

Office of the President

May 29, 2010

Welcome to Las Positas College's 20th Commencement Ceremony! On behalf of the Chabot-Las Positas Community College District Board of Trustees, the Chancellor, and the Las Positas College faculty and staff, please accept our deepest congratulations to our graduates, their families, and their friends for the achievement that is being recognized here today. The Class of 2010 has accomplished no small feat, and we celebrate your intelligence, your tenacity, and your courage.

What I know for sure is that a commitment to higher education can change the trajectory of your life, the lives of your family, and the lives of those who live in your community—and I sincerely hope that each graduate's experience at Las Positas College cultivated in you the ability to think critically; the understanding and respect for difference and diversity; the ability to make humane, informed, and ethical decisions; the willingness to adapt to change in the workplace; and the desire to participate in society as responsible citizens. These are the outcomes we've articulated as a college community for our students, and we hope we have served you well in your educational pursuits.

Higher education comes with both rights and responsibilities, and we challenge you to embrace each as you leave this college and make your way to accomplish the goals and outcomes you have set for yourself. In the words of Marianne Williamsom, "Your playing small does not serve the world," and I want to encourage each of you—graduates and guests here today—to embrace the bigness of your life. Congratulations on your success!

Be well,



DeRionne P. Pollard, Ph.D.
President

PROGRAM

Prelude	LPC Jazz Band Ensemble and Orchestra Stevie Rae Stephens, Composer & Soloist <i>We Made It Together</i>
Processional	Faculty, Trustees, and Class of 2010 <i>Pomp and Circumstance</i> —Sir Edward Elgar, arranged by C. Grundman
Pledge of Allegiance	Bob Kratochvil, <i>Vice President of Administrative Services</i> <i>America the Beautiful</i> —Arranged by Carmen Dragon
Welcome and Introductions	DeRionne P. Pollard, Ph.D., <i>President</i> Joel Kinnamon, Ed.D., <i>Chancellor</i> <i>Chabot—Las Positas Community College District</i>
Valedictorian	Jill Renee Elizabeth George
Faculty Address	Sarah Thompson, <i>Academic Senate President</i>
Student Address	Masi Quorayshi, <i>Associated Student Body President</i>
Classified Staff Address	Natasha Lang, <i>Classified Senate President</i>
Friend of the College Award	DeRionne P. Pollard, Ph.D., <i>President</i> Awarded to Christine Mohammed
Presentation of Class of 2010	Pamela T. Luster, Ed.D., <i>Vice President, Student Services</i>
Certification of Degrees	J. Laurel Jones, Ed.D., <i>Vice President, Academic Services</i>
Conferral of Degrees and Award of Certificates	<i>Board of Trustees</i> Arnulfo Cedillo, <i>Ed.D.</i> Isobel F. Dvorsky, <i>Secretary</i> Donald L. “Dobie” Gelles, <i>President</i> Hal G. Gin, <i>Ed.D.</i> Barbara Mertes, <i>Ph.D.</i> Marshall Mitzman, <i>Ph.D.</i> Carlo E. Vecchiarelli
Introduction of the Graduates	Lauren Hasten and Geoff Smyth, <i>Faculty</i>
Closing Remarks	Donald L. “Dobie” Gelles, <i>President, Board of Trustees</i>
Recessional	Trustees, Class of 2010, <i>Faculty, and Guests</i>

The Associated Students of Las Positas College (ASLPC)
is sponsoring a reception honoring the graduates
immediately following the Commencement exercise.

All Are Invited To Attend.

CLASS OF 2010

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE

Administration of Justice

Lucas Capela Anzilotti, *Honors*
Ryan C. Barry
Patrick B. Brookens
Taylor Jordanne Rogers Burruss
Raeshele A. Calcote
Melisa Callender
David E. Earle
Caitlin Marie Looney
Anthony Nguyen
William Woodrow Peifer, *Highest Honors*
Brianna Quezada
Kevin Eugene Riley
Benjamin Sanchez
Jesse Taylor Sanders, *Honors*
Preston John Suess, *Highest Honors*
Jeb Trummel, *Honors*
Tamara Woods–Bailey

Biology

My–Hai Elvina Ha, *Highest Honors*
Josiah James Herzog, *Highest Honors*
Mari Angelica Angeles Sanchez, *Highest Honors*

Business Administration

James Anderson
Roger Boaz
Scotty Allen Cassell
Anne Dohler, *Highest Honors*
Lauren Richelle Evans, *Honors* Σ
Daniel Alan Goldberg
Wesley Lincoln Hilst
Gabrielle Banet Hollinger
Richard Michael Isabel, *Highest Honors*
Mario Lorenzo Jaramillo, *Highest Honors* Σ Θ σ
Megan Ledbetter
Courtney Noreen Lucky, *Honors*
Eric Macasieb
Maria D. Aquino Madrigal
Andrea Nares, *Highest Honors*
Rachel Nelson
Eric R. Pallen
Joshua Saide
Dennis Alan Scheffer–Mastroianni, *Honors*
Thomas J. Turpel, *Highest Honors*
Jonathan Whittington
Barbara Franks Wieskamp, *Honors*

Business Entrepreneurship

Elise Smith Veal

Computer Information Systems

Duane Anthony Cravy
Jason Louis Greco
Kiarash Moshari
Gregory David Varvell, *Highest Honors*
Gladys Ypil Vildosola
Nicholas Allen Williams

Early Childhood Development

Jessica Dawn Ansuini
Sharon Eileen Collins, *Highest Honors*
Jennifer Marie Danan, *Highest Honors*
Cheryl Lynn Evans
Carley Elizabeth Heiser
Denise Michelle Plant, *Honors*
Chantalle Santucci
Ginanne M. Thraikill
Kirsten Rose Wright, *Highest Honors*
Daniel Zien

English

Juan Manuel Saavedra Garibay, *Honors*
Hayley Lynn Hart, *Highest Honors*
Caitlin Howell
Raymond J. Park
Mark Martin Svetik, *Honors*
Teresa Thompson
Alicia Hermida Toledo

Liberal Arts and Sciences

Amy Marie Abbott
Larry Abercrombie
Jean Acosta, *Honors*
Nicholas G. Adams, *Honors*
Amber Alexis Aguilar
Sergio Alexander
James Anderson
Kelli Marie Anderson
Jennifer Lisa Apostol
Elizabeth Marie Armanini
Mark Arroyo
Angela C. Asilo
Nicole Asmann
Michael J. Athey
Gregory Atkinson
Taylor Austin
Asma Ayoubi
Gregory Sy Bachelor, *Highest Honors* Σ
Jordan Barry
Masoud M. Barukzai, *Honors*
Amanda Beam
Colton Steven Beebe
Lani Marie Bennett, *Highest Honors*
Peter Gray Biaggi, *Highest Honors*
Kimberly Erin Bicker, *Honors*
Kristine Marie Biehl
Laila Bimemiller
Baran Birol, *Highest Honors*
Ashley V. Blanchard
Alexander Rodolfo–Derek Blue σ ψ
Sakeenah Blumenfeld, *Highest Honors*
Michael James Boczanowski
Luke R. Borley
Kara McLean Bosch
Holly K. Bossio, *Highest Honors*
Shelly Breidenbach
Stephanie Marie Brighi
Dominic Gabriel Brown
Marjorie Brown
Matthew Graham Bryan
Mahallia Sylvia Budds, *Highest Honors*
Michele Burke
Margaret Kathryne Burns
Amy Christine Burtis
Ryan C. Cairel
Lauren Ashley Calder
Kathleen S. Camarena
Natalie Rosa Remedios Cardoso
Inez Angela Carrasco
Kimberly R. Castaldo, *Honors*
Hector Castaneda
Kayla Louise Cavalieri, *Honors*
Madelyn Perez Chajon
Michelle Jean Chan
Nikole Chapman

CLASS OF 2010

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE

continued

Zarai Chavez–Alcantar
Young Eun Choe
Aimee Roachel Chou, *Highest Honors* Σ
Jessica B.A. Cobb
Travis Coles, *Highest Honors*
Russell Scott Collazo
Sharon Eileen Collins, *Highest Honors*
Gary Eugene Collins, *Honors*
Ashleigh Lauren Cooper
Gregory Correa
Ralf Paul N. Cuadro
Cynthia Cuellar
Rachel Cummings
Kelly Ann Cunningham
Denise Damanakis
Andrew Dannis
Emily David, *Highest Honors*
Jonathan Davies
Karen DeJesus, *Highest Honors*
Ian Dave Illiscupidez Dela Rosa
Pauline Desamour, *Highest Honors*
Elizabeth Diaz
Joel Robert Diestler
Kyra K. Dietrich, *Honors*
Stacy Donahue, *Honors*
Daniel Patrick Donovan
Elsa A. Dorado, *Honors*
Jagdeep Doraiswamy, *Honors*
Elaina A. Drake
Danielle Marie Driver, *Highest Honors*
Marc E. Dumont
Jayme Lynn Eaton
Sheila Egan
Kevin K. Ehsani
Stacey Jo Eiden, *Highest Honors*
Wael Eldam
Jessica Esparza
Alexander Faber
Shelley Marie Fernandes
Rachael Anne Ferris, *Highest Honors*
Crystal Regina Florida, *Honors*
Kassidy Follrath
Adam Leigh Foster, *Highest Honors*
Kelly Fowler, *Highest Honors*
Edward Fransindani, *Honors*
Ashlee French
Raquel Galvin
Cindy Esmeralda Garcia, *Honors*
Ramon P. Garcia III
Juan Manuel Saavedra Garibay, *Honors*
Jessica Ana Gasior, *Honors*
Michelle Gilbert
Daniel Glaspy, *Highest Honors*
Carrie Lynn Godchaux, *Highest Honors*
Jesse Gomez
Mario Gonzales σ

Alexandra Renee Gray, *Honors*
Cassie Griffin, *Highest Honors*
Ashley Racquel Guinn
Diana Morning Hadden
Andrew Phillip Halpin
Israfil Muhammed Haniff
Jaclyn Harris, *Honors*
Joshua R. Harrison
Julia Havens, *Honors*
Heidi Marie Hays, *Honors*
Gregory Aram Henesian, *Honors*
Jennifer Renee Hennings
Mirel Hernandez, *Highest Honors*
Rachel Nicole Herrington
Melissa Marie Higoy, *Highest Honors*
Wesley Lincoln Hilst
Barbara Ann Hobbs
Sarah N. Hollister, *Highest Honors*
David Yen–Yang Hsieh
Tiana Lanai Hughey
Michiko Dianne Imazumi
Renee D. Interiano, *Honors*
Shannon L. Jackson, *Honors*
Mario Lorenzo Jaramillo, *Highest Honors* Σ Θ σ
Nathaniel Arthur Jensen
Nicolas Daniel Jimenez
Smoke K. Johnson, *Highest Honors*
Michael Curtis Johnson, *Honors*
Chelsea Nichole Jones, *Highest Honors*
Steve Gutierrez Juarez
Destinee Estelle Karlson, *Highest Honors*
Pawandeep Kaur
Meghann Kiely, *Honors*
Jessica Elizabeth Klever
Cassandra Marie Koliyas, *Highest Honors*
Benjamin J. Kolina
Ciaban Keith Krommenhock
Rebekah Kronk
Kathy Diana Kuzni
Celina B. Kwok
Louis Leon–Yu Lai
Naomi L. Lambert
Anthony Christian LaPierre
Nicholas M. Largusa
Alyssa Larson
Annie Catherine Lee
Deborah Jamie Lemoine
Jeffrey Michael Lemoine
Jennifer Christine Lemon
Carly Ronda Limtiaco
Bryan Allen Lincoln
Larissa Jordan Lippert, *Honors*
Elizabeth Lisa Littlejohn
Meredith Loggins, *Honors*
Ashley Brooke Lundin
Jessica Lynn

Eric Macasieb
Maria Angelica Magana, *Highest Honors*
Tarana Malmirchegini
Meagan Christine Manley, *Highest Honors*
Nicole Dominique Manley
Jarra E. Maratea
Allyson M. Marcelletta
Elaine Susan Marini, *Highest Honors*
Jeffrey Paul Masamori, *Highest Honors*
Kimberley Maslana, *Highest Honors*
Shawn Daniel McCafferty
Anthony Byron McCann
Lily McCann
Kylie McCracken
Katrina Rae McGeogh, *Honors*
Sean M. McKnight, *Honors*
Jordan McMurdie, *Highest Honors*
Imola Mekereres, *Highest Honors*
Paul S. Melhi, *Honors*
Melissa June Michaelis
Yama Mohammed
Danielle Marie Montoya
Jacob L. Morgan
Whitney Susan Morgan
Rachael Elena Morley, *Highest Honors*
Irene Moshi σ
James C. Mouat IV
Arielle Mullenax
Kelcie Miju Murayama
Brittney Nicole Murphy, *Highest Honors*
Anez Narayan, *Highest Honors*
Molly May Neabeack, *Honors*
Rachel Nelson
Amanda Christine Nettles
Helen Nguyen σ ζ
Reylene E. Nichols, *Honors*
Randy Robert Nielsen, *Honors*
Angela Dawn Nolan
Fariha Noori
Mark O'Connor
Kassi Marie Ohnstad
Michelle A. Oliveira
Christopher Louis Olson, *Highest Honors*
Tiffany Pagtalunan
Maricruz M. Pajarito
Adam Robert Palacio, *Honors*
Phillip Park
Raymond J. Park
Erika Gail Pearson
Maria Cecilia Peixoto
Jose Salvador Perez
Nicole M. Perry, *Honors*
Christopher Francis Pezzotti
Jeremy P. Pfeifer
Connie L. Pitt, *Highest Honors*
Athena S. Pourzand, *Honors*

CLASS OF 2010

Nicole Diane Powell
Jacenia Prado
Jennifer Pregent, *Highest Honors*
Eyad Ahmad Qasem, *Highest Honors*
Rachel Quadara
Adrianna Dizon Quiambao, *Honors*
Ashley Quickel
Masi Quorayshi, *Highest Honors* Σ σ Ψ Π
Katherine M. Rae Σ
Orhan Rafailov, *Highest Honors*
Fatimah Cashmere Rambo
Matthew Ramirez
Reva R. Ramos
Michelle N. Reibert, *Honors*
Jan Reyes
Mary Ann S. Reyes
Jacquelyn Elaine Ricker
Gregory T. Roberts
Cain Robles
Kendell Rocha
Nicole Rodgers
Patricia Rodriguez, *Highest Honors*
Alejandro Daniel Rodriguez, *Honors*
Linda Auxiliadora Aquino Rodriguez,
Honors
Martin Rodriguez
Teresa Rodriguez
David S. Roe
Eileen Rose, *Highest Honors*
Clay Alexander Ross
Julia Rose Rucker, *Honors*
Caitlin C. Ryan, *Honors*
Anna Lise Ryslinge
Ghezal Safi
Joshua Saide
Shagufta Saiyed
Harpreet Sandhu
Jatinder Sandhu
Joel A. Santiago
Justin D. Santos
Meghann Justine Sarubbi–Pimentel
Sean D. Schmidt
Steven Edward Schultz
Brett Wayne Senna
Andiana Marie Serrano
Catherine A. Shakespeare, *Highest Honors*
Kristine Aimee Shannon
Lindsey Nicole Sherwood
Melissa Maree Silva, *Honors*
Amanda Frances Simons, *Honors*
Tejinder Singh, *Highest Honors*
Jatinder Pal Singh, *Honors*
Amandip Singh
Sara Lee Slechta, *Highest Honors* Σ
Tyler Snyder
Feroozar Momerpour Sohrabi
Kevin J. Spalasso

Kelly Jean Spiller
Steven Squier
Ashlee Stephens
Christopher Anson Stewart
Dania Lynn Stoneham, *Honors*
Austin James Stuber
Jennifer Nazarena Summers
Mark Martin Svetik, *Honors*
Shannon Tarte, *Honors*
Robert Richard Michael Tarte
Brittany Lyn Thompson
Bryan A. Thompson
John Charles Thompson III, *Honors*
Amy J. Ticsay, *Honors*
Elaine Christina Toledo, *Honors*
Alicia Hermida Toledo
Claudia N. Topete, *Highest Honors*
Erika B. Torres
Layali Totah, *Highest Honors* Σ
Adam Toth
John Quang Tran
Kevin Paul Tran
Angela Georgia Triantos, *Honors*
Frank J. Trizuto
Thomas J. Turpel, *Highest Honors*
Alaina Margaux Tyrer
Heather Urnes, *Highest Honors*
Christopher Steven VanLooy
Isidro Vargas, *Highest Honors*
Kamrouz Vejin
Jett Velasco
Alex Anthony Villarreal
Randy Villazon
Laura Maria Vlad
Alexandra Devin Wahl, *Honors*
Kara Wahler
William Warm, *Honors*
Lauren Nichole Watson, *Honors*
Jessica Renee Webb
Jessica Elizabeth Weber, *Highest Honors*
Evan M. White, *Honors*
Catherine Rose Wilcox
Adrian Michelle Williams
Marshel Denise Williams
Tamara Woods–Bailey
Rachael Anna Wright
Kayla F. Yabes
Shireen Noelle Yarahmadi
Natasha Noelle Yoo
Birney Young, *Highest Honors*
Gerald R. Young
Jon Zinke–Zagarella, *Highest Honors*

Liberal Arts and Sciences: Business

Lauren Luce
Charlene Marie Reno, *Honors*
Elise Smith Veal

Liberal Arts and Sciences: Humanities

Frishta Quraishi
Mai–Ly Jamae Spiller, *Highest Honors*

Liberal Arts and Sciences: Language Arts

Anthony Bocanegra–Court
Carolyn Marie Calderan
Sabrina A. Hill, *Highest Honors*
Arpina Nakashian, *Highest Honors*
Julia Ann Narlock
Wonkyu Park, *Highest Honors*
Talia Rae Patience, *Honors*
Teresa Thompson

Liberal Arts and Sciences: Mathematics and Science

Zalikhha Barikzi, *Highest Honors*
Kyle R. Calhoun, *Honors*
Kevin Densberger
Elizabeth A. Dyer, *Honors*
Kenny Estrella
Michelle M. Funnell, *Highest Honors*
Jill Renee Elizabeth George,
Highest Honors λ
Bernadette Lee Gomez, *Highest Honors*
Aishlin Nicole Greene, *Honors*
Tamin M. Kamin
Flavian Gabriel Mihale
Tiffany M. Ngo, *Honors* σ Σ
Courtney Kristen Rascano, *Honors*
Julianne Rose, *Honors*
Brianna Erin Schmidt
Stephen R. Suba, *Highest Honors* Σ

CLASS OF 2010

Liberal Arts and Sciences:

Social Science

Jacqueline Easme Alexander, *Highest Honors*
Jessica V. Bias
Taylor Jordanne Rogers Burruss, *Honors*
Crystal Vanessa Marie Camacho
Cynthia A. Campbell
Betty J. Castano
Jennifer Cavallero
Sara K. Crawford
Danielle Renee Crockett, *Highest Honors*
Leanne Marie Darby, *Honors*
Kirsten Disbrow
Corey R. Durbin
Elizabeth A. Dyer, *Honors*
Mitzi Espinoza
Alaynah Fiedler, *Highest Honors*
Karen Lynn Fokes
Kyle Kenneth Geary, *Honors*
Amy Samir Gergis
Peter Goett
Jessica Diane Gowin
Elizabeth Lee Grasseschi
Jordan M. Herzog
Alyssa Hilgen
Sabrina A. Hill, *Highest Honors*
Julie Anne Hopkins
Andrej Joshua Hrycaj, Jr., *Highest Honors* Σ σ
Shannon Marie Hurst
Fayyaz Ibrahim
Aaron E. Jones
Allysha Kidd
Amanda Justine Koos, *Honors*
Kayleigh Laforce, *Highest Honors*
Steven Joseph Lawrence
Francisco Javier Lucett
Jaime Rose Malinowski
Joseph Miers
Diva Mohamad

Candice Ann Newell, *Highest Honors*
Crissy Jean Ordonia
Talia Rae Patience, *Honors*
Sara Ann Phinney, *Honors*
Mariko Sarah Roberts
Jordan Rozsa, *Highest Honors*
Stacy Lorraine Ruppert
Khatol Saleh
Katie Elizabeth Schmidt
Tiffany Ann Schultz, *Highest Honors*
Samantha Ashley Scranton
Jason Seto
Ashley J. Shilling
Kristen Elizabeth Sickels
Louis J. Siegel
Teri Spragge, *Highest Honors*
Celeste Miki Storrs
Stephanie Marie Tanovitz
Clint Taxdahl, *Highest Honors*
Alex Tetzl
Crystal Tocchini
Sousan Towfique
Kelly Lynn Trout
Tracy Elizabeth Vasquez, *Highest Honors*
Jenna Marie Velasquez, *Honors*
Kevin Vondera

Marketing

Mary Lynn Hanmore
Wesley Lincoln Hilst
Lauren Luce
Alexie Beatrice Oyane–Bikom, *Highest Honors*

Music

Stephen Ryan Danska, *Highest Honors*
Robert Henry Gast, Jr.
Darren Paul Ruocco
Justin Susumu Sakogawa

Photography

Kathleen M. Kielar

Psychology

Rebecca Marie Lee, *Highest Honors*
Orhan Rafailov, *Highest Honors*
TeresaThompson

Social Science

Gregory Sy Bachelor, *Highest Honors* Σ
Alexander Rodolfo–Derek Blue σ ψ
Elaine S. Marini, *Highest Honors*
Marcia Tafarel, *Highest Honors*
Justine Marie Whitfield, *Honors*

Speech

Mark Martin Svetik, *Honors*

Theater Arts

Laurel Drummond
Shelley Marie Fernandes
Matthew John Hofstad, *Honors*

Visual Communications

Cory Bardwell, *Honors*
Drake Allan Costa
Megumi Hosokawa, *Highest Honors*
Khine Moe Oo, *Highest Honors*
Joel Jordan Simone, *Highest Honors*



CLASS OF 2010

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE

Automotive Electronics Technology

Gary Eugene Collins, *Honors*
Konrad Korzen
Brian Jeremy Nielsen
Donald Pace, *Honors*
Brandon Thurman

Business

Carolyn M. Moran
Elise Smith Veal
Debbie Marie Wakaluk, *Highest Honors*

Fire Service Technology

Wesley M. Balthazar
Chris Black
Ross Bolin, *Honors*
Ashley J. Burruss
Jonathan C. Heller
Evan Carl Hermanson
Garrett Michael Knapp, *Honors*
Justin Taylor Legasa
Justin McCombs
David C. Monical
Francisco J. Navarro, *Highest Honors*
Matthew Kipton Neto
Eric Lee Stessel
Miguel Angel Villanueva
Samuel Jonathan Wright

Horticulture

Maryln Moore, *Highest Honors*

Interior Design

Lashonda Brown
Susan Clouse, *Highest Honors*
Sara Samy Eletr, *Honors*
Nazila Haghdan, *Highest Honors*
Kristen R. Moore
Ericka Lane Pieracci, *Highest Honors*
Joyce Evonne Shepherd, *Highest Honors*
Stacy A. Stephenson, *Highest Honors*
Joelene Tressa Watkins
Natalie Christine Wong, *Honors*

Network Security and Administration

James G. Burke, *Honors*

Occupational Safety and Health

Michael G. Spade

Physics

Kyle R. Calhoun, *Honors*
Bernard Espejo
James Thaddeus Salmon
Corey James Wharton, *Highest Honors*

Surgical Technology

Kyra K. Dietrich, *Honors*
Carrie Beth Gerton
Karen S. Hendricks, *Honors*
Trong T. Le
Deborah Jamie Lemoine
Dorothy Lee Mickle, *Highest Honors*
Leslie Ong
Reeti Kaur Riar

Viticulture

Norman Bruce Petermeier

Welding Technology

Robert Dean Ehlen, *Honors*
Andrew Charles Hagel, *Honors*

KEY TO SYMBOLS

Highest Honors (3.5–4.0)

Honors (3.25–3.49)

Σ Alpha Gamma Sigma Honor Society

Θ Mu Alpha Theta Honor Society

Π Honors Transfer Program

Ψ Psi Beta Honor Society

λ Valedictorian

σ Associated Students of Las Positas College

CLASS OF 2010

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

Beginning Piano Pedagogy

Kathy Lynn Revay, *Honors*

Business Workforce Proficiency

Elise Smith Veal

Computer Network Technician

Douglas Scott Gnesda

Rigo I. Lujano

Crisanto M. Mora, Jr., *Highest Honors*

Lance Charles Stegeman

Gregory David Varvell, *Highest Honors*

Early Childhood Development: Associate Teacher Certificate

Youseon An, *Highest Honors*

Rosemary Bravo, *Highest Honors*

Sylvia Lorena Del Pozo, *Highest Honors*

Megan Gomez, *Highest Honors*

Elizabeth Logan

Mia Dolores Rodriguez

Andiana Marie Serrano

Marie Torres

Human Services

Sonia Letric Dokes

Deborah Jamie Lemoine

Unika Pierro, *Honors*

Mary Ann S. Reyes

Intermediate Piano Pedagogy

Yelena Dadgar, *Highest Honors*

Network and Wireless Security

William James Spragge, *Highest Honors*

Photography

Amornrat Gault, *Honors*

Heather Mathisen, *Highest Honors*

Sports Medicine

Marcia Tafarel



CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

Accounting Technician

Ronaldo Manansala Dizon, *Highest Honors*

Zhao hui Fan

Carolyn M. Moran

Jorge Malpartida Pastor

Remadevi Ramakrishna Pillai, *Highest Honors*

Prashanti Sangem, *Highest Honors*

Jaesoon Shin, *Highest Honors*

Nary Sok, *Highest Honors*

Ludan Wang, *Highest Honors*

Tin Tin Yee, *Highest Honors*

Hong Zhang, *Highest Honors*

Automotive Service Technician

Darius Robert Carrick, *Highest Honors*

Kristy Codde

Ricardo R. De Leon

Jose Cruz Dominguez, Jr

Alejandro Leon

Donald Pace, *Honors*

Rajwant Singh

Brandon Thurman

Robert Miguel Torres, Jr.

Automotive Technician

Kristy Codde

Ricardo R. De Leon

Jose Cruz Dominguez, Jr

Donald Pace, *Honors*

Brandon Thurman

Robert Miguel Torres, Jr.

Cisco Network Associate

James G. Burke, *Honors*

Computer Programming

Lee Richards, *Highest Honors*

CSU General Education Breadth

Sarah Elizabeth Bereta

Edward Fransindani, *Honors*

Eric Macasieb

Christopher Louis Olson, *Highest Honors*

Eileen Rose, *Highest Honors*

Amanda Frances Simons, *Honors*

Anne Trent

Justin R. Weiss

Administrative Medical Assistant

Elaine Susan Marini, *Highest Honors*

Victoria Wilson, *Highest Honors*

Business Entrepreneurship

Jennifer Trumpp, *Honors*

Elise Smith Veal

CLASS OF 2010

Early Childhood Development: Associate Teacher Certificate

Stephanie J. Anderson, *Highest Honors*
Jason R. Bowens, *Highest Honors*
Justin J. Bowens, *Highest Honors*
Denise Kathleen Carrillo, *Highest Honors*
Jessica Wing Kwan Chau
Hongli Chen, *Highest Honors*
Nanci Jeanne Compton, *Honors*
Susan David, *Highest Honors*
Dominique Elmore
Betty L. Farley
Donna M. Fassett
Rachel Kay Flory, *Highest Honors*
Monir Gholami, *Highest Honors*
Azima Gouhary
Rebecca Graves
Ryann Michelle Haggerty
Karen Michelle Harris, *Highest Honors*
Christie Johnson
Parul Juthani
Sirah L. Kreitzer
Staci McKenzie
Jessica G. Mears
Savanna Rose Meyer, *Honors*
Tiffany Navarro, *Highest Honors*
Nicole Diane Powell
Aurora C. Quan
Michelle Rich, *Highest Honors*
Roopali Singhal, *Highest Honors*
Victoria Stephen
Bhavana Upadhyay, *Honors*
Najia Wahidi
Aleesa Walker, *Highest Honors*
Bei Wang, *Highest Honors*
Kirsten Rose Wright, *Highest Honors*
Danielle Wyckoff
Conchita Jauco Yumul, *Highest Honors*

Early Childhood Development: Basic Teacher Certificate

Rosa Isela Alvarado
Ashley Nichole Fischer, *Honors*
Tanibet Gutierrez, *Highest Honors*
Karen Michelle Harris, *Highest Honors*
Carley Elizabeth Heiser
Staci McKenzie
Linda Cindy Ross, *Highest Honors*
Aleesa Walker, *Highest Honors*
Kirsten Rose Wright, *Highest Honors*

Electronics Telecommunications Systems

Lee Richards, *Highest Honors*

Fire Service Technology

Timothy Joseph Bicha
John Robert Crowley
Christopher Diaz
Bradley Hay
Daniel Joseph Johansen, *Honors*
Justin McCombs
Rufus Miller
Kevin Naas
Daniel Aaron Nenni II, *Highest Honors*
Matthew Kipton Neto
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Ana Maria Vailati, *Highest Honors*

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THIRTY-FIVE YEARS OF EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE

Las Positas College was designated as California's 107th Community College in October 1988 by the Board of Governors of the California Community College system and received full accreditation from the Western Association of Schools and Colleges in January 1991. However, its history dates back to October 1962 when the Livermore and Amador Joint Union High School Districts voted to join the South County Community College District. In the following year, the District began its program in the Tri-Valley, offering 24 classes and enrolling 810 students at Livermore High School, Camp Parks, and Lawrence Livermore Laboratory.

In 1965, the District purchased the 147-acre Las Positas site, and on March 31, 1975, Valley Campus opened as the Livermore Education Center of Chabot College, the original College in the South County Community College District (now the Chabot-Las Positas Community College District). At the conclusion of its first year in operation, Valley Campus had enrolled 966 day students in 117 classes and an additional 1,853 students in 108 classes in late afternoon, evening, and Saturday programs.

From 1976 to 1988, Valley Campus continued to grow in student enrollment, course offerings, staff, and facilities. In 1987, based on requests from Tri-Valley citizens and the recommendations contained in the 1986 accreditation report, the Board of Trustees initiated plans for establishing the Valley Campus as the second comprehensive Community College in the District. The Board of Trustees selected "Las Positas" as the name for the District's new College. Rancho Las Positas was the title of the original Spanish land grant at the College site; the name translates to "little springs."

Las Positas College currently enrolls approximately 9,500 day and evening students each semester. The College offers a two-year curriculum for students seeking career preparation, transfer to a four-year college or university, or personal enrichment. Students who come to the College can choose any of 24 Occupational Associate Degrees, 17 Transfer Associate Degrees, and over 44 Certificate Programs.

The College has provided outstanding educational opportunities for the citizens of the Tri-Valley. Las Positas College is proud of its legacy of innovation, its emphasis on teaching and learning, its distinguished faculty, staff, as well as the accomplishments of its students.

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One of the most colorful parts of the commencement exercise is the academic procession that opens the ceremony. The processional includes the faculty, Board of Trustees, participating guests, and then the graduating class.

The origins of academic regalia reach back to scholastic life in fourteenth century England. Throughout the years there were many changes in the style and color of the gowns and hoods. However, style and color had no particular meaning until 1895, when an “intercollegiate code” established design and color criteria that symbolized academic rank and achievement in a specific discipline or field of study. The more elaborate the gown and hood, the higher the academic degree.

The code, revised slightly over the years, designates three types of gowns, which are usually black: the bachelor’s gown, worn closed with long pointed sleeves; the master’s gown, worn open and having oblong sleeves that are cut out at the bottom of the front; and the doctoral gown, worn open or closed with full, bell-shaped sleeves, three velvet bars on the upper arms and velvet panels down the front.

Each hood has a velvet edge of varying width according to degree. The color of the velvet trim indicates the field or department of learning in which the degree was earned. The hood lining designates the colors of the institution conferring the degree. Some say the traditional black mortarboard cap is representative of the scholar’s books; others say that it represents the quadrangular layout of the typical university campus or the mortarboard of the master worker.

DISCIPLINES

Agriculture	<i>Maize</i>	Arts, Letters, Humanities	<i>White</i>
Commerce, Accountancy, Business	<i>Drab</i>	Dentistry	<i>Lilac</i>
Economics	<i>Copper</i>	Education	<i>Light Blue</i>
Engineering	<i>Orange</i>	Fine Arts and Architecture	<i>Brown</i>
Forestry	<i>Russet</i>	Journalism	<i>Crimson</i>
Law	<i>Purple</i>	Library Science	<i>Lemon</i>
Medicine	<i>Green</i>	Music	<i>Pink</i>
Nursing	<i>Apricot</i>	Oratory (Speech)	<i>Silver Gray</i>
Pharmacy	<i>Olive Green</i>	Philosophy	<i>Dark Blue</i>
Physical Education	<i>Sage Green</i>	Public Administration	<i>Peacock Blue</i>
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