  Vignon
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  Arzu
Kelsey Jane Valignota
  Asuncion
Arpad Attila Asztalos
  Elsa Maria Avila
* Andreyna Aviles
  Osman Erim Ayhan
  Anthony John Babbitt
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  Ammarine Jozel Cabiasag
  Bacnis
Quetzalcoatl Badillo
  * Ashley H. Bakshian
  Estefania Baltazar
* Matthew Meir
  Banooni
Christopher Justin
  Barbero
  Katherine Joanna
  Barnes
Ernestina Edith
  Barrientos
Edder Noe Barrios
  * Anat Barzilai
  Maxim Batlouni
  Brenton Derek Batte
  Celine Baudoin
  Osbaldo Bautista
  Sara Stephanie Athena
  Beldja Sjoblom
  Estefania Bello
  Rozel Benitez
  Sahand Benshian
  Wesley Makoto Bertoni
  Sr.
Ayla Bitmouni
  Sarah Bitmouni
  Andrea Maria
  Blitzstein
  Brianda Lupita
  Bobadilla
  Michael Steve Bonilla
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  Kiara Marie Booker
* Natalia Valeryevna
  Bortnovskaya
  Creig Bracamontes
  Quinncy Ryann
  Braham
  Justin Thomas
  Breidenbach
  Yolanda Michelle
  Brinkley
Kary E. Brown
  Sarah Kathleen
  Brown
  Alberto Bugarin
  Esin Bulut
  Morgane Bureau
  Michal Gayla Burk
  Dave N. Buxton
  Ethel Amanda
  Cabrera
  Jennifer Judith
  Cabrera
  Kiovanni Michelle
  Cabrera Vazquez
  Xinpei Cai
  Andhia Campos
  Cynthia Maleny
  Campos
  Elena Jasmine
  Campos
  Cuong Cao
  Xinyu Cao
  Stephanie P.
  Cardenas
  Amanda Kristina
  Carrasco
  Hilary Ruiz Carrecon
  Sonya C. Carrillo
  Zenaida Carrillo
  Shane Robin Cassidy
  Valeria Castaneda
  Edna Judith Cedillos
  Xiafei Cen
  Santos Isidro
  Ceniceros
  Leonardo Ankor
  Cereceda
  Walter A. Cervantes
  Dulce Maria
  Cespedes
  Sharon Cha
  Jacquelyn Jo
  Chamberlain
  Chiu Lung Chan
  Wai Ki Chan
  Yin Kwan Chan
  Angela Mai Chandler
  Deborah Hye Ree
  Chang
  Kevin Chantasirivisal
  Spencer Dean
  Chapman
  Christopher Marcus
  Chappell
  Kristy Joy Charlier
  Cody Marcel Chase
  Shyann M. Chatman
  Mazzin Maurice
  Chaudhari
  Ivan Josue Chavez
  Chengjie Chen
  Ching Yu Chen
  Chuun Chen
  Xi Chen
** Yu Chen
  Li Wen Cheng
  Peter Samir Cheng
  Yesui Cheng
  Antonio Jesus Chi
  Richard William
  Childs
Daniel Joon Kyu
  Choe
  Hyojin Choe
  Eunwoo Choi
  Ina Ines Choi
  Jiyoung Choi
  Kennethhe Choi
  Michelle Choi
  Jonathan Thomas
  Chong
  Joya Chowdhury
  Monica Jihye-Cookie
  Chun
  Gu-Min Chung
  Jose Benjamin
  Gisneros
  Maureen Decker
  Clougherty
  Justin Cohen
  Melony Varda Chava
  Cohens
  Sivan Cohen
  Kevin Cohenmehr
  Amber Mahrae Cole
  Tyna Shmania
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  Calvin E. Contreras
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  Natalie Coolidge
  Cinthya Coronel
  Thais Mega Correa
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  Cramer

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Alireza Daeenejad
Neda Sara Dallal
Nina Dallal
Aaron Isaac Katuta
Daly
Karim Shams Damji
Mohamad Khaled Dannawi
Aisha Daryanani
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Alana Samala Dizon

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Edralin
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Emily Dabora Eliasof
Chante Eliasadeh
Sepideh Elyakamal
Amir Ali Emami
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Sierra Brie English
Faith Anne Erickson
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Ardalan Esakharian
Jose Elias Escalante
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Escobar
Veronica Alejandra
Escobar
Kyle Richard
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Alexandra Fatima
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Alicia Cristina
Euceda
Afshin Ezra
Malin Emilia Fagerlund
Hallman
Doreen Farahdel
Semira Esther
Farajollahzadeh
Elizabeth Fard
Jordan Anthony
Farelli
Farbod Farzin
Vanessa Faustine
Jennifer Fernandez
Tatiana Fernandez
David Lawrence
Field
Shivaune Christina
Field
Chicci Marie Fine
Ilana Natalie Fine
Carrie Cheney
Finkles
Nina Fiouzi Noshad
Alexandra Rose
Flaherty
Annel Alely Flores
Bonnie Biel Flores
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Santa Monica College is not unusual in playing Elgar’s Pomp & Circumstance as the academic processional enters Corsair Field at graduation ceremonies each year. But the College has put its own unique musical stamp on commencement since 2000 by playing two pieces composed by Music Professor Dr. David Goodman—one of which was written specifically for SMC.

Dr. Goodman’s Corsair Overture was written in 2000 for SMC’s 70th anniversary celebration and was premiered at the Santa Monica Civic Auditorium by the SMC Symphony and the SMC Concert Chorale, conducted by Dr. James Smith. The text for this piece is an excerpt from Lord Byron’s epic poem of the same name. Corsair, which means “pirate” in French, is the mascot of Santa Monica College.

Dr. Goodman’s Concerto Grosso is from his score for the 1997 film Darkness Into Light, which won awards at the Houston International Film Festival.

Dr. Goodman has taught theory, musicianship, and composition at SMC since 1997. In 2001 he was awarded the first SMC Ilona Katz Chair of Excellence in Music and was appointed to his second Chair of Excellence in 2007.
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The traditional attire worn at Commencement had its beginnings in the Middle Ages, when the university first developed as an institution of higher learning. The most important centers of intellectual life in the 10th Century were the monasteries. The relative stability of the monastic life left monks free to develop systematic graded education for the first time in Western society.

In the United States, as a result of its English heritage, caps and gowns have been used from Colonial times. About 1885, there was a widespread student movement in America to wear caps and gowns at commencement ceremonies. The graduating students felt a need for significant and dignified apparel for the occasion. The faculty members were quick to approve this practical and dignified graduation dress, and soon members of the faculty adopted the custom of wearing caps, gowns, and hoods.

The hood worn by the faculty reflects the degree and the college awarding the degree. The colors used in the satin lining are those approved and authorized by the college awarding the degree. The velvet trim color indicates the degree earned, for example, white for arts, gold for science, light blue for education, dark blue for philosophy, and so forth.

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