Spring, 2019

Dear Class of 2019 Ducks:

You are invited to attend the Ethnic Studies Department’s graduation ceremony on Sunday, June 16, 2019 at 12:00pm on the Education West Lawn, (this is located parallel to Kincaid, between Alder House and Education). Your family and friends are welcome to come. If any of your guests will require alter-able accommodations, please let us know by Friday, May 31st, 2019, so that appropriate arrangements can be made; wheelchair access, Braille programs and sign language interpretation are readily available if you make your request in a timely manner. Light refreshments will be served following the ceremony. Please be aware that, although you are invited to participate in the spring ceremony, attaining your degree is contingent upon completion of your major/minor requirements.

The following graduation materials are attached and posted on the Ethnic Studies web page: a Commencement Flyer with more details about Commencement Day, regalia, etc., and a Ceremony Description. This year, Name Cards will be available in several ways: 1) they will be distributed at the ES Grad Info Luncheon on Friday, May 31st, 2) they will be available for pick up in the Ethnic Studies main office in Alder 104, 3) they will be mailed upon request. It is imperative that you bring your Name Card with you to the ceremony. Make any corrections to your name directly on the card. This card lets us know that you are indeed present at the ceremony, and insures that your name will be called. Your name will be called as it is printed on the card unless you make any changes.

As mentioned above, there will be a Grad Info Luncheon at noon on May 31st in the Alder Building Conference Room. Information about where to line up, where pictures will be taken, etc., will be given at this time.

Please RSVP by Friday, May 31st. You can do this by clicking the commencement link on the Ethnic Studies web page (ethnicstudies.uoregon.edu). There you will be directed to the RSVP web form. If you are planning to attend, we ask that you arrive between 11:00-11:30am and check in with Donella Alston at the check-in table. It is there that you will hand in your Name Card.

Further information about commencement and commencement related activities can also be found on the web at: https://commencement.uoregon.edu/ for the UO ceremony and at https://ethnicstudies.uoregon.edu/ for the departmental ceremony.

Congratulations from the faculty and staff of Ethnic Studies!

Sincerely,

Laura Pulido
Department Head, Ethnic Studies