California State University,
Dominguez Hills
Commencement

MAY 17 & 18, 2019
COMMENCEMENT 2019
Dignity Health Sports Park Tennis Stadium

FRIDAY – MAY 17, 2019

9:00 A.M. UNDERGRADUATE CEREMONY
COLLEGE OF NATURAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
Anthropology, Behavioral Science, Biochemistry, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Computer Technology, Earth Science, Geography, Geology, Information Technology, Mathematics, Psychology, Physics

COLLEGE OF EXTENDED AND INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION
Quality Assurance

1:30 P.M. UNDERGRADUATE CEREMONY
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND PUBLIC POLICY
Applied Studies, Business Administration, Public Administration

6:30 P.M. UNDERGRADUATE CEREMONY
COLLEGE OF HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND NURSING
Child Development, Clinical Science, Health Science, Human Services, Nursing
COMMENCEMENT 2019
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SATURDAY – MAY 18, 2019

9:00 A.M. UNDERGRADUATE CEREMONY

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES
Advertising and Public Relations, Africana Studies, Art, Chicana/Chicano Studies, Communications, Digital Media Arts, English, Film, Television and Media, History, Interdisciplinary Studies, Journalism, Labor Studies, Music, Negotiation, Conflict Resolution and Peacebuilding, Philosophy, Spanish, Theatre Arts

COLLEGE OF HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND NURSING
Physical Education

COLLEGE OF NATURAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
Political Science

1:30 P.M. UNDERGRADUATE CEREMONY

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND PUBLIC POLICY
Criminal Justice Administration

COLLEGE OF NATURAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
Sociology

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
Liberal Studies

6:30 P.M. GRADUATE CEREMONY

ALL COLLEGES
Dear Toro Graduates,

On behalf of the faculty, staff, and senior administration of California State University, Dominguez Hills, I extend congratulations to the Class of 2019.

You have now crossed a threshold and are armed with vital tools for success in the pursuit of your professional and career endeavors. Your educational experiences, both within and outside the classroom, have prepared you well to acquire and disseminate facts and data; critically analyze information; deliver cogent arguments; engage and persuade others with your voice; challenge your existing biases and preconceived notions; and to work collaboratively within our diverse campus and community, our diverse state of California, and our diverse and global world. These are transferable assets that will serve you well in any and all of your endeavors. Take comfort in knowing that as you continue to pursue your goals and aspirations, you are poised and better positioned to engage the possibilities, options, and challenges that come your way.

Commencement is a time for celebration and a time to reflect on and appreciate the road you have traveled, and the journey that has brought you to this space in time. Since beginning your pursuit of higher education, you have grown intellectually, emotionally, socially, and perhaps also spiritually. Today, you arrive at CSUDH’s Commencement 2019 having earned a college degree and realized a “dream” or goal that you have worked diligently towards. It is indeed a precious personal goal that you have achieved, because in graduating today, according to U.S. Census Bureau, you are now among only 33.4 percent of American adults who hold a bachelor’s or higher degree. It is a cause for much joy and exuberance, and on behalf of the entire university, we join in celebrating your success.

Your road to commencement has been a journey influenced by many who have been involved and played critical roles in your achievement. Today, as you graduate from CSUDH, we also recognize and applaud your families, friends, significant others, faculty, advisors and mentors who have supported, motivated, taught and inspired you to persist and to succeed.

As members of the Class of 2019, you join a vibrant and growing group of over 100,000 CSUDH alumni who are transforming communities throughout Southern California and the nation. Whether you plan to progress directly into a career, or to attain further education at the graduate and professional school level, I encourage you to stay connected and engaged with CSUDH—your university, through your support and by returning to share your experience and Toro enthusiasm as mentors and advocates for our students. I also invite you to join the CSUDH alumni association. Our Toro nation is strengthened by your continued involvement and engagement.

Best wishes for your continued success,

Thomas A. Parham, Ph.D.  President
California State University, Dominguez Hills
Dear Class of 2019,

Today, you are in many ways different from the person you were on your first day on campus. In your time at the California State University, you have transformed from someone who learns about innovations in your field into a person fully capable of advancing those innovations.

Your educational transformation was spurred by your faculty, who trained you to look at the world with a critical eye and an open mind. Their efforts were supported by the work of your counselors, advisors, librarians, tutors and coaches who created an encouraging environment for you to succeed. All the while, your family, friends, colleagues and loved ones kept you motivated and saw you through your academic journey.

Your accomplishment today fills all of them—indeed all of us—with pride.

You are now part of the 3.7 million CSU alumni who are powering California, the nation and the world. These alumni are solving our greatest challenges, educating the next generation, fighting for equality and creating new opportunities for economic prosperity.

I encourage you to stay connected to the CSU. Use these connections—both to your campus and to other CSU alumni—to expand your opportunities and to make a meaningful impact on your community and the world. I also encourage you to support the generations who endeavor to follow in your footsteps.

The word we use to commemorate an earned university degree is “commencement.” This is, of course, deliberate. Today is not an end, but rather a beginning. And as you embark upon your life’s journey, may your hard work and sacrifices pay dividends far beyond today’s celebration, both in your life and in the lives of those around you.

Congratulations, California State University Class of 2019. I look forward to all that you will accomplish.

Sincerely,

Dr. Timothy P. White, Chancellor
California State University
EX OFFICIO TRUSTEES

The Honorable
Gavin Newsom
Governor of California

The Honorable
Eleni Kounalakis
Lieutenant Governor of California

The Honorable
Anthony Rendón
Speaker of the Assembly

The Honorable
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State Superintendent of Public Instruction

Dr. Timothy P. White
Chancellor of the California State University

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COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER
Dr. Rosemary Diaz
Optics Engineer, Jet Propulsion Laboratory
Class of ’00, B.S. Physics

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THE PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL

PRESENTATION OF COLORS AND NATIONAL ANTHEM
Dr. Michael E. Spagna
Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs
CSU Dominguez Hills ROTC Color Guard
Gabriella Padilla
Music, Class of 2019

PLATFORM PARTY INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME
Dr. Thomas A. Parham
President

INTRODUCTION OF THE COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER
Dr. Michael E. Spagna
Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS AND ALUMNI PINNING
Dr. Rosemary Diaz
Optics Engineer, Jet Propulsion Laboratory
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RECOGNITION OF HONORS RECIPIENTS
Dr. Michael E. Spagna
Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs

PRESENTATION OF CLASS FOR CONFERRAL
Dr. Michael E. Spagna
Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES AND PRESENTATION OF BACCALAUREATE DEGREE CANDIDATES
Dr. Thomas A. Parham
President

CONGRATULATIONS
Mr. Christian Jackson
President, Associated Students, Inc.

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Dr. Thomas A. Parham
President

RECESSIONAL
Rosemary Diaz is an optics engineer for Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL). She leads a team of engineers whose work on optical testbeds has contributed to the design and development of technologies used in space exploration.

Diaz joined JPL as a summer student after receiving her bachelor’s degree from California State University, Dominguez Hills. She continued working there part-time while pursuing her graduate degrees from UCLA. For the past 19 years, Diaz has worked on a wide range of projects, including the Space Interferometry Mission, Terrestrial Planet Finder, Orbiting Carbon Observatory, and the Wide Field Infrared Survey Telescope (WFIRST) Coronagraph.

As a woman working in high technology, Diaz is active in encouraging more young women to pursue careers in science. She credits the mentorship and support she received at CSUDH with helping inspire her to persist in her engineering pursuits. Especially significant was the chance to work as an undergraduate student research assistant in the international Super-Kamiokande neutrino physics study, for which she traveled to the Kamioka Observatory’s Institute for Cosmic Ray Research in Hida, Japan.

Diaz earned her Bachelor of Science in Physics from California State University, Dominguez Hills in 2000. She received her Master of Science (2004) and Ph.D. (2008) in Electrical Engineering, with a concentration in Photonics and Optoelectronics, from UCLA.
BACHELOR OF ARTS

ANTHROPOLOGY
Monica Natalie Acevedo Guerrero
Nayely Barajas
Cum Laude
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Arlene Barraza
Andrew Tyler Burnell
Alexis Joseph Capistran
Christopher Jeremiah Casillas
Andres Juan Dominguez
Matthew Alexander Fusco
Michelle Stephanie Garcia
Michael David Garr
Xamar Orif Martinez Gil
Shirene K. McKinney
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Samuel Mejia
Nicole Michel
Kassandra Renee Paysse
Lindsay Nicole Rabas
Cristina Ramirez
Samantha Renee Sanchez
Lilibeth Abigail Tome
Armando Villalpando

BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE
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Shimika Latrice Blackwell
Madeline Petra Calixte
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De’a Shavonni Durusseaux
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Ivan Gonzalez
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Tyler Marie Henry
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Liliana Perez

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Brandi Robinson
Jennifer Maryann Robles
Kathleen Romo
Nancy Sanchez
Paige Elizabeth Sarpy
Vickie Torres
Matthew Joseph Vincent
Karina Marie Waller
Hanna Elizabeth Warren

BIOLOGY
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Aireen Aquino Jude
Jimmy Lee
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Valerie Nicole Leonard
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Ariana Sanchez-Bravo

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Isabel Mata
George Lee Prado

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Gerardo Arzola
Kenneth Daya Bacos
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Hunter Karl Boleman
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Lawrence Carlo Merriweather
Cynical Vashun Mills
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Arno Frederick Roessler
Edgar Omar Ruano Carias
Alfredo Ruiz
Andres Ruvalcaba
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Jesus Onesimo Salazar
Horacio Santoyo
Jeremy Asher Smith
Jose De Jesus Sosa Alcazar
Yohji Takayoshi  
Magna Cum Laude  
Maurie Jean Tarlac  
Keddye Judith Torres  
Jaden Duy Tran  
Christopher Lee Truitt  
Kiara Alanna Janae Wilcox  
Dasanti Yem  
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Ruth Ann Isaz Allen  
Cum Laude  
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Josefina Elizabeth Alvarado  
Junior Alvarez  
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Denice Galacgac Anonuevo  
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Maleaha Renee Barrett  
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Marlene Barton  
Laura Chris Bauer  
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Ricardo Beltran  
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Chernaine Nicole Bender  
Alfredo Benitez  
Cum Laude  
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Richard Lynn Booth  
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Clarissa Raquel Canal  
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Daisy Carrillo  
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Mayra Hernandez
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Alyssa Lavern Marshall
Felicia Denise Marshall
Jayma Simone Martin
Berencie Martin Del Campo
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Gerald Martinez
Kiara Judith Martinez
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Darcinea Vea Moore
Lupe Moorhouse
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Sommer Rose Murphy
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Teresa Van Nguyen
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Jacqueline Pineda
Karren Azuela Pineda
Marjorie Calaguas Pineda
Paula Rocio Pirir
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Sharde M. Porter
Eboni Dashawn Prescott
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Paulette Andrea Pulido
Lizette Yolanda Quechol
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Javier Quiroz
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Veronica Ivetz Ramirez
Daisy Ramos
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Kendy Gabriela Remigio Paredes
Kathleen Lauraya Revatars
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Janelly Guadalupe Reyes
Princess Elizabeth Boladas Reyes
Candy Altagracia Rincon
Alejandro Rios
Stephanie Rios
Alejandra Rivera
Angela Rivera
Justin Matthew Rivera
Christian Ivan Rivero
Marcos Robledo
Sarisha Tare Roby
Alicia Rodriguez
Cum Laude
Giovani Rodriguez
Karla Jeanette Rodriguez
Erika Rosales
Andrea Ruiz
Veronica Ruiz
Samantha Ann Salamanca
Dafne Ileana Salgado
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Paulina Sanchez
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Katherina Fiorella Shiraki
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Jessica Alejandra Soriano
Jorge Alberto Soriano
Bianca Soto  
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Julia Soto

Briana Jeanette Spindola

Lauren Ann Starres

Evan Alan Steinberg  
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Denisse Suarez

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Facundo Jean Paul Tanta

Jenevie Marie Tena

Fredrick Walter Theus

Cierra Cheyenne Thomas

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Alan Manuel Torres

Barbara G. Torres

Gerardo A. Torres  
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Saralee Guadalupe Torres

Vanessa Torres

Jennifer Evelia Torres-Flores

Stephanie Tran

Ofelia Trigo

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Julia Tylock

Henry A. Ulloa

Madeline Yessenia Umanzor

Liliana Marie Urquizo  
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Daniel Vazquez

Elizabeth Vazquez

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As CEO, Kelly oversaw the transformation of Staffactory’s operating models, aligning them better with market demands and sharpening the company’s focus on delivering excellent service to all clients. Staffactory’s mission is to match talented IT professionals with private and public organizations, helping to transform the IT labor marketplace. Kelly is known as a hands-on executive who is involved in every aspect of the company’s activities. She encourages innovation from her team and has built a firm dedicated to ethics, integrity, and customer satisfaction.

Prior to joining Staffactory, Kelly founded the successful security guard firm, City National Security Services, using her personal savings to finance the company. City National Security Services eventually grew to employ over 5,000 employees.

Kelly holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with a concentration in accounting from California State University, Dominguez Hills, and serves on the CSUDH Philanthropic Foundation board of directors. She has also served as president of the CSUDH Alumni Association, and continues to work with the university on matters of advocacy, alumni giving, and programming.
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As a three-time Olympic medalist and world record holder, who remains the fastest woman alive, California State University, Dominguez Hills alumna Carmelita Jeter is one of the most accomplished female track and field athletes in the United States.

A Southern California native, Jeter started her athletic career as a basketball player at Torrance’s Bishop Montgomery High School. In order to stay fit during the off-season, Jeter tried out for the track and field team. From the moment she stepped onto the track, her incredible sprinting talent was impossible to ignore.

After high school, Jeter enrolled at CSUDH, where she became the most decorated athlete in university history. She set five CSUDH records that still stand, and won six All-America awards. Jeter graduated in 2006 with her Bachelor of Arts in Physical Education.

Jeter entered the professional track and field circuit in 2007. In 2009, at the Shanghai Golden Grand Prix, Jeter finished with a winning time of 10.64 seconds, giving her a spot in history as the second-fastest woman ever in the 100 meters.

At the 2012 Olympic Games in London, she anchored the U.S. 4 x 100m team that took home gold by smashing the previous world record by more than half a second. Jeter also became one of the few U.S. athletes to medal in the 100 and 200 meters in the same Olympic Games. For her achievements, Jeter was named the Los Angeles Sports Woman of the Year and received the USA Track and Field Association’s Jesse Owens Award, the highest accolade in the sport.

Jeter is deeply involved in community and philanthropic efforts, particularly those focused on health and fitness. She has served as the official ambassador for the Healthy Compton initiative, a citywide program that promotes healthy lifestyle choices. In 2015, she was named the official ambassador for Susan G. Komen’s California Circle of Promise Initiative, to help raise breast cancer awareness among African American women.

Jeter retired from professional competition in 2017. She is currently the assistant track and field coach at Missouri State University, and is a frequent motivational speaker on the power of determination and following one’s dreams.
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Joseph “Joe” Herrera is the corporate vice president of human resources for Anschutz Entertainment Group (AEG). He is responsible for the strategic management of human resources throughout the entire organization.

Before his tenure at AEG, Herrera worked at UPS, where he started off as a driver while attending Los Angeles Harbor College and California State University, Dominguez Hills. Herrera got his first taste of management work during a 1996 Teamsters strike, when he served as a successful strike captain. He was soon asked to go into management and became a supervisor in the labor relations department, where he dealt with issues such as grievances and arbitration hearings.

Herrera joined AEG in 2005 as the employee relations manager, advising on workplace issues with personnel for all the company’s entities. In 2006, he was promoted to director of human resources for AEG’s STAPLES Center, and in 2008 was tasked with the staffing and management for the NOKIA Theatre at L.A. LIVE. Herrera was promoted to his current position in 2014, where he oversees human resources, employees, systems payroll, compensation, benefits, and talent management.

Herrera received his Bachelor of Arts in Labor Studies from California State University, Dominguez Hills in 1999.
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Jan Vogel has served as the executive director of the South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) since its inception over 37 years ago. Under his leadership, SBWIB has been a leader in workforce innovation and had won national awards for its development activities and business services, including receiving two of the largest federal National Emergency Grants in history from the Department of Labor.

SBWIB has been responsible for training or retraining tens of thousands of laid-off workers, local residents, and youth during Vogel’s tenure as executive director. A noted leader in apprenticeship development, he has spearheaded numerous efforts to establish apprenticeship programs throughout the area. He was instrumental in the creation of the I-TRAIN system, a region-wide training directory that ensures that students and job seekers are getting high-quality education and training.

Vogel received both his Master of Arts in Education and Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and Economics from California State University, Dominguez Hills. Additionally, he holds a California Administrative Services Credential from California State University, Long Beach, and a Lifetime K-12 Teaching Credential. He has served as an adjunct professor in the School of Professional Studies at Pepperdine University.

Vogel has been the recipient of numerous prestigious awards, including the 2008 CSUDH Alumni Advocate of the Year, the Friend of Education Award, and the City of Hawthorne’s 2018 Citizen of the Year Award. He currently serves as the Chairperson of the California Workforce Association (CWA), and has participated in numerous workforce and educational boards.
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Ted Ross is the chief information officer for the City of Los Angeles, and general manager of the city’s Information Technology Agency (ITA). His department delivers enterprise IT services to 48,000 employees across 42 city departments, and provides digital services to over 4 million local residents.

Appointed to his current position by Mayor Eric Garcetti in 2005, Ross is a passionate advocate for technology with over 22 years of public and private sector experience. He is a noted expert on smart cities and innovation, and has written feature articles on the topics for *Fortune Magazine* and *The Economist*, among other publications. Ross has been an invited speaker at technology conferences and forums all over the world, including the Milkin Institute, Wall Street Journal CIO Summit, Microsoft Gov Tech Summit, and NASSCOM, India’s largest IT conference.

Ross has received many awards and accolades during his career, including the Los Angeles Business Journal’s 2018 CIO of the Year award. He has also been named one of the Top 25 Doers and Dreamers by *Government Technology Magazine*, and his department took home the 2017 Best Cybersecurity Team award from *Secure Computing Magazine*. During Ross’ tenure with the city, Los Angeles was named the #1 Digital City in America in 2016, 2017, and 2018 by the Center for Digital Government.

Ross received his MBA in General Management from California State University, Dominguez Hills in 2005. He is dedicated to passing on his knowledge to the next generation, and has volunteered as a guest lecturer at CSUDH and USC, as well as participated in CSUDH’s Professor for a Day program.
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COMMENCEMENT
TRADITIONS
The tradition of wearing academic gowns, mortarboard caps, tassels and hoods, and the carrying of the University Mace originated in Europe during the middle ages and has been an integral feature of American academic tradition since the end of the nineteenth century. The gown is held to be an adaptation of the robe of the friar or priest; the hood, the monk’s cowl; and the mortarboard cap recalls the skull cap.

For each of the degree levels, bachelor’s, master’s and doctoral, the gown sleeves indicate the degree held by the wearer. The bachelor’s gown is a yoked, closed-front garment with long, pointed sleeves. The master’s can be worn open or closed and has long sleeves, usually closed but slit above the elbow. The doctoral gown has full, bell-shaped sleeves and is trimmed with velvet panels down the front and has velvet bars on each sleeve. The color of the panels and bars is often varied to indicate the academic discipline in which the doctoral degree was earned. The length and shape of the hood also indicate the highest degree earned by the wearer. The color of the velvet border on any hood indicates the wearer’s field of study.

Color is an important element of all academic ceremonies. In academics, the colors used to symbolize degrees earned and areas of study are referred to as “faculty colors.” They are displayed on doctoral gowns, edgings of hoods, and tassels on caps. The official faculty colors are:

- Agriculture – Maize
- Arts and Letters – White
- Business, Accountancy, Commerce – Drab
- Dentistry – Lilac
- Economics – Copper
- Education – Light Blue
- Engineering – Orange
- Fine Arts – Brown
- Forestry – Russet
- Journalism – Crimson
- Law – Purple
- Library Science – Lemon Yellow
- Medicine – Green
- Music – Pink
- Nursing – Apricot
- Oratory (Speech) – Silver Gray
- Pharmacy – Olive Green
- Philosophy – Dark Blue
- Physical Education – Sage Green
- Public Administration – Peacock Blue
- Public Health – Salmon Pink
- Science – Golden Yellow
- Social Work – Citron
- Theology – Scarlet
- Veterinary Science – Gray
SYMBOLS OF OFFICE

THE MACE

The University Mace is a symbol of the legal and chartered authority of the president of the university. When the mace is present, the authority of the university is present. Carrying the University Mace is an immense honor reserved for a highly distinguished faculty member.

THE PRESIDENTIAL CHAIN

The University Seal forms the centerpiece of the ceremonial chain worn by the president of the university. Ten gold medallions, each inscribed with the name and years of tenure, represent a prior president of the university and form a chain symbolizing the continuity of university traditions. A crest inscribed with the name of the current president of the university sits at the base of the chain, linking the chain of medallions to the University Seal. The Presidential Chain was first presented to CSU Dominguez Hills President Herbert L. Carter at the 1999 Commencement.

GRADUATION WITH HONORS

Undergraduate students who achieve at a very high academic level graduate with honors.

The criteria for graduation with honors are:

1. A minimum of 36 units in residence.
2. A minimum GPA of 3.40 on all units taken at California State University, Dominguez Hills.
3. A GPA on all acceptable undergraduate work of
   - 3.40 – 3.59, *cum laude*;
   - 3.60 – 3.79, *magna cum laude*; and
   - 3.80 – 4.00, *summa cum laude*.

Students who achieve the above honors may wear an honors braid over their gown and will have the information recorded on their transcripts and diplomas.

PLEASE NOTE

Every attempt has been made to include all persons deserving of recognition in this commencement program. Students listed in this program for the spring and summer semesters are candidates for graduation. These are tentative listings of candidates with the final determination of graduation to be made by the Office of the Registrar at the end of the appropriate term.
ALUMNI PINNING CEREMONY

To reinforce to graduates that they will forever be Toros, the California State University, Dominguez Hills Commencement includes an Alumni Pinning Ceremony, which is lead by a distinguished alumna or alumnus.

The Alumni Pinning Ceremony highlights the accomplishments of CSUDH graduates while acknowledging their transition into the active Toro network of alumni. This exclusive affiliation draws strength from “Toro Pride,” a feeling of collective energy and belonging that is critical to the growth of CSUDH’s new alumni, and the continued success of the university.

Graduates will be instructed to take the Toro Alumni Pin they receive and place it on the gown of a graduate during the commencement ceremony as a symbol of change. It signifies the scholarly achievements of CSUDH students, and foretells a rich and rewarding future after graduation as alumni. It is also a lasting emblem of legacy and tradition for California State University, Dominguez Hills.

ONCE A TORO. ALWAYS A TORO.

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