

LATIN & UNIVERSITY
HONORS

CELEBRATING ACADEMIC
ACHIEVEMENT



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PROVOST’S MESSAGE

Welcome to this momentous occasion - the University Honors Ceremony. Today, we gather here to celebrate the outstanding achievements and remarkable dedication of our honor students. It is a great privilege to recognize accomplished individuals who have truly excelled in their pursuit of knowledge and epitomize the spirit of academic excellence.

This ceremony serves as an opportunity to acknowledge the unwavering commitment and perseverance of our extraordinary students. With steadfast determination, they have embraced significant challenges, overcome obstacles, and continuously pushed themselves to reach new heights of educational achievement. Their journey has been marked by countless hours of studying, intensive research, and lots of intellectual curiosity.

We are immensely proud of these students and their exceptional abilities. We believe they are the catalysts for change, the future leaders, and agents of progress in their respective disciplines. Their remarkable potential and passion inspire us all on this shared journey. We are grateful to all the faculty members who help educate and mentor students.

Included in this program are undergraduate students receiving Latin honors and University Honors.

Latin honors are academic distinctions that are typically awarded to students based on their cumulative grade point average (GPA) at the completion of their degree program. These honors are often used to recognize exceptional academic achievements.

There are typically three levels of Latin honors: cum laude, magna cum laude, and summa cum laude. The terminology originates from Latin, with "cum laude" meaning "with praise," "magna cum laude" meaning "with great praise," and "summa cum laude" meaning "with highest praise." Bachelor's degree candidates who graduate in the top 8 percent of their class are designated cum laude. Candidates who graduate in the top 3 percent are designated magna cum laude, and those candidates who graduate in the top 1 percent of their class are designated summa cum laude.

Latin honors serve as a testament to the dedication, hard work, and intellectual achievements of students. They not only provide recognition for the outstanding academic performance of the recipients but also serve as an inspiration for other students to strive for excellence during their educational journey.

The University Honors Program graduates have completed various projects under the direction of faculty mentors. Bachelor's degree candidates of the University Honors Program have designed, planned, and executed original research or creative projects that met professional standards in a specialized discipline or interdisciplinary field.

Every Latin Honors and University Honors graduate will receive a medallion. The medallion serves as a symbol of your impressive accomplishments. We hope you will wear your medallion with pride at the upcoming 2024 commencement ceremonies.

Congratulations on all your achievements, including the completion of your degree. We all wish you well in your future adventures and hope to hear from you as our alums in the future.

Warmest regards,



Dr. Kimberly Greer
Interim Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs



2024 LATIN & UNIVERSITY HONORS CEREMONY

Saturday, April 20, 2024, 10 - 11:30 a.m., Music Building Peristyle

FACULTY PROCESSIONAL	"Crown Imperial" — William Walton
PLATFORM PARTY PROCESSIONAL	"Crown Imperial" — William Walton
OPENING CEREMONY	Dr. Albert Mendoza, Faculty Marshal, Assistant Professor, Kinesiology
WELCOME AND REMARKS	Dr. Cathy Sandeen, President, California State University, East Bay
PRESENTATION OF MEDALLIONS	Dr. Kimberly Greer, Interim Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs
CLOSING CEREMONY RECESSIONAL	Dr. Albert Mendoza, Faculty Marshal, Assistant Professor, Kinesiology "Crown Imperial" — William Walton
STUDENT RECEPTION	You are cordially invited to join us for a reception for our student honorees in the Redwood Grove, immediately following the ceremony.

HONORS CONVOCATION PLATFORM PARTY

Dr. Cathy Sandeen	President, California State University, East Bay
Dr. Kimberly Greer	Interim Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs
Mr. Derek Aitken	Chief of Staff, President's Office
Dr. Lynn Bowes-Sperry	Associate Dean-Elect, College of Business & Economics
Ms. Evelyn Buchanan	Vice President, University Advancement.
Dr. Suzanne Espinoza	Vice President, Student Affairs
Dr. Ana Garcia-Nevarez	Associate Dean, College of Education and Allied Studies
Ms. Karrington Hendrix	Student in Honors Program, Panetta Internship & Obama-Chesky Scholarship Recipient
Dr. Rafael Hernandez	Deputy Provost of Resources and Planning, Academic Affairs
Dr. Silvana Ituarte	Associate Provost of Faculty Affairs, Academic Affairs
Dr. Linda Ivey	Associate Dean, College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences
Dr. Shubha Kashinath	Director, University Honors Program
Dr. Danika LeDuc	Associate Dean, College of Science
Dr. Wendy Ng	Dean, College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences
Dr. Christina Chin-Newman	Chair, Academic Senate
Dr. Ethel Nicdao	Associate Dean, College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences
Dr. Parker Rugeley-Valle	President-Elect, Alumni Association Board
Dr. Gangaram Singh	Dean, College of Business & Economics
Dr. Jason Singley	Dean, College of Science
Dr. Mitch Watnik	Associate Dean, Academic Programs and Services
Dr. John Wenzler	Dean of Libraries
Dr. Kathleen Wong Lau	University Diversity Officer



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DEFINITIONS

LATIN HONORS GRADUATES

Latin Honors at graduation are based on the following grade point averages:

SUMMA CUM LAUDE: 3.85 - 4.00

MAGNA CUM LAUDE: 3.75 - 3.84

CUM LAUDE: 3.65 - 3.74

UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM GRADUATES

Students graduating from the Honors Program have maintained at least a 3.6 GPA, taken at least four honors-designated courses, and completed a senior honors seminar.



HONORS GRADUATES 2024

CUM LAUDE

Areej Abed
Sarthak Adhikari
Mustafa M. Afaneh
Indiana Agote Glaubach
Alexandra Aguilar
Shaylynn Alvarado
Toni Maylinh Alvarez
Lorena Alvarez Vega
Teresa Irene Amaro
Mary Ashley Aznar Amon
Jacob Andrade
Cintia Aidee Hurtado Arevalo
Brenda Berenice Banda
Chloe C. Beebout
Carissa May Blanco
Chenoa Marie Bodero
Curtis Richard Boortz
Areli Briseno Pena
Rochelle Shana Brownstein
Audrey Rabecca Burnell
Dylan Ray Cerezo
Sunita Chalaune
Daniel Chapin
Kaileen Chen
Ryan Crews
Angelica Renee B. Cruz
Erik David Cruz-Rivera
Patrick Neri Cuadro
Kathryn Margaret Cyr
Salma Dean
Rachael Connie Decker
Vicente Delgado
Liesha Cynthia Dhananjayan
Chelsea Decena Drescher
Samantha Ramos Esguerra
Jasmin Estrada
Cristina Fajardo
Josephine Fealy
Brett Christopher Freitas
Isaias David Garcia-Ramos

Dominique Gabrielle Canlas Gatchalian
Colleen Gentry
Kylie Gillmore
Devin Lee Gonsalves-Castro
Danya Damari Gonzalez
Rebecca Nataly Gonzalez
Marissa Granado Garza
Klara Cecilia Gutierrez
Nathaniel Jamall Hamlet
Samantha Tat Han
Jamie Serafina Harris
Sigrid Harris
Yvonne Hernandez
Fatima Hernandez Sanchez
Cesar Hidalgo
Daniel Hoang
Samuel Daniel Hocking
Bryce Christopher Hodge
Madison Hull
Immafrancia Hutalla
William Gabriel Iglesias
Joselyn Elizabeth Inthavong-Flores
Matthew Jelonek
Jermaine Jervoso
Joseph Anthony Jimenez
Litzy Juarez Serrano
Juliann Pua Nani Kalama Bodmer
Kiddist Sirak Ketema
Deja Marie Knight
Shanil Shaheel Kumar
Kayanne Khang Lam
Jennalyn Maylee Laminero
Anson Yat Long Law
Lan Huy Le
Jonathan Yao Seng Lee
Haly Lewis
Jevons Lin
Shasta Noelle Lionetti
Frida Giselle Lopez

Clarissa F. Lor
Tatiana Martinez
Edith Medina
Geraldine Janell Tayag Medina
Moriah Jasmin Meskin
Yentishara Camarillo Moh Hasim
Nikolai Cameron Mollat
Isabelle Cecelia Molz
Karen Vy Nguyen
Linh Nguyen
Gabriel Anthony Ochoa
John Tyler Ong
Erika Lizzet Paez
Nidia Adelina Perez Pablo
Tamia Fay Petty
Naarah Luevinia Platt
Yessica Esmeralda Portillo
Grayson Harrison Pritchard
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Ana Rosario Ramirez
Kiyah Madison Ramirez
Paola Alejandra Ramirez
Rosita Ramirez
Victoria Ramirez De Jesus
Kyleigh Lanee Range
Tessa Ravens
Beatrice Mae Gonzales Reynante
Miranda Rae Rocco
Monica Jessica Rodas Landeo
Haylee Marie Roden
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Francisco Lazaro Romero
Alejandra Romero Rodriguez
Sara Ruiz
Marissa Elise Salvato
Esmeralda Sanchez
Stephanie Sanchez
Ilana Eva Santizo
Alexia Jourdan Barros Sarmiento

Nicole Marie Scatolini
Samuel Gaston Selph
Dana Lee Shepard
Clara Luz Ogihara Soares
Jasmine Solis
Brenda Soto
Dowell L. Standley
Sofia Mariel Stanwood
Victoria Mary Rose Swanson-Oswood
Jessica Tam
Zhanserik Kairatovich Temirtashev
Guadalupe Elizondo Tijerina III
Jennalyn May Torai
Ryan Tran
Sean Huy Tran
Derek Trinh
Tommy Truong
Nicolette D. Tucker
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Claudia Samantha Vasquez
Lynne Kathleen Viall
Keilli Beth Voss
Ebba Patricia Wagner
Daeyuana Arlene Walker
Jocelyn Leannette Wallace
Jennifer Walther
Netanya Lynn Westhoelter
Joshua Liam Whites
Kent Wong
Liana Rose Wong
Mina D. Wong
Alex Michael Wyse

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Alejandra Maria Acevedo Rincon
Anabel Nunes Agraz
Bisola Victoria Akanji
Christina Marie Alavezos
Sara Isabel Andrade

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Geraldine Grace D. Basa
Sharn K. Basi
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Benjamin D. Calderon
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Rodrigo Contreras
Lauren Michelle Costa
Arianna Brooke Creed
Loriel-Jane Sison Crisostomo
Jasmine Abdulwali Dahri
Deborah Fernanda Deleon
Steve K. Demirev
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Yasmen Ghanem
Monicah Gikanga
Triniti Victoria Gistand
Edmel Hannah Urbano Gloria
Cecilia Veronica Gomez
Gabriella Noel Gonzalez
Leslie Stephanie Gonzalez
Katelyn Gould
Zoe Guelfand
Adriana Roscio Guinea
Brianna Martinez
Jimmy Gutierrez-Solor
Jing Haddad
Adriana Pascua Halili
Alejandra Hart
Mercedes Hart
Tianyi He
Jania Ronette Bacud Hebron
Juan Antonio Hernandez
Mayra Vargas Hernandez
Sharon M. Hernandez
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MISSION

Cal State East Bay welcomes and supports a diverse student body with academically rich, culturally relevant learning experiences that prepare students to apply their education to meaningful lifework, and to be socially responsible contributors to society. Through its educational programs and activities the university strives to meet the educational needs and to contribute to the vitality of the East Bay, the state, the nation and global communities.



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