

ALVIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
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**SPRING COMMENCEMENT**



May 2020





# **COMMENCEMENT**

May 22, 2020

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## **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

*Dr. Christal M. Albrecht, President*

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*Luis Nino*

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# Spring 2020 Graduates

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| Connor P. Abney                  | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| Darren Andrew Acaylar            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Juston Myles Acklin              | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Raul Aguirre                     | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Adeeb Mohammed Ahmed             | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Dulce Milagros Aleman            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Belen Alejandra Almader          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Luis Brayan Amaro                | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| Emily Claire Anthony             | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Jason Rene Anzaldua              | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| Matthew Jerimiah Atteberry       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Ana Victoria Avendano            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Jorge Baldelamar                 | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| J'kalon Jimmel Baptiste          | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| Christopher Julian Barajas       | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| Rebecca Jillian Barbosa          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Oriel Bautista Jr.               | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Victoria Renee Bedar             | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Dahna Bercik                     | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Glenn Bishop                     | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| Elizabeth Tiawnee Bohl Bellajaro | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Angela Marie Bowers              | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Mychael Michelle Broussard       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Kayla Nicole Bryant              | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Esmeralda Burgos Valdez          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Andrew Wade Burkhalter           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Tara Lynn Bussey                 | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Breanna Renee Camario            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Girel Castellon                  | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Elissa Enedelia Castillo         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Tabitha Lauryn Cavazos           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Madeline Marie Cervantes         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Taylor Cheyenne Chapman          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Noah Marc Chicoria               | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| Justin Choate                    | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| Naomi Christina Christopher      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |

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| <b>Anthony Wayne Clemmer</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Hannah Elizabeth Clingan</b>    | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Emily Nicole Cmajdalka</b>      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Yarely Conejo</b>               | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Fatima Aylin Contreras</b>      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Brandon Eduardo Coria</b>       | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
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| <b>Douglas Alexander Davis</b>     | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Lillie Monet Davis</b>          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Martin De Ochoa</b>             | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Daniel Delgado</b>              | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Faith Danielle Dewar</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Bryce Emmert</b>                | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
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| <b>Nicolas Gage Garcia</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Rocio Cecilia Garcia</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Sophia Ximena Garcia</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Nancy Garcia Hoyos</b>          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Nicholas James Gardella</b>     | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Lauren Nicole Gardiner</b>      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Austin Garner</b>               | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Andrea Alejandra Garza</b>      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |

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| <b>Cristian Angel Gonzalez</b>      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Jaime Gonzalez</b>               | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Kevin Gonzalez</b>               | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Luis Fernando Gonzalez</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Jose Luiz Graciano</b>           | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Mikelcey Paige Green</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Brenan Renee Holas</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Luke Daniel Hollas</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Sadia Mahmood Jannat</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Andrea Jimenez Solano</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Joseph Oluwapelumi Jimson</b>    | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Preslie Nicole Johnson</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Rickie Johnstone</b>             | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Odalys Juarez Garcia</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Hanikka Phoebe Abalos Jugo</b>   | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Hanikko Jacob Abalos Jugo</b>    | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Marya Karouni</b>                | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Sean Patrick Keeping</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>JoyLynn Faith Keeton</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Tyler Gage Keller</b>            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Lindsey Marie Kennedy</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Jessica Helen Kilroy</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Haley Elizabeth Labadie</b>      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |

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| <b>Marian Thanhhang Lai</b>          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Mary Alicia Langley</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Caleb Michael Lira</b>            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Dillon Mathew Lopez</b>           | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Emilie J Lopez</b>                | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Kaylee Rain Madden</b>            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Nicole Mancha</b>                 | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Kristi Marie Martin</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Ximena Martin</b>                 | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Christopher Ray Martinez</b>      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Bryce Cameron Maxheimer</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Leah Marie Mayer</b>              | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Hannah Joy McCreary</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Jacob Ralph McDonald</b>          | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Kendra Lynn Mcdonald</b>          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Samira Melissa Medina</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Reyna Sara Mejia</b>              | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Joanna Marie Mendoza</b>          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Nancy Meza</b>                    | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Omar Meziou</b>                   | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Matthew Lane Monaghan</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Shae Marie Montemayor</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Natalie Moreno</b>                | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Makayla Danielle Mostyn Zayas</b> | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Arianna Faith Murillo</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Alejandro Navarrete</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Xavier Daniel Navarrete</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Madilyn Marie Nee</b>             | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Kevin Nguyen</b>                  | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Khanh Duc Nguyen</b>              | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Lillian Phuong Nguyen</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Kip Lawrence Olson</b>            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |



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| <b>Oluwatomisin Emmanuel Omonira</b> | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Karl Michael Orduna</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Diego Angel Perez</b>             | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Victoria Katherine Peterson</b>   | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Kessiya Elizabeth Philip</b>      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Phoenex James Pinnock</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Paige Nicole Platt</b>            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Mary E. Pourcio</b>               | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Uriel Prieto Moreno</b>           | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Destiny Faith Ramey</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Efren Ramirez</b>                 | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Erick Gael Ramirez</b>            | <i>Certificate - Automotive Technology</i> |
| <b>Ashley Marie Ramos</b>            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Doran Taylor Reyes</b>            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Noelia Reyes</b>                  | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Jordyn Nichole Reynolds</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Isaac Richardson</b>              | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Isaac Richardson</b>              | <i>Certificate - Pharmacy Technician</i>   |
| <b>Kaden Cole Rincon</b>             | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Xavier Noel Rodriguez</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Kimberly Rojas</b>                | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Edith Roman</b>                   | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Laura Ruby Laguna Roman</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Montserrat Alice Romero</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Hal Ron Roofner</b>               | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Zaria Zy'ell Ross</b>             | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Andrew Sebastian Rubio</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Cassandra Ruiz</b>                | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Crystal Denise Ruiz</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Pricilla Ruiz</b>                 | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Evelynn Salazar</b>               | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Alona Marie Sampson</b>           | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Aeriana Nicole Sanchez</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Elena Joy Sanchez</b>             | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Citlalli Santos</b>               | <i>Certificate - Pharmacy Technician</i>   |
| <b>John Santucci</b>                 | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Adriana Monserrath Saucedo</b>    | <i>Certificate - Pharmacy Technician</i>   |

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| <b>Anina Elsa Shajimon</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Anton Javier Simieou</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Dubois Davontae Simpson</b>    | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Benjamin Marsh Smith</b>       | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Paige Lynn Michelle Smith</b>  | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Yesenia Sosa</b>               | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Mariah Katlyn Soto</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Logan Bryan Stidham</b>        | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Dalton W Stout</b>             | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Lindsey Ann Stuart</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Jer'ryah Sweeting</b>          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Jennifer Tamayo</b>            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Synthya L. Tharamal</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Michael Cherian Thomas</b>     | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Shalin Santhosh Thundiyl</b>   | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Nallely Torres</b>             | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Andrew Duc Duy Tran</b>        | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Tiffany Linh Thi Tran</b>      | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Gabriel Damien Travis</b>      | <i>Certificate - Welding</i>               |
| <b>Elijah David Trimm</b>         | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Mark Adam Trosper</b>          | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Daniel Valdes</b>              | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Joshua Joseph Varghese</b>     | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Rahul Zachariah Varghese</b>   | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
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| <b>Abraham Velasco</b>            | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Anna Katherine Velasquez</b>   | <i>Associate of Arts - General Studies</i> |
| <b>Kelsey Nicole Williams</b>     | <i>Certificate - Pharmacy Technician</i>   |
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# Graduation Honors

## ***Gold Honor Cords***

Gold Honor Cords are worn at graduation by students who have earned a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.50 as of the Fall 2019 term.

## ***Phi Theta Kappa Honor Stoles***

All members of Phi Theta Kappa in good standing wear the gold satin Honors Stole and Tassel at graduation as recognition of outstanding achievement.

## ***White Honor Cords***

Honors Program graduates, guided by their professor-mentors, have earned at least 12 hours of credit through the Honors Program, completing independent study projects in the courses for which they earned honors credit. These projects are done in addition to the regular course material and are presented in a student conference at the end of the semester; furthermore, the students must maintain at least a B average in any course for which they earn honors credit.

## ***Red, White and Blue Honor Cords***

Red, white and blue Honor Cords indicate a student's service in the military.

## ***Green and Blue Honor Cords***

The Lambda Beta Society is the national honor society for respiratory care programs. The green and blue cords are worn by graduates who are in the top 25% of their class and have been nominated by a faculty member for membership into the Lambda Beta Society. The naming of the society is based on the goals of the respiratory care profession: sustaining "Life and Breath" for all mankind.

## ***Black and Gold Medallions***

Graduates wearing black and gold medallions are dual degree recipients that have taken course work through dual credit courses earning an associate degree at the same time as their high school degree.

## Academic Hood Colors

| <i>Area of Study</i>      | <i>Hood Color</i> |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Arts                      | White             |
| Business Administration   | Drab              |
| Communication             | Crimson           |
| Counseling and Guidance   | Light Blue        |
| Criminology               | Science Gold      |
| Dramatic Arts             | Brown             |
| Economics                 | Copper            |
| Education                 | Light Blue        |
| English                   | White             |
| Fine Arts                 | Brown             |
| Government                | Peacock Blue      |
| Health and Rehabilitation | Sage Green        |
| History                   | White             |
| Literature                | White             |
| Mathematics               | Science Gold      |
| Music                     | Pink              |
| Nursing                   | Apricot           |
| Political Science         | Dark Blue         |
| Psychology                | Gold              |
| Science                   | Science Gold      |
| Sociology                 | White             |



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