

Los Angeles City College Graduation 2017



Tuesday, June 6th Graduation 2017 Newsletter



Dear Students,

On behalf of the faculty and staff of Los Angeles City College, I invite you to join us in celebrating the achievements of the Class of 2017 on Tuesday, June 6, 2017 at 5 pm in the Greek Theatre. I am certain that you have been looking forward to this day. Graduation brings to a close years of hard work and marks a significant step toward reaching your educational goals. I hope you will participate in the graduation ceremony and provide an opportunity for

the LACC community, family, and friends to celebrate your achievements. Congratulations and best wishes to our newest alumni!

Sincerely,
Renee D. Martinez
President

Acknowledgement of Honor Students

We are proud to recognize the academic achievement of our honor graduates. Your name will be on graduation program booklet. You will receive a gold honor cord to wear during the Commencement Ceremony. The gold honor cord is a gift from the Associated Student Government and may be picked up from the LACC Bookstore.

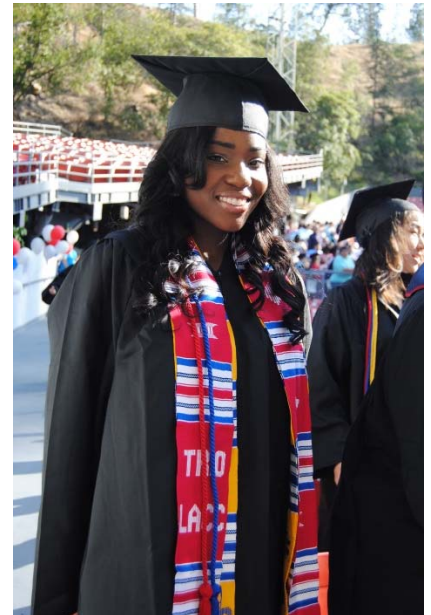


Summa Cum Laude

A distinction awarded to students who graduate with a 3.9 or better scholastic average in all work completed at Los Angeles City College.

Magna Cum Laude

A distinction awarded to students who graduated with a 3.7 or better scholastic average in all work completed at Los Angeles City College.



Participants

Students are eligible to participate in graduation if they have filed for graduation and successfully completed the requirements for an Associate in Arts or Associate in Science Degree. Degree conferral is contingent upon final grades from the Fall 2016 semester for December graduates and from the Spring 2017 semester for June graduates.

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Commencement Dates to Remember

Graduation Rehearsals
Wednesday, May 24 @ 12:00 pm
Tuesday, May 30 @ 3:00 pm
Location: Student Union (SU)
3rd floor Multipurpose Room



Graduation Regalia

Caps and Gowns are available for purchase in the LACC College Store in the Student Union for \$34.95 plus tax. Candidates must wear the college black cap and gown to participate in the graduation exercises. Nursing Program graduates will wear a white sash and all other graduates may purchase an optional souvenir sash for \$32.95 plus tax (sashes available at the LACC College store). Graduation regalia are on sale now.



Rehearsals

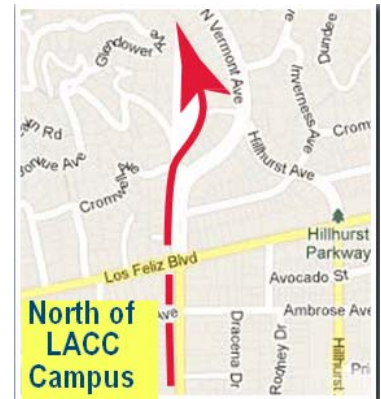
Two rehearsals will be held on campus to prepare candidates for graduation to participate in the Commencement Ceremony. Candidates need to attend only one of these sessions for instructions on the procedures to be followed during the ceremony. See above for dates, times and locations.

Assembly

The graduation ceremony will begin with the processional at 5:00 pm. Students should begin to assemble no later than 4:00 pm. Arrive at the Greek Theatre in your cap and gown. You will be directed to the assembly location. Procession Marshals will circulate through the line and distribute name cards.

Commencement Ceremony

Commencement will be in the **GREEK THEATRE** located in Griffith Park at: 2700 North Vermont Avenue Los Angeles, California 90027



Students with Disabilities

Students with disabilities that require assistance during the commencement ceremony and/or walking to the stage should contact the Office of Special Services no later than one week before graduation, if you intend to participate in the ceremony at the Greek Theater on June 9th. Arrangements will be made to assist you. The phone number is (323) 953-4000 ext. 2285. There will be a sign language interpreter at the ceremony.

Announcements and Diploma Frames

Announcements may be purchased in the LACC College Store. 5 pack-\$11.99 10 pack-19.29. They are optional. Diploma Frames may be ordered through the LACC College Store. Samples are on display in the store.

Class Rings

Rings for Class of 2017 are available to order through the LACC College Store in the Student Union. A representative will be available at the LACC College Store table at the Commencement Ceremony.

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Diplomas

Diplomas will be available in September 2017. For further information, contact the Graduation Unit, (323) 953-4000 ext. 2117 for Beatriz Rodriguez (A-H), ext. 2113 for Victoria Bautista (I-O), and ext. 2111 for Glenda Oneal-Foster (P-Z).

Guests

Graduates are welcome to invite guests to attend the ceremony. Seats are not reserved, so that early arrival will assure choice parking and seating. No balloons may be brought into the Greek Theatre. Guests must stay in their seats throughout the ceremony, no moving into aisles to photograph the event. Guests in wheelchairs will be accommodated by the LACC Commencement Marshalls.

Graduation Photographs

At the Commencement Ceremony:

Ultimate Exposures will be the official photographer at the graduation ceremony. They will be photographing each student two-three times as you receive your diploma on commencement day. You will be given a name card to complete at the ceremony to provide the photographer with your current email and mailing address. They will forward you complimentary proofs of your photos. You can expect the proofs within one week of the ceremony. You are under no obligation to purchase these photos. Photographs are available starting at \$9.00 for a 5x7 photo. If you have questions, please contact Ultimate Exposures at (818) 781- 9530.

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