STUDENT RECOGNITION & ACHIEVEMENT

2021 - 2022

MAY 13, 2022 | 3:00-5:30 P.M.

Cañada College
Event Overview
David Vera, Ed.D., Director, Financial Aid Services & Emcee

Welcome & Congratulatory Remarks
Kim Lopez, Interim President

San Mateo County Community Colleges Foundation
Tykia Warden, Executive Director

Student Recognition & Guest Speakers Honoring Transfer Students, Tutors, Peer Mentors & Scholarship Recipients:

Transfer Program Recognition
Gloria Darafshi, Transfer Counselor and Articulation Officer

Student Recognition
Denise Erickson, Professor, and Human Behavior & Culture Pathway Faculty Coordinator

Student Speaker
Korede Isaiah Solagbade
AA in Interdisciplinary Studies with Emphasis in Natural Science and Mathematics, AS degree in Engineering, Transferring in Fall 2022 to California State University majoring in Computer Engineering

Honors Transfer Program Recognition
Susan Mahoney, Professor / Honors Transfer Program Coordinator

Student Recognition
Gampi Shankar, Associate Professor, and Business Pathway Faculty Coordinator

Tutor & Peer Mentor Recognition
Julian Taylor, Tutor Coordinator/Basic Skills Specialist

Student Speaker
Marleny Ramos
Alumna: Transferred in 2018, and graduated from UC Davis in 2020 with a B.S. in Biochemistry & Molecular Biology

STEM Center Recognition
Georganne Morin, Project Director, STEM Center; Ameer Thompson, Ph.D., Dean, Science & Technology

Scholarship Recognition
David Vera, Ed.D., Director, Financial Aid Services & Emcee
CAÑADA COLLEGE
SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS FOR
THE 2022-2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

American Association of University Women Ethel Gayman Endowment Scholarship
This scholarship is for SMCCCD students who have attained a minimum 3.5 GPA, show financial need, and will continue their education during the upcoming fall term at a four-year college or university accredited by the American Association of Colleges and Universities. Awardees are selected by the Scholarship Committee of the AAUW San Mateo Branch.

Thien Kim Le

Anne Marquart Scholarship
This is an endowed fund to provide annual scholarships for worthy, working students with financial need for college; one at each of the three colleges.

Kirill Blokhin
Karla Chavez

Assistance League of San Mateo County
This scholarship is to help single parents and re-entry students to attend or continue to attend college in an effort to become more financially self-sufficient through education. Students must have economic need. Special consideration given to women and single mothers.

Melodie Bladen
Etivise Latu

Associated Students of Cañada College Senate Leadership Award
These scholarships recognize students who have shown outstanding leadership and made significant contributions to the College through participation in clubs, organizations, student government or community service/volunteer work.

Diana Castro
Xitlali Curincita
Carlos Pacheco Miranda
Lesly Ta
Jeison Velasquez

Associated Students of Cañada College Jose Felix Mayen Transfer Leadership Award
Given in memory of Jose Felix Mayen, a profound young man we lost much too soon, this scholarship is to recognize a transferring student who has shown outstanding leadership and made significant contributions to the College through participation in clubs, organizations, student government or community service/volunteer work.

Brittney Samora-Delgadillo

Atkinson Foundation Scholarship
This scholarship awards deserving new or continuing students enrolled in the College who have a minimum 2.75 GPA and demonstrated financial need.

Salvador Cardenas
Sol Esevich Aquino
Naomi Espino Ramirez
Valeria Guardado Cordova
Edwin Leiva
Viviana Osorio
Alejandra Perez
Elia Plancarte
Janette Rayo
Brett Sullivan
Luky Ventura
Naomi Zarzecki

Barbara McCarthy Scholarship
This scholarship is for continuing students pursuing a career in the fields of Physical Education or Healthcare. Recipients must have completed 12 units at Cañada College, with a minimum 2.75 GPA, and demonstrate a commitment to community service.

Hanen Akrout Haddad
Sofiana Skinas

Big Smile Scholarship
This scholarship was established in the memory of the donor’s uncle whose big smile was the defining characteristic of his personality. In his work as an appliance salesman at Sears, and in his personal life, his big smile made people feel welcome and appreciated.
This scholarship is for a deserving student whose own “big smile” and positive outlook are commendable.

**Erendida Gonzalez**

**Cañada Accounting Scholarship**

This scholarship is for a continuing or transferring Cañada student majoring in Accounting who has also given service to the community. Award recipient determined by the Accounting Advisory Committee.

*Christopher Bracamonte*
*Ahmad Fallaha*
*Jorge Madero Beltran*
*Griselda Mayen*

**Cañada Book Scholarship**

This scholarship is for a continuing or transferring Cañada student of merit who would benefit from textbook support.

*Brenda Penaloza*

**Cañada College Honors Transfer Scholarship**

This scholarship is for a continuing or transferring Cañada student. The student must be enrolled in the Cañada College Honors Transfer Program. Membership in Phi Theta Kappa is desirable.

*Jirou Zhang*

**Cañada College Learning Center Plaque Awards**

These scholarships honor and reward our Outstanding tutors and Learning Center student assistants working in the Cañada College Learning Center. These deserving students were selected by Learning Center Staff, from among many outstanding tutors and student assistants.

In addition to scholarships, these names will also be engraved on plaques permanently on display in the Learning Center.

*Nafas Duntis - Tutor Recognition Award*
*Diana Castro - Outstanding Front Counter Support Award*
*Karla Gaytan Oseguera - Outstanding Tutor Award*

**Cañada STEM Scholarship**

This scholarship is intended to assist a full time continuing or transferring student majoring in a STEM field with their college expenses. Students must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and intend to transfer to a 4-year university after completing their program at Cañada. Extra consideration given to first generation college students and undocumented AB 540 /Dreamers. Up to five scholarships will be awarded annually.

*Judith Arias Escalona*
*Anthony Leon Chumptazi*
*Alexander Nevarez*
*Oriana Rico Ruiz*
*Korede Solagbade*

**Carl E. Ward Scholarship**

This scholarship is for a continuing student enrolled in 12 units or more, with academic achievement and financial need. Awards are to be divided among all three colleges.

*Karla Chavez*

**Castillo Scholarship**

This scholarship recognizes fulltime students of academic merit that have demonstrated financial need. Students must have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

*Ivy Clark*
*Thien Kim Le*
*Deanna Lynch*
*Alexander Nevarez*
*Basilio Rico Serrano*

**Christine Ryland Scholarship**

This annual award recognizes an incoming, continuing or transferring Cañada student who perseveres in spite of challenges and maintains a positive outlook. Recipient demonstrates commitment to achieving a college education. Award made with recommendation of DRC Staff.

*Adriana Lopez Contreras*
**Classified Senate of Cañada Scholarship**
This scholarship fund is for continuing or transferring students at Cañada with outstanding academic success. Students must have demonstrated financial need.

  Jessica Fernandez

**Connie Barthold Scholarship**
This scholarship is for a new or continuing Cañada student who shows academic potential, demonstrates commitment to the community through community service, philanthropic endeavors and/or efforts with underprivileged populations and demonstrates financial need.

  Julio Munguia

**CSEA Chapter 33 Scholarship**
This scholarship is sponsored by the California School Employees Association Chapter 33 and is for a full time, continuing student who has demonstrated leadership skills on campus through student government, clubs, student employment, tutoring or mentorship.

  Carlos Pacheco Miranda

**Dale & Helen Mersereau Scholarship**
This is a discretionary scholarship fund for Cañada students selected by the scholarship committee on the basis of financial need and academic merit. The students shall be incoming, continuing, or returning.

  Jasmine Acosta-Govea
  Kimberly Benitez Mancillas
  Celene Bolanos
  Argelia Carmona
  Jessica Fernandez
  Yareli Fernandez Lara
  Darlyn Franco De Paz
  Alexa Marie Gudino
  Xibo Kuang
  Anthony Leon Chumptazi
  Moises Lopez
  Jacquelin Mendez
  Ligia Molina
  Carlos Pacheco Miranda

  Ana Rios
  Luis Romero
  Mario Silva
  Allison Simon
  Ana Torres
  Undariya Uyangaa
  Fo’Imai Vaeina

**Darryl Usher Memorial Scholarship**
In memory of Darryl Usher, son of Alma Usher, an emeritus classified staff member at Cañada, this scholarship is awarded annually to a student athlete of merit with demonstrated financial need.

  Heidy Arboleda

**Dr. Genevieve H. Cory Interior Design Scholarship**
This Cañada scholarship is for a continuing full-time or part-time student in Interior Design who is chosen by the Interior Design Department. The criteria are industriousness, diligence, devotion to the program and to the interior design field, at least a modicum of talent, and other criteria determined by the Interior Design faculty.

  Basilio Rico Serrano

**ECE Student Scholarship**
This scholarship is for students who have declared Early Childhood Education as their major and are preparing for an AS degree or transfer. Minimum 3.25 GPA, demonstrated financial need, and has shown service to the community.

  Maria Aguilar

**Edward Barthold Scholarship**
This scholarship is for a new or continuing Cañada student of academic merit with a minimum GPA of 3.0 majoring in nursing, medical sciences or biology-related sciences.

  Ntsakisi Mkansi
F.L. Griffin Scholarship
This scholarship is for a Cañada student who is an immigrant that has a 3.0 GPA or higher and financial need, living in San Mateo County or Santa Clara County; preference should be given to continuing students at Cañada.
Laura Roque

Gerald Messner/Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship
This scholarship is for a continuing or transferring Cañada student who is a member of Phi Theta Kappa and is majoring in the humanities.
Carlos Pacheco Miranda

Gus Pagels Scholarship
This scholarship, named in honor of former Cañada English Professor Gus Pagels, is for a current or former English Institute student. Student must demonstrate academic merit and financial need.
Carmel Franco

Hamilton Family Chancellor’s Scholarship
This award is for deserving students of merit from the San Mateo County Community College District. Students must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 and be full time students. The recipients of this award will be selected by the current San Mateo County Community College District Chancellor.
Jamon Roberts

Hewett-Berdon Memorial Scholarship
This award is in memory of emeritus math faculty Jean D. Berdon and her mother. Preference for this scholarship is given to students of merit majoring in Biotechnology, Mathematics or Engineering.
Jirou Zhang

Hohbach Family Endowed Scholarship
The Hohbach Family Scholarship is open to full-time Cañada College students looking to further their education or professional careers, but lacking financial resources or family aid to achieve them. As part of the application process, candidates who wish to be considered should include a personal statement addressing their need, along with a description of future goals they plan to accomplish. Higher consideration will be given to students who are involved in campus life and programs celebrating Latino culture, including PUENTE, MESA, TRIO, Latino culture activities and EOPS. A minimum 2.5 GPA is recommended for all applicants.
Judith Arias Escalona

Iliff Scholarship
This is an award for international students based first on need, then on academic excellence. The award is administered by the International Student advisors, with one award at each college.
Jirou Zhang

Jean Evelyn Letsinger Scholarship
This scholarship is from the estate of Jean Letsinger and is to be used to recognize students pursuing a career in teaching. Students must demonstrate financial need.
Oriana Rico Ruiz

Karl S. Pister Leadership Scholarship, UCSC
This $20,000 scholarship is for a transferring student leader who has attained outstanding academic achievement and is nominated by Cañada College. Acceptance of the nomination is determined by the University of California, Santa Cruz scholarship committee.
Brittney Samora-Delgadillo

Kitchen & Bath Design Student Scholarship
This scholarship is for an Interior Design student pursuing the Kitchen & Bath Certificate. Minimum cumulative GPA: 3.0. The award will be determined annually by the Cañada Interior Design faculty.
Basilio Rico Serrano

Laura Hill Griffin Scholarship
This Cañada scholarship is for a re-entry student who is a parent with a 3.0 GPA and financial need living in
San Mateo County or Santa Clara County; preference should be given to continuing students at Cañada.

Ivy Clark

Lewis Family STEM Scholarship
This scholarship is for incoming, continuing or transferring students majoring in a STEM field. Students must have demonstrated financial need and a minimum 2.5 GPA.

Maria-Xouxa Latendresse

Mary Topalis Trust for CSM and Cañada Nursing Scholarship
This scholarship is for students pursuing a nursing degree and selection of the recipient is based on merit and demonstrated financial need. The recipients should show promise of success in their Nursing Program.

Yareli Fernandez Lara
Alexa Marie Gudino
Ntsakisi Mkansi
Kendra Palacios

Nature-Ecology Preservation Scholarship
The Nature/Ecology Preservation scholarship is awarded to a continuing or transferring Cañada student who has initiated or been involved in projects that demonstrate an environmental concern. Preference given for students pursuing majors and careers in environmental science, resource management and sustainability.

Griselda Mayen

Nellie Leong Scholarship
This scholarship is in honor of Nellie Leong, a dedicated and popular 10-year employee of the SMCCCD. This scholarship is for fulltime students and shall be awarded based on a combination of financial need and academic performance.

Christopher Bracamonte
Luke Fanguna
Paloma Felix-Esparza
Maria Garcia Marquez
Nuray Kanabiyikoglu
Rae Mears

Kendra Palacios
Abish Palafox Huerta
Samantha Ruiz Arvizu
Allison Simon

Oscar Siguenza Memorial Scholarship
The purpose of this scholarship is to provide scholarship support to those students showing financial need and who indicate that they are planning to transfer to a 4-year institution following their time at SMCCCD. This scholarship includes a mentorship component. Students are required to meet with the donor once a semester.

Marisa Gutierrez
Said Gonzalez Lopez

Osher Scholars Endowment Scholarship
This scholarship is funded through the generosity of the Bernard Osher Foundation and is part of a $25 million endowment to the Foundation for Community Colleges. Student eligibility is based on a combination of criteria including eligibility for the California College Promise Grant fee waiver, determination to achieve in spite of adversity and a commitment towards completing their college education. Students must be enrolled at least half time and be making satisfactory academic progress.

Diana Castro
Jorge Madero Beltran
Emma Mayoral
Matthew Nuez
Amy Pascual
Basilio Rico Serrano

Pat Hanada Classified Service Scholarship
Named in memory of long-time classified staff member Pat Hanada, this scholarship will be awarded each year to a Cañada student in recognition of outstanding service and/or contributions to the College, either as a volunteer, as a club officer, or as a paid student assistant. Minimum GPA of 2.5, continuing or transferring student.

Anthony Leon Chumptazi
**Private Client Reserve Scholarship**

This scholarship is for incoming, continuing, or transferring Cañada students of merit who are committed to attaining a college degree.

*Jose Maciel*
*Kelen Martinez*

**Redwood City Citizens Against Racism Scholarship**

This award was established in the 1970’s by Redwood City residents concerned with escalating racial tension in our community. Recipients must show outstanding academic achievement and service to their community. Preference will be given to Redwood City, East Palo Alto, Menlo Park, or East Menlo Park residents. The students must demonstrate financial need and have a commitment towards social equity and justice.

*Bilha Rongomas*

**Robert & Toni Oyster Endowed Scholarship**

Named for local community members, Robert and Toni Oyster, this scholarship is given to a continuing or transferring student who has demonstrated financial need. Preference given to students who have returned or re-entered college after a break who are committed towards achieving a college education.

*Marisavel Franco Reyes*

**Robert Stiff Scholarship**

This scholarship, in honor of emeritus Cañada President Robert Stiff, is awarded each year to recognize students of academic merit with financial need that have demonstrated a commitment to the betterment of Cañada College by being involved in leadership or volunteer activities. Students may be continuing or transferring.

*Lesly Ta*

**San Mateo County Community Colleges Foundation Scholarship**

This fund is supported by the generosity of the Cañada College community and San Mateo County Community Colleges Foundation to annually provide numerous scholarships for deserving incoming, continuing and transferring students that have a sincere desire to attend college.

*Judith Arias Escalona*
*Leonid Alzhin*
*Christopher Bracamonte*
*Paige Briggs*
*Maria Chavez*
*Jocelyn Contreras*
*Xitlali Curincita*
*John Dillard*
*Isabel Donovan*
*Nafas Duntis*
*Ahmad Fallaha*
*Paloma Felix-Esparza*
*Maria Garcia Marquez*
*Maria Gonzales*
*Thien Kim Le*
*Adriana Lopez Contreras*
*Deanna Lynch*
*Griselda Mayen Millian*
*Rae Mears*
*Alexander Nevarez*
*Brenda Penaloza*
*Daisy Quispe*
*Oriana Rico Ruiz*
*Jamon Roberts*
*Ruby Rubio*
*Samantha Ruiz Arvizo*
*Brittney Samora-Delgadillo*
*Benjamin Shimota*
*Sofiana Skinas*
*Korede Solagbade*
*Marcia Sotil*
*Yumiho Suzuki*
*Stephanie Vazquez*
*Jeison Velasquez*
*Brianna Wraa*
*Abedel Rahman Zaro*
*Jirou Zhang*
San Mateo Credit Union Scholarship
This scholarship is for students with a minimum 3.0 GPA who have financial need and have performed and are committed to service in their community.

Jamon Roberts

SMCCCD Retirees’ Scholarship
This scholarship is supported through fundraising by the San Mateo County Community College District Retirees and is for at least one continuing and transferring student at each college; minimum 3.0 GPA; completed 12 units at college of application; enrolled as a fulltime student when the scholarship funds are received.

Rochelle Abrams
Grace Bell
Said Gonzalez Lopez
Karl Nueckel

SMCCCF General Scholarship
This District fund is supported by the San Mateo County Community Colleges Foundation to annually provide scholarships for deserving incoming, continuing, and transferring students.

Jose Hernandez Sebastian
Luis Laguna
Francesca Re Fraschini
Valeria Sanabria
Karla Ortega Oseguera

Social Sciences of Cañada College Scholarship
This scholarship is for a fulltime student who plans to transfer with a minimum GPA of 3.5. Major or career track in Anthropology, Communication Studies, Economics, Geography, History, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, or Sociology. The recipients should participate in various clubs on campus, especially the Social Sciences Club, Political Awareness Club, and/or Phi Theta Kappa

Salvador Cardenas

Susan Yoshimura Scholarship
In memory of classified staff member Susan Yoshimura, this scholarship is awarded to a continuing or transferring Cañada student who demonstrates perseverance in attaining their educational goals. Students challenged by disability or chronic illness given priority.

Diana Castro

Thomas C. Mohr Memorial Scholarship
Given in memory of Emeritus Cañada College President and former San Mateo County Community College District Trustee, Thomas C. Mohr, this scholarship is intended for a student who has demonstrated academic achievement and service in their community. Preference given to students with financial need who have demonstrated commitment to social change, justice and equity issues.

Isabel Donovan

Toby Merman Memorial Scholarship in Interior Design
This scholarship is for students in or entering the Interior Design Department who intend to pursue a professional career in the Interior Design fields. The student should demonstrate artistic or technical ability through a combination of portfolio, letters of recommendation, and/or GPA. Financial need is a criterion and the scholarship should be awarded to a student whose current circumstances present an obstacle. If all applicants are equally qualified, preference should be given to a veteran of the armed services.

Nicole Faircloth

Tom Mohr Presidential Scholarship
The Tom Mohr Presidential Scholarship recognizes a fulltime transfer-oriented student attending Cañada College that has a demonstrated commitment to an intellectual life of the College beyond the classroom; social justice efforts; and who is actively engaged in community service activities. Students must reside in San Mateo County. Special consideration given to veterans and students who must work while attending full time.

Abish Palafox Huerta
**University Pathway Scholarship**

This scholarship is funding for an incoming or continuing Cañada student who plans to transfer to a 4-year university. Students must be San Mateo County residents, have a minimum 3.0 GPA and demonstrated financial need. The scholarship is renewable for up to three years while attending Cañada provided students maintain the minimum GPA and progress standards in completing their educational goal.

*Maria Aguilar*

*Ligia Molina*

**Virginia Hudson Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship is for a transferring student of merit eligible under AB540 with limited access to financial aid resources. Special consideration for students planning to transfer to a California State University or University of California campus.

*Judith Arias Escalona*

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**THE STEM CENTER AT CAÑADA COLLEGE**

The STEM Center at Cañada College supports students to succeed in STEM courses (math, technology, engineering and science) and to transfer to a 4-year university as STEM majors. This includes:

* tutoring, peer mentoring, academic counseling and retention support
* exploration of transfer options
* job shadowing
* assistance in applying for internships and scholarships

This year, our student tutors and peer mentors stepped up and learned how to deliver all services virtually. Special kudos to these talented and dedicated individuals.

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**Results for STEM students at Cañada College**

Recent STEM graduates have been admitted to numerous outstanding universities, including:

- UC Berkeley, UCLA, UC Davis, UC Merced, UC Santa Barbara, UC San Diego, UC Riverside, CalPoly San Luis Obispo, CalPoly Pomona, SJSU, SFSU, Cal State East Bay, Chico State, Sacramento State, Santa Clara University, Oregon State, U of Massachusetts Lowell, Mount Holyoke, Brown, Cornell, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University - Prescott, Massey University of New Zealand, Carnegie Mellon and Stanford.

**Science & Technology Division – Outstanding Student Awards**

**Hamilton Award for Excellence in STEM**

This award is for Cañada students of merit majoring in math or science fields. Students must have at least a 3.2 GPA with plans to pursue a bachelor’s or graduate degree. Selection of the award is made by the Science and Technology Division faculty and is based on academic achievement and service to the Division. Two awards will be given this year to recognize an outstanding continuing student and an outstanding transfer student. The Hamilton Award for Excellence in STEM is a $1,000 scholarship given to each of the Science & Technology Division outstanding students.

*Ana Rios, Outstanding Student Continuing at Cañada College in Fall 2022*

*Oriana Rico Ruiz, Outstanding Student Transferring to a 4-Year University in Fall 2022*

**Cañada College National Science Foundation (NSF) Scholarship Recipients**

Cañada College’s STEM Center manages a five-year grant funded by the National Science Foundation (NSF) that provides more than $500,000 in scholarship awards to academically talented, low-income students working to transfer to a 4-year university to complete an undergraduate degree in an engineering, math or science major.
NSF Scholars – 2021-22

Arlexy Angulo
Salma Awad
Diana Castro
Luke Fanguna
Abdulkader Hasbini
Jamon Roberts
Abdel Zaro
Carson Wu
Said Gonzalez Lopez
Jonathan Guzman
Josue Lizama
Thien Kim Le
Alexander Nevarez
Thomas Patane
Anthony Leon Chumpitazi

The STEM Center at Cañada College is supported in part by individual donors and grants from the US Department of Education, the National Science Foundation, and the California State Fund for Student Success MESA grant via the State Chancellor’s Office for California Community Colleges.

The Cañada College Honors Transfer Program recognizes its tenth year of graduates. In order to graduate as an Honors Transfer Program Scholar, a student must have enrolled in the Program with a minimum of a 3.3 GPA, and consequently completed a minimum of 15 semester units of honors level coursework. In addition, many of our Honors Transfer Scholars have written original research and presented their work at regional conferences. We are proud of our scholars and wish them the best as they transfer to the most highly competitive universities in the country.

canadacollege.edu/honorsprogram/

Kevin Alarcon
Transferring

Kyle Brown
Transferring

Diana Castro
Transferring

Sarah Chang
AA-T degree in Economics
AA-T degree in Psychology
AS-T degree in Business
Transferring

Nicholas Dalton
Certificate in Engineering
Transferring

Isabel Donovan
AS-T degree in Biology
AS-T degree in Environmental Science
AA degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with Emphasis in Natural Science and Mathematics
Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/UC)
Transferring

Eloisa Duarte
AA degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with Emphasis in Social and Behavioral Sciences
Certificate in University Transfer (CSU)
Transferring

Pei-Tzu Hung
AS-T degree in Mathematics
Transferring

Thien Kim Le
AS-T degree in Physics
Transferring

Sandra Li
Transferring

Alexander Nevarez
Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/UC)
Transferring

Brittney Samora-Delgadillo
AA-T degree in Psychology
AA degree in Psychology
AA degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with Emphasis in Social and Behavioral Sciences
Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/UC)
Transferring

Sofiana Skinas
AA-T degree in Kinesiology
AA degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with Emphasis in Natural Science and Mathematics
Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/UC)
Transferring

Areen Tazian
Transferring

Jirou Zhang
AS-T degree in Mathematics
Transferring

Cañada College
COLTS-U TRANSFER STATION

TRANSFER PROGRAM

The Transfer Center, faculty and staff in various programs and services, collaborates to support students in reaching their transfer goal. This program assists students through the complex transfer process by creating opportunities for students to excel and guiding them to become a competitive transfer candidate. We are pleased to announce that our students have been accepted to the University of their choice and will be at a four-year university starting in the academic year 2022-2023.

The following is a list of students who have notified us of their transfer goal for 2022-2023:

Abelgas, Victoria M. - Sociology
Acosta, Leticia Emma - Art
Acuna, Jose - Engineering
Adams, Amber Marie - Early Childhood Education
Ahmed, Omar Elhadi Abdalrabeem - Computer Science
Alarcon Rodriguez, Kevin Paul - Business Administration
Alfraijat, Tariq Salem - Computer Science
Alkofer, Amber - Early Childhood Education
Almasneh, Abdullah Ahmad - Electrical Engineering & Computer Science
Alvarez-Gonzalez, Audrey - Business Administration
Alvarez Jimenez, Norma - Psychology
Alzahrani, Abdulrahman D. - Business Administration
Alzhin, Leonid - Psychology
Angulo, Arlexy - Industrial Engineering
Antunes, Juleanne Marie - Theatre Arts
Aquino, Rommel Senica - Public Health
Araica Alvarado, Fatima Eriselda - Nursing
Arias Escalona, Judith C. - Marine Biology
Arinaga-Hernandez, Bryant A. - Engineering
Arroyo, Cesar Ivan - Business Administration
Avendano Facundo, Moises - Liberal Studies
Avila, Isabella Kay - Human Development
Avila Vasquez, Jessica - Business Administration
Awad, Salma Sherif - Biological Sciences
Barajas, Edilberto - Business Administration
Barnwell, Trent Joseph, Robert - Psychology
Barron, Anabel O. - Communication
Be, Porchhay - Computer Science
Beck, Andrew Michael - Business Administration
Bedel, William Martin McNulty - International Studies
Bedel, Eric Daniel - Kinesiology
Bedel, William Martin McNulty - Business Administration
Bergholm, Hannah Isabella - Business Economics
Bermudez, Maria M. - Business Administration
Bever, Adam G. - Business Administration
Boiteux, Carl J. - History
Bracamonte, Christopher - Business Administration
Brandyberry, Kylie - Anthropology
Bravo, Joel M. - Business Administration
Briggs, Paige Bessie - Animal Science & Management
Brown, Kyle Vincent - Mechanical Engineering
Buick, Allysa S. - Child and Adolescent Development/Psychology
Buksh, Aaliyah Azmee - Communication
Buksh, Aydin Aarif - Psychology
Buranzon, Giana Marie - Communication
Burnham, Makena R. - Psychology
Bychkova, Irina - Business Administration
Cabello, Christian - Economics
Calija, Austin Dean - History
Cambron, Jesse Ray - Computer Science
Carrera, Jessica E. - Business Administration
Casillas, Emily Elena - Social Work
Casillas, Sandra - Sociology
Castillo, Andrew Cary - Business Administration
Castro, Cassandra - Business Administration
Cato, Alexis Kristine - Business Administration
Cava, Milo Vincent - Kinesiology
Chakmakchi, Zabra Asia - Psychology
Chamberlain, Casey Shea - Art History
Chan, Daesha P. - Art
Chang, Nerissa Vidal - Sociology
Chang, Sarah Y. - Economics
Chavez, Maria D. - Psychology
Chavez Navarro, Jose J. - Business Administration
Chavez-Cabello, Christian - Economics
Chavez-Navarro, Jose Jacob - Business Administration
Chen, Liangyu - Business Economics
Cheng, Jeshua Han - Computer Science
Chou, Nathaniel Karson - East Asian Cultures
Collins, Simone R. - Psychology
Combs, Rachel Alexandra - Business Administration
Contreras, Jocelyn - Business Administration
Contreras, Alexa Lynna - Psychology
Contreras, Factima Morales - Child and Adolescent Development
Contreras, Alexa Lynna - Psychology
Cordova, Carol Valentina - Business Administration
Cruz, Cecilia - Early Childhood Education
Cruz De Los Santos, Adriana - Art
Cudworth, Ariana Moraga - Psychology
Dalton, Nicholas Max - Mechanical Engineering

David, Daniel Sungwoo - Communication Studies
Davila, Zachary - Business Administration
DeLeon, Audrey Jenna - Theater Arts
DeLeon, Haley Alexandra Ana - Psychology
Delgado, Marcos - Environmental Studies
Dellenbach, Jack William - Business Administration
Delos Reyes, Kathrinne Nicole - Economics
Deng, Yanfei - Psychology
Diaz Ramirez, Rafael - Psychology
Diaz-Perez, Marco Antonio - Business Administration
Dillard, John – Civil Engineering
Ding, Ni - Human Development
Dinulos, Danielle Nina - Global Health
Domínguez, Mario - Computer Science
Donovan, Isabel Alexandra - Biology/Environmental Science: Natural Resources
Donovan, Halle Rose - Geography
Donovan, Isabel Alexandra - Environmental Science
Drumm, Peter Edward - Psychology
Duarte Lopez, Eloisa - Architecture
Dunbar, Brittany Morgan - Psychology
Duntis, Nafas Laria - Electrical Engineering and Computer Science
Eberle, Cameron James - Psychology
Eke, Natalia Fatai - Early Childhood Education
Endo, Colin Takashi - Psychology
Erickson, Kelsey Jean Emma - Sociology
Escobar, Bryan Alexander - Computer Science
Espino Tinoco, Michelle - Psychology
Espinoza, Andrea - Child & Adolescent Development
Esquivel, Amanda V. - Biological Science
Estacuy, Claudia Karina - Business Administration
Estrada, Natalie Mary - Child and Adolescent Development
Estrada, Johana L. - Early Childhood Education
Falk, Christian Matthew - Business Administration
Fallaha, Ahmad Muneeb - Business Administration
Fan, Xiaolong - Mathematics
Leyva, Sophia Alexandra - Art
Lim, Monique - Business Administration
Liu, Yujun - Biology
Lopacinski, Austin J. - Economics
Lopez, Erika - Health Sciences
Lopez, Alma Rosio - Early Childhood Education
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UC Davis
UC Irvine
UC Los Angeles
UC Merced
UC Riverside
UC San Diego
UC Santa Barbara
UC Santa Cruz
California State University
Cal Poly - Pomona
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CSU Bakersfield
CSU Channel Island
CSU Chico
CSU Dominguez Hill
CSU East Bay
CSU Fresno
CSU Fullerton
CSU Humboldt
CSU Long Beach
CSU Los Angeles
CSU Monterey Bay
CSU Northridge
CSU San Bernardino
CSU San Diego
CSU San Marcos
CSU Stanislaus
Sacramento State University
San Francisco State University
San Jose State University
Sonoma State University

Private and Independent Universities
Chapman University
Menlo College
Saint Mary's College of California
Samuel Merritt University
Santa Clara University
Stanford University
University of San Diego

University of San Francisco
University of Southern California

Out-of-State Universities
Arizona State University, AZ
Boston College, MA
Boston University, MA
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Tufts University, MA
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University of Massachusetts Lowell, MA
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University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC
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Willamette University, OR

International Universities
Massey University of New Zealand, New Zealand
University of Cambridge, England
University of Oxford, England
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Jose Hernandez - Tutor
Christiaan Marringa - Tutor
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Naomi Morgenthaler - Tutor
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Karl Nueckel - Tutor
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Garrett Weber - Tutor
Cole Wilkinson - Tutor
Justin Vicente - Tutor
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Christopher Valdez - STEM Peer Mentor
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