PILIPINO GRADUATION CELEBRATION

On behalf of the Pilipino American Coalition (PAC) and the Division of Student Affairs, we cordially invite you to participate in the annual Pilipino Graduation Celebration. The event will be held in-person on:

Saturday, May 13, 2023 10:00am-12:00pm University Student Union (USU) Ballrooms

What is Pilipino Graduation Celebration? Why do we have it?

The Pilipino Graduation Celebration is an opportunity to celebrate graduates' achievements in a more intimate setting with an emphasis on highlighting and embracing the Pilipino culture.

What will the ceremony consist of?

The celebration includes the entrance of graduates, brief speeches from honored speakers, and a cultural performance. Additionally, each graduate will be recognized on stage, have their dedication speech read, and receive a stole.

Do you have to be a member of the Pilipino American Coalition (PAC) or be Pilipino in order to participate in the Pilipino Graduation Celebration?

No, the Pilipino Graduation Celebration invites everyone who would like to celebrate their culture along with their college achievements. The only requirement is that you are a CSULB student preparing to graduate.

How do I register for P-Grad? When is the deadline?

Online registration is now available at <u>http://www.csulb.edu/cgc</u> then click on the Pilipino Graduation Celebration.

The deadline to register and pay is Friday, April 28, 2023

How much is registration? Where do we pay and what do we pay for?

The registration fee is **\$40.** You can pay online at the time of your registration. Included in the registration fee is the cost of the stole. Participants will also receive 5 complimentary guest tickets (graduates do not need a ticket), Certificate of Participation and a group photo emailed after the event.

When do we need to show up for the celebration?

Please arrive to the USU Ballrooms one hour early before the ceremony. Please arrive no later than 9:00am with your CSULB graduation cap and gown. You will check in and line up for the ceremony at this time.

Who can attend?

Friends and family are all welcome to join us in this special event. Each graduate will receive 5 complimentary guest tickets (graduates do not need a ticket).



If you have any questions, please contact <u>culturalgrads@csulb.edu</u>

Maraming salamat (Thank You) and we hope you choose to celebrate your graduation with us!