



CITY CHATTER

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President Mary Gallagher

Congratulations to all of our graduates and to all our students! Soon our graduates will join thousands as a LACC alumni. I am so proud to welcome everyone to our graduation ceremony on June 7. I look forward to recognizing all of our students during Commencement and paying tribute to the amazing milestone that everyone has achieved.

Graduation is always a very memorable occasion for our students, faculty, staff and LACC community. Each of our student's success represents sacrifice, commitment and hard work. Our faculty and staff are honored to have been a part of that process and are proud to participate in this year's ceremonies.

As I reflect on the past few difficult years, I am greatly aware of the immense challenges each of you have had to overcome to reach the Commencement stage. The determination and grace you have shown during these unprecedented times has been extraordinary and I am extremely proud to celebrate your achievements with you and your families.

This year, after a two-year hiatus, we return to the Greek Theatre for an in-person ceremony. We have invited fellow 2020 and 2021 graduates to join our graduating class in our festivities. We also have a very special guest speaker, First Lady Dr. Jill Biden. Dr. Biden was on our campus five years ago, when she



Upcoming Events

Mi Gente Graduation Ceremony

Sunday, June 5 at 4pm
East Los Angeles College
1301 Avenida Cesar Chavez, Monterey Park

LACC 2022 Graduation Ceremony

Tuesday, June 7 at 5pm
The Greek Theatre
2700 North Vermont Avenue, Los Angeles

Ticket required to attend

announced The LA College Promise, providing free enrollment to our students. As a professor of English at Northern Virginia Community College, Dr. Biden has been a strong supporter of community colleges and their role of providing the single best path for many students to achieve their dreams. We are extremely honored that she is joining us for our graduation ceremony.

I look forward to seeing all of our graduates on June 7, and all of our continuing and new students this summer and fall. Thank you for making us part of your life's journey.



Finding a Summer Job

Now that summer is approaching, many students and recent graduates have extra time to pursue job opportunities during the summer. These positions can serve as foundational professional experiences, develop work skill sets and provide additional funds for the future. Here are a few tips to help you secure a summer job.

Consider the Type of Job You Want

Before visiting Indeed and other job posting sites, consider the type of job you want to pursue. Look for jobs within the field you hope to begin a career in to earn entry-level experience that can improve your resume.

Make Sure Your Resume is Updated

Update your resume to include current education, skills and work experience information. Make sure to include any internships or student worker positions. You can also tailor your resume toward the type of job you would like to pursue by including any relevant information including experience, internships, and other information related to the field you are pursuing.

Contact Former Employers

Consider contacting former employers to see if they are rehiring if you have had previous jobs. Many employers hire up in periods of high demand like the summer. If you have a good relationship with a previous employer you might gain an advantage in your job search.

Search Online Job Listings

There are numerous websites that host job listings that are searchable by industry and location. You can search listings to find specific jobs that fit your geographic location and interest and apply directly online.

Look for Jobs on Company Websites

You can also search companies you are interested in working for directly on their websites. Most companies have available jobs listed and provide detailed information about each position.

Network, Network, Network!

Speak with your fellow students, professors, parents and friends and let them know that you are searching for a job. You may be able to obtain job tips, advice and relevant connections in your job field.



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