



Congratulations!

CLASS OF 2022-I

We share in the joy and celebrations for our most recent graduates. On May 25, 2022, the Awards & Pinning Ceremony was held at the California Country Club in Whittier. Dean Mildred Gonzalez opened the ceremony and presented academic honors to the awardees with Lifetime Dean's List chords and Philathian Honor Society pins to add to their graduation regalia. Admissions and Promotions representative, Mae Roa, presented Faculty Achievement Awards. Director of Tutoring and Mentoring, Jeffrey Anderson, highlighted the student mentoring program and presented certificates and stipend to mentors.



ASB Advisor, Nicholas Bachman, recognized students who contributed to the school and their class. The pinning ceremony was celebrated with the graduates and their loved ones onstage. Instructors, graduates, family and friends all shared the excitement with hugs and picture opportunities for all.



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UPCOMING CALENDAR

- August 1-4, Mon-Thurs, Registration for continuing students
- August 8-12, Mon-Fri, New Student Orientation Class 2024-I
- Monday, August 15, Fall Semester begins
- Monday, September 5, Labor Day Holiday

152ND COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Aratani Theater hosted the 152nd Commencement Ceremony at 2:00 P.M on May 26, 2022. Board of Supervisors and Board of Trustees representatives, College Administration and College Faculty were all in attendance as the processional of 59 students was underway. After the National Anthem/ Flag Salute and greetings by College Provost, Vivian Branchick and LAC+USC Medical Center, Chief Oper-

ating Officer, Edgar Solis, the Commencement Address was presented by Dr. Nancy Blake. Frank Guerra Jr., gave the class response and Dr. Mildred Gonzalez presented the graduates with their newly earned diplomas.



GRADUATION WITH HONORS

Dean's List—Lifetime membership:

Requires a 3.0 grade point average in at least ten units for three semesters. Designated with the gold cord.

Philathian Honor Society: Criteria for membership include a cumulative grade point average of 3.25 at the end of the program and enrollment in the School of Nursing for one year. Designated with the honor society pin.

Graduation with Distinction: Conferred on students with a cumulative grade point average of 3.75 and above. Designated with the gold stole.

Graduates Class 2022-I

David Ahn

Janice R. Alcala *

Kelly Erin Arita

Aurelio Banuelos Rodriguez *

James Mitchell Butkiewicz

Kimberly Chernich

Bryan Choi

Sandra Cruz *

Joseph Xavier Diaz

Sandra F. Estrada Guzman

Sharae Monique Frazer

Nam Thien Gip *

Samantha Handal Gonzalez *

Veronica Villanueva Gonzalez

Jade Alexis Green

Jonathan Griffin *

Frank Guerra Jr. *

Denise Hernandez

Abigail Lizet Hernandez-Ramirez

Terri Hong

Chanyoung Jang

Sarah Jensen * +

Kate Kamen *

Anna Mae Karbel

Fatemeh Kazerani *

Seulgi Kim *

Ea Ra Koh

Cynthia Shoko Kondo *

Lauren Lam *

Peter Lamas *

Michelle KC Lee

Ryoko Koyama Leung

Carlos Luna * +

Elizabeth Veronica Mares

Anais Mazur * +

Kaitlyn McKee

Jorge Mendoza

Kennedy R. Moore

Kimberlyanne Tan Morales

Rebekah Young Na

Kim Ngor

Iliana I. Nunez

Jonathan James Obando *

Issara Mark Pothongsunun

Lisa Marie Rodriguez

Julio Santiago Ortiz

Gabriela Santos

Wei Zhang Sherman

Lily Briana Sosa * +

Emily Strom *

Kimberly Tapia Sotelo

Everlyn Chau Tripodi *

Adrianna Alexis Valbuena

Sarahy Alexandra Vargas * +

Stephanie Villada Miranda

Tana Wang *

Caroline K. Wu *

Laura M. Zermeno

Luyuan Zhang

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS AND ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS



S. Jensen

Faculty recognize students who have excelled in meeting the standards of the School of Nursing by awarding:

Scholastic Distinction

to students with the highest grade point average during the nursing program:

- **Sarah Jensen**

Clinical Distinction

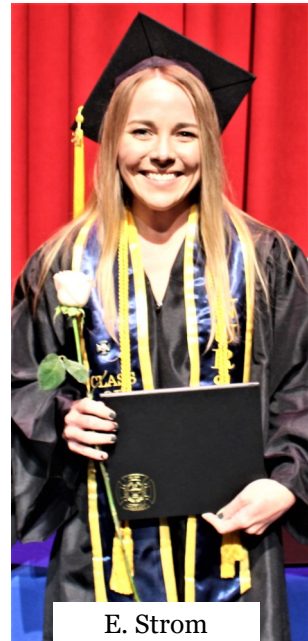
to students whose clinical excellence has been documented throughout the nursing program:

- **Emily Strom**

Service to the School:

to students who have participated in three or more activities by serving as class or student officers, or members of class or faculty committees.

- **Frank Guerra Jr.**



E. Strom



F. Guerra Jr.



Annie M. Yates Award: The Alumni Association of the School of Nursing presents this award to an outstanding member of the class based on scholastic achievement, clinical achievement, participation in school activities, and a plan for continuing their education in the field of nursing

- **Sarah Jensen**

Carol Kelly Memorial Scholarship Award: The award is in honor of Carol Kelly, a graduate of the School of Nursing, who is best remembered for her qualities of leadership, professionalism, and the love and concern she had for her patients. The faculty of the School of Nursing nominate the student who best demonstrates her spirit, dedication, hard work, and sensitivity to the needs of patients, physicians and other nurses.

- **Emily Strom**

"I'm not telling you it's going to be easy—I'm telling you it's going to be worth it."

- Art Williams



Book Scholarships:

- Sandra Cruz
- Sharae Monique Frazer
- Chanyoung Jang
- Sarah Jensen
- Anna Mae Karbel
- Cynthia Shoko Kondo
- Anais Mazur
- Kim Ngor
- Stephanie Villada Miranda

Mary Berne Wilshire Scholarship:

- Sarah Jensen
- Emily Strom

Albertine Nienstedt Scholarship:

- Seulgi Kim
- Carlos Luna

Mabel Wilson Richards Scholarship:

- Fatemeh Kazerani
- Seulgi Kim
- Emily Strom

- Kennedy R. Moore
- Wei Zhang Sherman
- Tana Wang



Review the DHS Policy 701.3 regarding the Nursing Tuition Reimbursement Program.

Permanent County employees encumbering a registered nurse classification (item) may be entitled to request full or partial tuition reimbursement upon the successful completion of an approved nursing course(s).

ALMA MATER

L.A. County School of Nursing
 'neath fair skies of blue,
 May she ever stand so proudly
 Glorious to view.

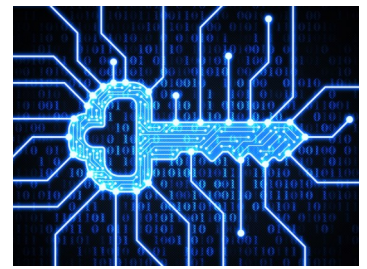
Through her halls the memories linger
 Of our student days,
 Comradeship and love and courage
 Loyalty and praise



Guided by the light of service
 From the lamp we hold,
 Pledge ourselves to deeds of kindness
 With our heart and soul.

To our School of Nursing priceless
 Loud our praises ring,
 L.A. County Alma Mater
 O hail to thee—all hail.

Attention



Effective 08/01/22. The password for the EBSCO databases which include CINAHL and Nursing Reference Center Plus has changed.

Username : ns102524, Password: nursing1!

APP SPOTLIGHT—NEW SEMESTER EDITION

The new semester is fast-approaching. To help get you ready for the myriad of tasks that you will encounter each day—you may wish to download a productivity app like Todoist. Use Todoist to:

- Capture and organize tasks the moment they pop into your head.
- Remember deadlines with reminders and due dates.
- Build lasting habits with recurring due dates like “every Monday”.
- Trace your progress with personalized productivity trends.
- And many more features.



SUPPLIES FOR THE NEW SEMESTER



The smart people that brought you Post-It notes, have created transparent sticky notes. These will come in handy when you need to copy a diagram from your text book into your notes. Look for them at office supply stores.



Make reading less boring with these silicon book-marks. The finger points to where you left off.

Writeable tags can be used while you are reading your texts. Color code with a key to help you remember important topics, or to highlight words you need to look-up.

