



Elgin Community College
Commencement Exercises
December 16, 2023



**THIS SEMESTER, MORE THAN
636 STUDENTS REACHED THEIR
EDUCATIONAL GOALS
AT ELGIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE,
JOINING THOUSANDS OF ALUMNI
ON THE PATH TO SUCCESS.**

**WE HONOR THEM—
AND THEIR SUPPORTERS—
FOR BEING ROLE MODELS
FOR OUR COMMUNITY.**

Elgin Community College is Nationally Ranked

ECC was proud to be named a top 25 community college in the nation in 2023. Currently, the college is one of only 150 institutions vying for top biannual honors to be announced in the spring of 2025.

The Aspen Institute recognized the college for its achievements in 2015, 2019, and 2021 as well. The Aspen Prize honors colleges with outstanding performance in five critical areas: teaching and learning, certificate and degree completion, transfer and bachelor's attainment, workforce success, and equitable outcomes for students of color and students from low-income backgrounds.





The MISSION of Elgin Community College is to improve people’s lives through learning.

Through our decisions and actions we empower: STUDENTS to reach their goals in an equitable and welcoming environment; EMPLOYEES to thrive and fully use their collective talents; and our COMMUNITY to transform and enrich the world.

VISION

To be the first choice for everyone to learn, grow, and dream in a culture that ensures access, advances innovation, and fosters success.

SHARED VALUES

WHAT WE BELIEVE

These values are shared among employees and reflect what we expect from one another to shape our work experience.

EXCELLENCE

We strive to offer the highest level of excellence in our programs and services to achieve our Vision. We use research-based methods to strengthen curriculum and deliver high-quality learning-centered instruction and services.

FREEDOM OF INQUIRY

We believe learning is most engaging and viable when a spirit of free inquiry exists, allowing everyone the freedom to explore new and diverse ideas and to express their interests and attitudes. We strive to create environments where innovation and inquiry flourish.

ETHICAL PRACTICES

We are responsible to carry out our work with honesty and integrity. Our Vision, not personal interests, guides our decisions and actions so that they will be enacted out of service to our students and community members.

ACCOUNTABILITY

As a public institution, we commit to making the best use of resources. We are transparent in measurement and reporting, seek feedback from others, accept responsibility for our decisions and actions, and continuously improve our practices.

COLLABORATION

We are committed to serving students, employees, and community members. The decisions and actions we undertake in carrying out our Vision derive from working cooperatively with all stakeholders.

HOLISTIC APPROACH

As stewards of people’s learning, we understand their perspectives and we use our insight and compassion to support them through challenging times. We believe in educating and supporting the whole person through a comprehensive approach that addresses the emotional, social, ethical, and academic needs of students, employees, and community members.



Mission



Vision



Shared Values



Philosophies

PHILOSOPHIES

HOW WE APPROACH OUR WORK

These philosophies serve as our ethical compass and the lens through which we look when making decisions.

LEARNING

Learning is a lifelong process that empowers individuals.

Learning is the primary driver behind our Mission and Vision. Learning empowers individuals to improve their own lives as well as the economic, social, and cultural conditions of local and global communities. In partnership with faculty, we envision learning to be a lifelong process of intellectual and personal growth that allows individuals to expand their depth of knowledge, skills, and experiences.

EQUITY

Equity is ensuring everyone receives what they need to be successful.

At its core, ECC's Mission to improve people's lives through learning is a recognition that, as a community college, we are successful only when we provide access to quality education and appropriate, equitable support in an inclusive environment to all members of our community. We believe in the intentional and meaningful inclusion of diverse experiences, backgrounds, and social identities in all aspects of the college. We further believe this is a moral imperative which deepens and enriches the educational and workplace experience for everyone.

DIVERSITY

Diversity is all expressions of humanity.

ECC recognizes that diversity is an invaluable resource for teaching, learning, and fostering personal growth. The pursuit of excellence requires a diverse and representative community. The college strives to cultivate a safe environment that represents our extensive network and reflects all expressions of humanity. It is imperative that all communities are full participants in the construction of knowledge and diversity of thought.

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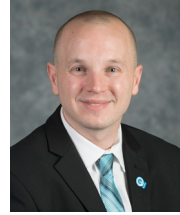
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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

CAREER AND TECHNICAL DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES (10 am)

SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETERS Elizabeth Luszczyk and Gianna Santangelo

PRELUDE The Hanson String Quartet
Marilyn Gans, violin
Zachary Green, violin
Derek Hibben, viola
Matthew Brunson, cello

PROCESSIONAL Antonio Ramirez, PhD
2023 Orrin G. Thompson Teaching Excellence Award for full-time faculty
Associate Professor of History

Themes from "Pomp and Circumstance" by Edward Elgar

PATRIOTIC HYMN Alivia Rivera, ECC student
accompanied by Nancy Miner

"America the Beautiful" by Samuel A. Ward and Katherine Lee Bates

O beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plain,
America, America, God shed His grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.

WELCOME David Sam, PhD, JD, LL.M.
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MESSAGE FROM THE FACULTY Antonio Ramirez
Associate Professor of History

CONGRATULATORY REMARKS Jesse A. Ramirez, Class of 2023
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RECOGNITION OF THE CLASS OF 2023
Associate of Applied Science Degree
Vocational Specialist Certificate
Basic Vocational Specialist Certificate

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RECESSIONAL Antonio Ramirez

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

UNIVERSITY TRANSFER DEGREES (2 pm)

SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETERSElizabeth Luszczyk and Gianna Santangelo

PRELUDEThe Maud Powell String Quartet
Vitaly Starkov, violin
Ume Hashimoto-Jorgensen, violin
Derek Hibben, viola
Megan Kamysz, cello

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CONGRATULATORY REMARKS Melanie Escobar-Menchaca, Class of 2023
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RECOGNITION OF THE CLASS OF 2023

- Associate in Arts
- Associate in Fine Arts
- Associate in Science
- Associate in Engineering Science
- Associate in Liberal Studies

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HONORS DISTINCTIONS

Honors and High Honors

Graduates who achieve a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 to 4.0 for a degree or certificate receive their diplomas with high honors, while those achieving a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 to 3.49 receive their diplomas with honors.

Phi Theta Kappa

Phi Theta Kappa international honor society recognizes and encourages the academic achievement of two-year college students and provides opportunities for individual growth and development through participation in honors, leadership, service, and fellowship programming.

Mu Alpha Theta

Mu Alpha Theta is the national two-year college mathematics honor society dedicated to inspiring keen interest in mathematics, developing strong scholarship in the subject, and promoting the enjoyment of mathematics in two-year college students.

Alpha Beta Gamma

Alpha Beta Gamma is an international business honor society established by business professors in 1970 to recognize and encourage scholarship among two-year business and professional college students.

Honors Program Graduate

Students receive the Honors Program Graduate designation after they have completed at least five honors courses and 24 hours of leadership and service experiences. Additionally, they assembled an Honors Capstone Portfolio and have maintained a minimum 3.25 GPA.

Honors Program Achiever

Students receive the Honors Program Achiever designation after they have completed at least three honors courses and 16 hours of leadership and service experiences. Additionally, they assembled an Honors Capstone Portfolio and have maintained a minimum 3.25 GPA.

Integrated Career and Academic Preparation System (ICAPS)

Students participate in an integrated career and academic cohort. They are able to graduate in two semesters or less with certificates in their career areas.

Service, Academics, Leadership, Unity, Tribute, and Excellence (SALUTE) Veterans Honor Society

SALUTE is the first national honor society established for student veterans and active duty military in two-year and four-year institutions of higher education. Students inducted into SALUTE have shown courage, strength, leadership, excellence, and perseverance in their military endeavors and now show that same commitment to their academic careers.

AUGUST 2023 GRADUATES

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE

Jennifer Aguirre +
Anabel Aguirre Michel
Emily Lin Ahlers ++
Nicholas Albers ++ *
Andrea I. Almagro
Kevin M. Anderson ++ *
Ryan C. Anderson ++ *
Malenny Arroyo +
Emily Ayllon +
Adeena L. Baluyut ++
Shelly E. Banks +
Michelle S. Beltrame
Jose Antonio Benitez ++
Kayleen H. Birchfield +
Anthony J. Brindis
Katherine McKenna Burke
Kayla Grace Burrell +
Nicolette T. Campo ++ *
Victor M. Becerra Cano *
Brandon V. Cascio +
Ana K. Castillo +
Ashley L. Catlow ++ *
Ross Cayley +
Aidina Coralic
Tony Cortez
Rose Defalco ++ *
Harlan D. Duffy
Evan C. Dunham +
Mia Antonella Eggers ++
Michael Rodriguez Farias +
Danielle C. Fick
Madisonne C. Fort + *
Mark W. Ganziano + *
Andrew M. Garcia
Angela Garcia ++
Anthony Garcia *
Armando J. Garcia
Julian Garcia +
Jaquelin Gonzales ++
Dale J. Harden
Jarrett Cecil Harman ++
Jake S. Hasselman +

Amber R. Helsley ++ *
Julia K. Henrikson
Lilly Mae Hottenstein + *
Ashley R. Jachim
Isaac J. Kopalchick +
Kayla G. Kramer + *
Jessica Lopez ++
Kimberly N. Lopez +
Abigail O. Lossau
Shelby G. Mach ++
Luis A. Martinez
Kassandra Mata ++
Jacob Miller + *
Parker Mitchell
Zoe A. Moldenhauer +
Ayesha Mozum +
Adam M. Nelson
Jilliann J. Pagan + *
Yesenia Ramos
Meckenna Lynn Recker
Terin K. Rose
Jennifer M. Ruscetti + *
Donald A. Salerno +
Karina E. Santana +
Mark A. Schuster +
Hafsah Shamshuddin ++
Nicole M. Simpson +
Angelica Singh
Nathan W. Sommerfeld ++
Jacqueline D. Sosa ++ *
Brian D. Staniszewski ++ *
Ryne W. Strachan
Tyler Sundara ++
Andrew Thavone
Brian Tovar
Liliana Umana
Samantha Uribe +
Noah D. Vacco
Enrique Vargas Jr.
Talia Vargas
Joey Vendl +
Liz N. Viveros

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE *continued*

Jada T. Vongkhamchanh ++
Natalie Wegrzyn ++

Kyle M. Wilmot +
Kaitlin Zak

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE

Alejandro Baeza +
Alex Blint
Jaydon L. Crenshaw
Jessica Sue Dionicio +
Jessica Lynn Fujja +
Diana Karen Gomez Garcia ++ *
Christine Tracy Herrmann
Madelyn M. Hickey *
Terin A. King

Phoebe Hana Lee-Kidd ++ *
Kaylee Elizabeth Lutsch + *
Brenda Y. Mejia Mendoza
Alexis J. Merrinette
Humberto Aguilar Patino + *
Soleil Sprague +
Aidan A. Sullivan + *
Arianna M. Tellez
Zelly Claire Wood ++

ASSOCIATE IN ENGINEERING SCIENCE DEGREE

Ahtziri L. Flores +
Celina R. Sarangaya ++ *

Vytas J. Spokas
Fernando Caudillo Tafoya ++ *

ASSOCIATE IN LIBERAL STUDIES DEGREE

Tracy C. Altheide
John Z. Fullem

William Carl Wywialowski +

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE

Accounting

Rachel M. Gutierrez + * **

Business

Katherine Najera
Maria J. Ramirez

Criminal Justice

Brissa M. Arredondo +
Vincent A. Tringali ++

Culinary Arts

Luke J. Fugiel +
Nia S. Grissette ++
Alyssa M. Leynes ++

Education-Early Childhood

Marina L. Ruiz +
Ashley M. Schmitz +

Fire Science and Safety

Shawn K. Dobberfuhr + *
Kohlman G. Steuber ++

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ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE *continued*

Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration

Frank Cassara ++

Hospitality Management

Leslie M. Balder

Maria M. Ponce-Marquez +

IST/Maintenance Technology

Kevin R. Pomeroy + *

Management

Ricardo S. Munoz +

Welding Fabrication Technology

Zachary M. Kuhlman +

VOCATIONAL SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE

Bookkeeping

Amairani Alvarado +

Yevheniia Hlukharova ++

Claudia Orea Garcia +

Education-Early Childhood

Savannah H. Lile

Marina L. Ruiz +

Ashley M. Schmitz +

Rosa E. Wild ++

Histotechnology

Bridget Evanson ++

Steven M. London

Michelle M. Robert + *

Human Services-Substance Abuse

Counseling

Melissa Jean Fickling ++

Kira L. Spears ++

Medical Assisting

Marissa A. Covello ++

Ma Lourdes Tengco Darvin ++

Yaretzy D. De Anda ++

Jacqueline A. Espinoza +

Taylor Grant ++

Kelly Love ++

Hanna N. Merritt ++

Jazmin Morales ++

Sloane Passmore +

Adriana Picazo +

Samantha Quintero ++

Joseline Sanchez ++

Gisselle Vargas ++

Nina K. Wadz ++

Welding

Cai Dieckman

Elija Miskic ++

Evan P. Schmidt ++

Matt Tobin ++

BASIC VOCATIONAL SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE

Auto Heating and Air Conditioning

Dawid Zajkowski

Automotive Electrical Specialist

Tyler J. Kaczmarek ++

Basic Nurse Assistant Training Program

Michelle Abundes +

Julissa Astudillo ++

Kate E. Ayala ++

Amy D. Bedolla +

Grace M. Brigante +

Karlean D. Caceres +

BASIC VOCATIONAL SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE *continued*

Presley T. Carroll ++
Abigail Casas ++
Radhika N. Chaudhari +
Kallie M. Christopherson ++
Kathleen M. Contreras +
Magdalena Covarrubias-Ramirez ++
Gemma Marcelo Dela Rosa ++
Emmanuel J. Delgado +
Colby A. Doom + *
Britney G. Flores +
Mikayla A. Gabriel +
Jennifer A. Gaona
Julissa Gonzalez +
Abdiel Guillen-Martinez +
Johnnay D. Hall ++
Marybeth T. Hauschild +
Mariacni Martinez Hernandez +
Makena K. Hoberg ++
Riya Kadapla ++
Lupita Lara ++
Ariana Ledesma +
Jessica R. Lopez ++ *
Jillian M. Maborang ++
Connie A. Marin
Esther Nasaka ++
Giulianna G. Nitti ++
Veronica A. Ortiz +
Martha L. Ottesen ++
Ashley Pineda ++
Victoria Puchalska ++
Emily A. Rafferty +
Jocelyn Montes Ramos ++
Khushi P. Raval ++
Adair D. Rivera +
Emily S. Robelo +
Sara R. Rygula ++
Roselyn E. Sanchez ++ *
Lainie Scoles ++
Alexis M. Shanon ++
Jenny Silva +

Vicki E. Smith +
Cleonie E. Soriano +
Diya Thakkar ++
Lesly A. Ulloa +
Emily Vazquez ++
Emily Villicana +
Kyra T. Wilder +
Jasmine Angela C. Yabes +
Yifen Zhao +

Basic Spanish for Medical Personnel

Melannie Scarlette Vargas +

Brake and Suspension Specialist

Jeovanny Martinez
Logan A. Nelson +
Sinuhe Rojas

Computer User Support Specialist

Edgar Alonzo ++
Ana L. Fernandez ++
Violeta V. Frausto ++
Ethan W. Isola ++
Saul Lopez +
Nicholas S. Ortiz ++
Clayton T. Roy ++ *

Decorative Pastry

Abigail R. Henricksen ++

Education-Early Childhood

Alissa U. Ahlemeyer *
Brittney C. Cabrera ++
Leslie Hernandez ++
Marina Ruiz ++
Sandra Vences ++
Angella M. Woodworth ++

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BASIC VOCATIONAL SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE *continued*

Emergency Medical Technician-Basic

Gabriel R. Barrera ++
Eli Cardenas ++
Stephen M. Deike +
Derek J. Drake
Emily Paige Fairgrieve ++
Miranda R. Fortunato ++
Daniel Fuentes +
Jeffrey S. Garvin +
Mercedes Gasca +
Daniel P. Goetsch ++
Ivan I. Gomez ++
Sean Gurion +
Leslie Danielle Hernandez +
Kevin C. Kaschke ++
Tyler C. Kelly ++
Jacob G. Kyprianidis +
Noah Lloyd +
Leticia D. Luna +
Ariel Martinez ++
Orlando Martinez ++
Ethan T. Ortlund +
Esha S. Patel ++
Ivanshi D. Patel ++
Kaitlyn N. Reagle +
Kyle J. Roudebush +
Devanshi C. Shukla ++
John Steidle ++
Shakthivarrun Suresh ++
Andrew Thavone +
Fredy Valladares +
Manuel Vazquez +
Pedro A. Visbal ++
Kylie C. Walker ++

Emergency Medical Technology-Paramedic

Kevin D. Bagrowski ++
Andrew J. Beverly + *
Angela M. Bishop ++
Christopher J. Blonskij +
Rosemary E. Bolding +

Kaylee R. Boston ++
Adrian Delgado +
Genevieve E. Dierking +
Ryan P. Differding +
Daniel M. Dugo +
Samantha Estrada +
Jonathan M. Franklin +
Steven P. Geotsalitis ++
Sean Hlavin +
Austin J. Hoover
Stephen C. Johnson +
Adam K. Johnston +
Andrew W. Kania ++ *
Ryan W. Latvaitis ++
Jordan S. Lenox +
James R. Mitchell
Christian J. Nolan ++
Justin M. Peters ++
Dylan Peterson +
Shealynn Robinson ++
Ryan R. Rompel +
Reese F. Samin
Mark Schultz ++
Joshua J. Swanson
Max L. Thalhammer
Rhyanne H. Hernandez Warner +
Ryan J. Weston +
Richard G. Zugay ++

Gas Metal Arc Welding

Jose L. Nava Jr. ++

Magnetic Resonance Imaging

Samantha L. Crane ++

Marketing

Lori Daddono ++

Music Production

Antonio Bruno ++

BASIC VOCATIONAL SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE *continued*

Paralegal

Enrique Vargas Jr.

Phlebotomy

Josie Vaughn DeCicco ++

Genesis N. Fuentes

Kimberly Garcia +

Ximena Garcia ++

Maricela Lopez ++

Public Safety Communications

Aurea A. Aurioles ++

Recovery Support Specialist

Victoria C. Bounds ++ *

Warren J. Boykin ++

Alejandra M. Castillo ++ *

Eddie R. Freimark ++

Laura A. Hinkle ++

Alexandra A. Jerzyk ++

Jeanette M. Towns ++

Residential Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning Systems

Hever S. Diaz ++

Logan V. Murray ++

Truck Driving

Nicholas W. Aiello ++

Ramon Cabrera ++

James M. Garner +

Joshua Perez Golembiewski ++

Erik J. Mendoza +

Duane F. Perkins ++

Alexander A. Quezada ++

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DECEMBER 2023 CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE

Emily G. Acevedo	Jasmine N. Cook ++ *
Izaak Acevedo	Jasmine G. Corona
Jackson A. Adams +	Maggie K. Cramer
Ederlyn May S. Adora	Trevor C. Crisci ++
Kaitlyn Rae Aehlert	Maria C. Robles Cruz + *
America M. Aguilar +	Ma Lourdes Darwin +
Nicole M. Alcantar +	Jaquelynn R. DeLavernge
Daisy G. Alcaraz	Samantha Delgado
Anya Tripoli Alfante +	Mia Delordo
Andrea Heily Pizano Alvarado	Cristian A. Diaz
Jazmin Panfilo Araujo	Fatima K. Dogar +
Lesli Arroyo	Jake J. Doherty
Emily R. Awalt	Peter J. Dombrowski ++
Fatima Ayub +	Lauren Dooley
Gloria M. Baez-Cruz	Jack Logan Draper
Dayana Isabella Bagdo Lugo	Bailey Duffield
Rodney J. Barber +	Amber M. Dugo
Yaritza E. Barrera	Rebecca Clegg Dunski
Angelo Gabriel Santos Bassig	Galilea Duran
Liliana Olvera Bedolla	Cynthia Elias
Jessi I. Blakley	Michael J. Erazo ++
Zoe J. Blazier ++	Ruth J. Esparza ++ *
Jordan E. Blomstrand ++	Stephanie Lucia Esparza
Brett R. Bloomberg	Emily Espinosa ++
Joselynn Bolanos	Maria G. Espinoza-Limon ++
Anna G. Bourne +	Maria G. Esqueda Luna *
Meghan M. Brophy ++ *	Mohammed Faiquddin
Emma Brown ++	Ginalucia Faso
Owen R. Butler	Casey L. Flatland ++
Starr Calabria	Daniel James Fleming +
Aolany Campuzano +	Jacob M. Gantz ++
Gwyneth Joy P. Canlas *	Angela Garcia ++
Taina M. Caraballo *	Jose Luis Garcia Jr.
Lizet Castillo +	Margaret Garcia *
Vanessa Castro	Brian Garduno
Kirk R. Chandetka	Amber M. Gebhardt
Michayla E. Chandler +	Grace Makenzie Genke ++ *
Antonio G. Cipolla +	Sophia Georgitsis
Nicole B. Clements	Jaylin L. Gomez +
Quinn A. Coleman ++ *	Ashley Gonzalez ++ *
Juana Elizabeth Contreras	Veronica Gonzalez

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE *continued*

Stacey Gonzalez-Gloria
Makayla L. Gotter ++
Madison A. Gow
Brianna Katece Gray
Grace B. Greenwell
Johnnay D. Hall
Alyssa Nicole Harvey
Farah H. Hassan
Clayton William Elliott Hazelgrove IV *
Taylor Nicole Heard
Jasmin C. Hernandez + *
Jorge Arturo Carreon Hernandez ++ *
Keiry X. Argueta Hernandez
Tyler Hopkins
Aliza B. Ideran + *
Sophia Jacobs
Brandon Jarnutowski
Maureen C. Jimenez
Chance J. Kesler
Mariya Khan +
Kailee A. Klempler +
Gina Marie LaGrippe +
Kassandra Landeros
Gabriela Lara
Duke A. Larkin
Cena Leach +
Kaitlyn E. Leithem
Angela F. Lelli ++
Natalie S. Leon + *
Marisa Letizia ++ *
Laura Linares
Alejandro Lopez ++
Blanca A. Lopez ++
Ciara N. Lopez
Daniela Lopez ++ *
Karla I. Lopez
Giuseppe F. Lorusso *
Jake Ryan Lynam +
Isabella I. Maes
Melanie Maldonado
Isabella Nicole Martinez +
Maximus J. Medigovich +
Destiny R. Meza
Erin R. Milczarski +
Alexander J. Miller
Gavan J. Mitchell ++
Kyle A. Mohr ++
Sophia V. Moncini +
David Javier Moreno de la Santa
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Stephanie Murillo
Patrica K. Musanje
Caitlin Myrda ++ *
Alexis S. Nally
Caroline Edna Nansamba
Cyra A. Oh +
Alexandra Olvera +
Nicholas A. Oquendo +
Jesse T. Ortega
Vera Isen E. Otto
Asia Payton
Sydney C. Peterson
Hannah J. Pieler-Salinas +
Joshua J. Pieper
Kevin M. Pini
Alexander J. Raleigh
Alexis Ramirez *
Fitz Gerard Reyes Ramirez Jr.
Veronica Ramirez ++
Tristan D. Ribbens ++
Anna Rivera
Ariel G. Rivera + *
Victoria A. Robledo
Angelli E. Robles +
Jorge Rodriguez
Lesly Rodriguez *
Tracy Rodriguez +
Erin G. Rollins
Rena J. Rosenquist
Cole D. Runkel

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Victoria I. Rutkowski +
Janette V. Saltigerald-Garcia
Francis I. Santiago
Cynthia Saucedo
Julia E. Schmidt +
Tyler J. Schutt
Raghdah F. Shaibi + *
Omar Sifuentes +
Michael E. Small +
Danielle T. Smith
Davey Sphabmixay
Abigail Stout
Julia V. Swanson ++
Jenalyn C. Ticzon
Jacob V. Toniolo ++
Jonathan Ivan Torres
Victoria Rose Tulley *

Jarred A. Tupas
Sherlyn E. Umana
Miranda R. Urdaneta ++
Marisa Nicole Vara +
Emilio Vargas
Leonardo R. Velazquez ++
Anthony John M. Villa +
Edgar Villa Jr. ++
Luis M. Villalba Jr.
Adriana J. Wandell ++
Cole E. Weiler *
Jennifer Darling Wells
Graham B. Werkmeister +
Nikala R. Wiedenbeck
Madelyn P. Witecha *
Jennifer Anne Zitella ++ *

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE

Mohammed Aman Ahmed ++ *
Faiz Ansari +
Juan Manuel Antunez + *
Rodrigo Arroyo + *
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Automotive Service Technology

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Criminal Justice

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Communication Design-Videography and Motion Graphics

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Education-Early Childhood

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Karina Ochoa ++
Jacqueline Pena ++
Lindsay P. Wolf ++

Fire Science and Safety

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Emmanuel Martinez Jr. +
Jonathan Mutchler ++
Marissa R. Roman +

Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration

Fernando Jaimes ++
Giovanny Jaimes ++
Sebastian A. Luberda

Human Services Generalist

Maryam Ebadi
Onyeka G. Eledan
Crystal Espinoza ++ *
Clarissa Murphy ++
Claudia Ramirez ++

Human Services-Substance Abuse Counseling Option

Jesse A. Ramirez ++
Erica Ann Thomas ++

IST/Maintenance Technology

Emmanuel Fuentes ++
Eric L. Hanson ++
Daniel A. Siegal +

Industrial Manufacturing Technology

Andrew J. Helsper

Management

Chuthathip Wetzel ++

Nursing

Karli Anne Bateman
Katherine Bolonkowska
Dotianna L. Burrage
Gwyneth Joy P. Canlas + *
Josefina Carlos
Gabrielle Denise Connell +
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Kimberly Czerniak
Eric K. Foster
Elizabeth L. Frey *
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Tessa H. Johnson
Arianna Rae Kelly
Gina Marie LaGrippe +
Luke Lauder +
Ciara N. Lopez
Lucia Paulina Carpio Lopez
Christina J. Loreda
Grace Victoria Lossau ++ *
Esperanza Najera +
Caroline Edna Nansamba
Madison D. Newman *
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Yader D. Quinones +
Annie Rajamysay
Juan Ramirez + *
Katherine Rusnarczyk
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Jennifer Silva *

Shaifali Singh

Jennifer L. Snively

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Angelina Valenzuela +

Joshua Kyle Villacastin ++

Jennifer Darling Wells +

Mario Zavala *

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Hailey Shown +

Surgical Technology

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Diana A. Ruiz Lopez +

Jessenia Salazar

Welding Fabrication Technology

Matt Tobin

Pastry Arts

Maria Del Cielo Zarate

VOCATIONAL SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE

Clinical Dental Assisting

Areliz Barrientos

Emily Diana Cruz ++

Dustin Egbert

Nicole A. Fox ++

Britney Garcia ++

America Ollua ++

Criminal Justice Law Enforcement

Nikki L. Forrest

Education-Early Childhood

Yessica Corona

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*Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning
Facilities Maintenance Technician*

Matthew S. Frendreiss ++

Ryan J. Sukta ++

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and Air Conditioning Service Tech*

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Massage Therapy

Giselle Flores

Pilar Hernandez ++

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James Park ++

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Maritza Sanchez

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Public Safety Communications

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Estefania Gonzalez Martinez

Lynnette Morales

Atilio E. Moran

Evelyn Crystal Perez

Jocelyn Saavedra

Arianna Julia Zimny

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Jacob G. Kyprianidis +

Eduardo Erasmo Salgado

Brake and Suspension Specialist

Jose L. Rosiles

Computer Network Specialist

Zeel K. Soni ++

Digital Forensics

Kathryn Woehrle ++

Education-Early Childhood

Kimberly A. Garcia ++

Marivel Flores Lopez ++

Giovonnie D. Simmons

Erica Smith ++

Edwina L. Watkins *

Lindsay P. Wolf ++

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Connor M. Edgerton

Pedro A. Garcia

Benjamin Jablonski

Kyle A. Klatka

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Ramsell A. Lopez

Dominik Makarewicz

Hannah J. Pieler-Salinas

Roberto Prado

Diego A. Sanchez

Kayla Scham

Melanie G. Williams

Airyana J. Williams-Cole

Emergency Medical Technology-Paramedic

Huyen M. Nguyen

Engine Mechanical Repair Specialist

Benjamin West Hoskins

Marcus L. Walker-Sundara

Engine Performance Specialist

Alexis R. Sanchez

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Shawn M. Adkerson ++

Industrial Maintenance

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Joana K. Garcia

Eric L. Hanson +

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Meg N. Markovich ++

BASIC VOCATIONAL SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE *continued*

Marketing

Molly M. Gruber +

Paralegal

Brianna Gray +

Jasmin C. Hernandez ++ *

Jennifer Teran ++

Personal Training

Brianna Ramos

Anthony Alejandro Rios

Samuel I. Sancho

Phlebotomy

Sophie E. Blackmore ++

Maribel Bosque +

Melissa Z. Cardenas

Alexandra Costante

Lizeth Guzman

Monika Olpinski

Melina Beltran Rodriguez

Maria R. Vega +

Mayra Guadalupe Velazquez +

Preclinical Dental Assisting

Areliz Barrientos

Emily Diana Cruz

Madison E. Lara +

Recovery Support Specialist

Samantha M. Collins ++

Jennifer J. Guadarrama ++

Julie B. Hansen ++

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Veronica Klicka ++

Sheilah A. Lavizzo ++

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Tara M. Retondo ++

James E. Thompson ++ *

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Residential Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning Service Technician

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ACADEMIC MACE

An academic mace is traditionally carried in procession and mounted on stage whenever degrees are granted or when the faculty is assembled in formal academic dress. Elgin Community College's mace is made of locally grown black walnut, copper, and glass and incorporates ECC's logo and shared values. The mace was designed and crafted by Joel Peck, professor of art history; David Reich, professor of welding; and Howard Russo, professor emeritus of visual arts. It was funded by the Elgin Community College Faculty Association as a gift to ECC President David Sam in celebration of the 60th anniversary of the college in May 2010.

LAMP OF KNOWLEDGE

The "lamp of knowledge" featured on the college's official seal and shown on stage during commencement symbolizes the illumination of the mind through scholarly pursuits. The lamp, as an indicator of intellectual and spiritual insight, has ancient origins reflected in numerous cultures and religions throughout the world. As a symbol for higher education, the lamp is connected to Greek philosopher Diogenes (circa 404-323 B.C.), who is reputed to have carried a lantern at noon in search of an "honest man," in which the man may have represented truth and knowledge.

The lamp featured on the ECC stage today was made by Howard Russo, professor emeritus of visual arts. Former Dean David Broad and Professor Emeritus E. Max von Isser were instrumental in establishing the lamp of knowledge in the college's seal and heraldry.

ACADEMIC DRESS

Academic costumes derive from a type of robe and a head covering worn in the twelfth and thirteenth centuries. Diversity in color and style developed until an intercollegiate code was adopted in the United States to encourage standard designs and usage.

An academic costume consists of three items: the gown, the hood, and the Oxford cap or mortarboard. Gowns are easily distinguished by their sleeves. Basic gowns have full sleeves. Bachelor's gowns have long pointed sleeves. The sleeves of a master's gown are oblong panels reaching nearly to the hem of the gown. Each sleeve has a small arc cut out near the bottom and a slit at the elbow through which the wearer extends his arm. A doctor's gown has full and bell-shaped sleeves which carry three horizontal bars; it also has a velvet panel extending around the neck and down the front of the hem. The velvet trim is usually black, but may be of the color associated with the degree.

An associate's hood has a colored lining but no trim. A bachelor's hood is the same length but is trimmed with a narrow velvet band. A master's hood is longer and trimmed. A doctor's hood is four feet long, has a broad, rounded base, and is trimmed with a five-inch velvet border. The color of the trim of a hood identifies the wearer's degree; that of the lining, the institution which conferred the degree.

The Oxford cap, usually referred to as a mortarboard, is black and has a long tassel which is fastened by a button on the top. Doctors wear a gold tassel. The tassel is usually worn dangling over the left front of the cap. During conferring of degrees, the graduates turn their tassels from right to left symbolizing the completion of their degrees or certificates.

Colors that appear on the trim of the hoods and indicating the field of study include:

Arts White
Business Drab
Education Light Blue
Engineering Orange

Fine Arts Brown
High Honors Gold
Music Pink
Science Golden Yellow

HONOR CORDS AND STOLES

HIGH HONORS

Students who are graduating with high honors are wearing gold cords.

HONORS

Students who are graduating with honors are wearing bronze cords.

BLACK STUDENT ACHIEVERS

Members of this student organization are wearing stoles made of Kente cloth, which is produced in Ghana. The cloth's design is known as "key to success" and was chosen by students to acknowledge the vital role that formal education plays in their lives.

ICAPS SCHOLARS

Students who are graduating as ICAPS Scholars are wearing silver stoles.

RHO KAPPA CHAPTER OF PHI THETA KAPPA

Members of this community college honor society are wearing gold stoles and tassels.

SALUTE VETERANS HONOR SOCIETY

Members of this veterans honor society are wearing white stoles.

VETERANS

Active-duty military and veterans are wearing red, white, and blue Americana cords to honor their service to our country.

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Students who earned ECC Foundation and Board of Trustee scholarships are wearing silver cords.

STUDENT LEADER RECOGNITION

Students who served as executive board members of ECC student clubs or organizations for two semesters and have exhibited exemplary leadership and service to the college are recognized with blue and silver cords.

STUDENTS WHO ARE NOT SILENT (SWANS)

Members of this LGBTQIA+ advocacy group are wearing lavender cords.

TRIO STUDENT SUPPORT

Students participating in the U.S. Department of Education student support services program are wearing red stoles.

APPRENTICE

Students who participated in a U.S. Department of Labor certified apprenticeship during their studies are wearing green stoles.

ASSOCIATED NURSING STUDENTS

Members of this club exhibit nursing excellence in an altruistic and culturally sensitive manner within our community and are wearing apricot cords.

ORGANIZATION OF LATIN AMERICAN STUDENTS

Students of Hispanic descent are wearing serape stoles.

1949 – 2024



Elgin Community College to celebrate 75 years of excellence!

From our ambitious start in 1949 to today, ECC has committed to helping people improve their lives through learning.

To celebrate the many achievements of our students, staff, faculty members, board of trustees, and communities, ECC invites you to join us for events in 2024 to honor our past and look to our future.



Please scan this QR code for a full list of events to celebrate our anniversary in 2024. We hope you'll join us.

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

You did it!

You invested hard work and honored a commitment to yourself knowing that education improves lives. Today, we celebrate your achievements and welcome you to a community of over 50,000 alumni. ECC alumni all have one thing in common—a determination to transform their dreams into a better reality. We are proud of you and we hope you will always be proud to be ECC!

Leverage your alumni network

Networking is a lifetime benefit of your education, so keep moving with fellow alumni on LinkedIn.com.

- Create a free LinkedIn® profile and include ECC in your education section.
- Forge relationships and nurture connections through what you have in common with others, like ECC, as you build a professional network.
- Follow ECC on LinkedIn and watch posts for alumni and community opportunities.

Move ahead by coming back

Expand your leadership skills when you volunteer on an ECC advisory committee, as a guest speaker, or as an expert panelist. Opportunities to multiply your career contacts nationally and throughout communities served by ECC might lead you to an intern or apprentice, a new hire, or even your own next job.

Alumni successes reinforce the strong reputation of an ECC education and amplify a legacy of excellence. You strengthen our community and inspire students by sharing your story.

Today isn't the end of your relationship with ECC, it's a new beginning. To learn more, contact the Office of Alumni Relations at alumni@elgin.edu or 847-214-7820.



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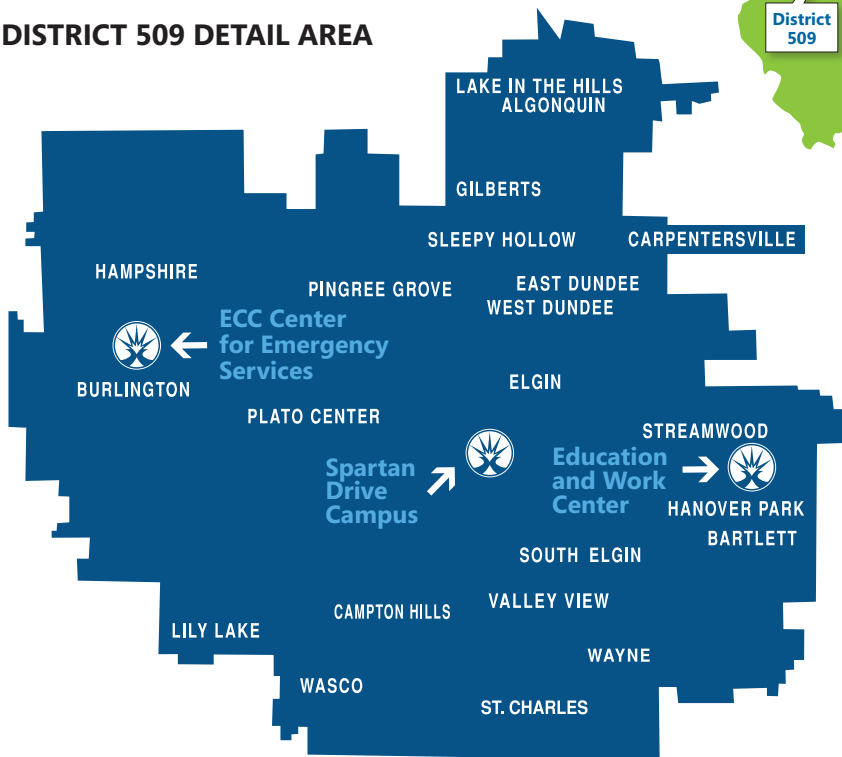
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to today's commencement celebration.**

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