

UCSD Commencement Ceremonies will take place on June 5, June 11, and June 12

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO COMMENCEMENT CEREMONIES WILL TAKE PLACE ON JUNE 5, JUNE 11 AND JUNE 12

The University of California, San Diego will graduate approximately 3,200 students from five undergraduate colleges, two graduate schools and a graduate program, in ceremonies to be held on the 5th, 11th and 12th of June, at locations across the campus. More than 24,000 relatives and friends of the graduates are expected to attend.

Five undergraduate colleges--Fifth, John Muir, Revelle, Thurgood Marshall and Earl Warren--will confer approximately 2,950 degrees. In addition to the undergraduate ceremonies, the Division of Graduate Studies and Research will issue degrees to 150 of its graduates; the School of Medicine will grant 118 degrees and the Graduate School of International Relations and Pacific Studies (IR/PS) will bestow another 65 degrees.

UCSD Chancellor Richard C. Atkinson said, "The competitiveness of our nation increasingly depends on the knowledge of its citizens. In this rapidly changing world we must be prepared to address critical global issues and to make informed choices. Our future depends upon it. Graduates of the University of California, San Diego are prepared to make important contributions to this complex world--we wish them the very best."

The School of Medicine

The UCSD School of Medicine will hold the first of UCSD's eight commencement ceremonies on Sunday, June 5, at 11 a.m., on the west lawn of the UCSD School of Medicine Biomedical Library, at the corner of Gilman Drive and Osler Lane. One hundred and eighteen members of the school's 23rd graduating class will receive their diplomas before an anticipated audience of 1,800 guests.

Lloyd Hollingsworth Smith Jr., M.D., associate dean for special projects at the University of California, San Francisco School of Medicine and chairman of the Medical Advisory Board of the Howard Hughes Medical Institute, will tell the new physicians that "To Graduate is Dangerous." In his address, Smith will share the observation that graduation from medical school merely marks the passage into a professional world that requires a lifelong commitment to learning.

Smith graduated magna cum laude from Harvard Medical School in 1948. He is the recipient of many prestigious awards, including the 1987 Golden Apple Award given by the California Medical Association, and the 1989 Abraham Flexner Award given by the Association of American Medical Colleges.

Fifth College

On Saturday, June 11, Fifth College will confer degrees to 350 graduates before an audience of 3,000 family members and guests. Fifth College, will adopt its new name, Eleanor Roosevelt College, after the graduation

of the present senior class. The ceremony will take place at 4 p.m. on the Thurgood Marshall College (formerly Third College) Playing Field. Provost James K. Lyon will open the ceremonies. Lyon became the first provost of UCSD's newest college, Fifth College, in 1987. Lyon plans to retire as provost at the end of the academic year. Chancellor Richard C. Atkinson will provide welcoming remarks. The commencement address will be given by Paul Boeker, President of the Institute of the Americas. The Institute is one of the leading centers in the United States on modern economic and political issues in North American-Latin American relations.

Fifth College's student address will be given by Christopher P. Lee. Fifth College will bestow the following awards and recognitions: To Ivan Evans, Sociology and Mark Slouka, Literature, the Outstanding UCSD Faculty Award; to Sue Soyoung Park, the Alumni Award; to Vanessa Hopgood, the Oceanids Outstanding Community Service Award; to Peter Hodder, the Mayer Chemistry Award; and to Damian Cassells-Jones, the Fifth College Ambassador Award. Acting Dean Deana Slater and Acting Residence Dean Nora Nawar-Hansen will present the degree candidates, who will receive their diplomas from Provost Lyon and Director of Academic Advising Susan Cook. Fifth College emphasizes an international perspective for its students.

Fifth College is the newest of UCSD's five colleges, and issued its first baccalaureate degree two years ago.

The remaining six commencements will take place on Sunday, June 12, at various locations.

John Muir College

Beginning at 9 a.m., Muir College will open its ceremonies with its traditional processional by the Cameron Highlander Bagpipers, led by pipe master John H. Rosenberger, at the Thurgood Marshall Playing Field. Provost Patrick J. Ledden will preside, and Chancellor Atkinson will deliver welcoming remarks. The commencement speaker will be William Deverell, a UCSD Professor of History. A specialist in urban history of the United States and the history of the American West, Deverell, in 1993, was the recipient of an Ahmanson/Getty Fellowship from the Clark Memorial Library in Los Angeles.

Graduating seniors Matthew Evans and Josephine Lopez will be this year's student speakers. The Alumni Association Award will be presented to Allison Donahoe; The Lakoff Award in Political Science and the President's Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Research (one of these awards is given for each University of California campus) will be given to Sandra T.M. Chong by Professor Wayne Cornelius, director of the Center for U.S.Mexican Studies. The A. Irving Hallowell Award in Anthropology will be given to Eric Kansa by Professor Tom Levy. The Muir Outstanding Teacher Award will be presented to Professor Ann Craig, Political Science, by Monique Bugarin; the Outstanding Muir Scholar Awards will be presented to Rodger Constandse, Virginia Fiocchi, Derek Gaubatz, and Spencer Wang by Provost Ledden. Muir Dean Chips Dreilinger will confer degrees in Arts or Sciences, and Provost Ledden will close the ceremonies.

Earl Warren College

At 10 a.m., 600 graduates of Warren College will receive their degrees on the west lawn of the UCSD Biomedical Library before an expected 5,000 guests. The welcome address will be given by Provost David Wong. This will be the last Earl Warren graduation ceremony over which Wong will preside, as he plans to retire at the end of the academic year. Wong's greeting will be followed by a welcome from Chancellor Atkinson, who will confer degrees. The commencement address will be delivered by M. Lea Rudee, UCSD professor of material science, who was founding provost of Earl Warren College and former UCSD Dean of Engineering. The student commencement speakers will be John Carroll and Anthony Rodgers. Awards and honors will include the Provost's Scholarship Award; the Dean's Service Awards; the Oceanid's Award; and the Michael Addison Award for Outstanding Research Paper in the Warren Scholars Program. This year's Alumni and Friends Award will be presented to Nicole Fram, founder of Active Students for AIDS Prevention (ASAP). ASAP was founded in 1991, and Fram served as co-chair from 1991-93. Additional awards will not be known until the time of Warren College's commencement exercises.

Graduate School of International Relations/Pacific Studies

At 11 a.m., the Graduate School of International Relations and Pacific Studies (IR/PS) will hold its ceremonies in the IR/PS Plaza. Vice Chancellor Marjorie Caserio will confer the doctoral and masters degrees to 65 students. Dr. Harold Brown will deliver the commencement address. Involved in international security issues for more than 30 years, Brown has served as Secretary of Defense during the Carter Administration and currently is counselor for the Center for Strategic and International Studies, Washington, D.C. During the proceedings several awards will be granted, including the Eric Allison Memorial Award; the Donald Wyman Memorial Award, given in memory of the first Associate Dean of IR/PS; the IR/PS Alumni Award, presented to the individual who has done the most to promote internationalism in the broader community; and the PIASO Faculty Recognition Award, presented to an IR/PS faculty member in recognition of his or her outstanding teaching and leadership.

This year is the first in which the Doming M. Liu Alumni Award will be presented, in honor and memory of an IR/PS alumna who was "a source of inspiration to IR/PS, and the IR/PS Alumni Association in its pioneering years." The award was made possible through the generosity of the Liu family and the Friends of the IR/PS Alumni Association.

Division of Graduate Studies and Research

At noon, in the Price Center Ballroom, the Division of Graduate Studies and Research will award 150 graduate degrees before an estimated audience of 1,500 family members and friends. The speaker will be Fifth College Provost James K. Lyon. Lyon joined the UCSD Department of Literature in 1974. His expertise is German literature, and he is recognized as one of the world's experts on the literary figure, Bertolt Brecht. Last year Lyon was awarded the first Bertolt Brecht Professorship at the University of Augsburg, Germany. Richard Attiyeh, Dean of the Division of Graduate Studies and Research, will confer degrees.

Thurgood Marshall College

At 2 p.m., on the Thurgood Marshall Playing Field, an anticipated crowd of 5,000 family and friends will gather to witness the conferring of degrees on 600 Thurgood Marshall College graduates. Provost Cecil Lytle will open the ceremonies, followed by greetings from Chancellor Atkinson. The commencement speaker will be Dr. Philip Roeder, a UCSD professor of political science and Soviet specialist. The student speaker will be Jennifer Galang. Awards will be conferred by Director of Academic Advising Mae Brown and Dean Francine Martinez. Marshall College will bestow the following awards and honors: To Richard Herold, a teacher from Hemet High School, Hemet, CA, the Outstanding High School Teacher Award; to Paul Saltman, Biology, and Rafael Hernandez, Teacher Education Program, the Outstanding Faculty Award, bestowed by Provost Lytle. The Provost's Award, to Jennifer Croft, and the Academic Advising Student Leadership Award, to Lori Klinkhammer, will be bestowed by Director Mae Brown. To Jennifer Galang, the Dean's Award; to Gaye Johnson, the Oceanids Award; to Walter Magallen, the Alumni Award and to Chandan Reddy, the Outstanding Senior Award, bestowed by Dean Francine Martinez. UCSD Vice Chancellor Marjorie Caserio and Provost Lytle will confer degrees.

Revelle College

Finally, at 2:30 p.m., on the west lawn of the UCSD Biomedical Library, 700 students of Revelle College will receive their degrees before an anticipated audience of 5,000 friends and family. The processional will be led by Dean of Student Affairs Renee Barnett. Chancellor Richard Atkinson will give the welcoming address. This year's commencement speaker will be dean emeritus Ernest Mort, who retired on July 2, 1993, after 23 years of service to UCSD's first established college. Provost F. Thomas Bond will bestow the following departmental academic awards: The Harold C. Urey Award in Chemistry to Julie Loughheed, and the Eric Paul Allison Memorial Award for Outstanding Merit in Philosophy to Gregory Marcus. The Outstanding Achievement Award in Biology will be presented to three graduating seniors, Richy Agajanian, Mersedeh Pouradib and Dimitri Shterev.

Revelle students will confer this year's Outstanding Faculty Award to both Elizabeth T. Jordan, Revelle Humanities, and Garbiele Wienhausen, Biology. The Outstanding Staff Award will be presented to Bernie Clark, Program Assistant in the Revelle Dean's Office. The Alumni Association Outstanding Senior Award will be presented by Matthew Xavier to Anthereca Edmerson. Abraham Broudy will give the student address. Provost Bond and Dean Barnett will confer the undergraduate degrees.

Editors note: For additional awards information, contacts for the colleges and graduate divisions are as follows: Joyce Felder, School of Medicine, 534-3700; Rene Barnett, Revelle College, 534-3492; Sandra Sutherland, Fifth College (Eleanor Roosevelt College) 534-2237; Graduate Division, Indra Perez, 5343436; IR/PS, Leticia Sotilo, 534-1985; John Muir, Trudy LaDue, 534-4390; and Earl Warren, Janet Haley, 534-4731.

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