

65<sup>th</sup> Annual Commencement Ceremony acific Oaks Pasadena Civic Auditorium May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025, 10:00AM -12:00PM

Location Details: 300 East Green Street Pasadena, CA 91101 www.thepasadenacivic.com

Graduate Check-in: 8:30 a.m. Located in Exhibit Hall C behind the Civic Auditorium. (see map). Graduates are to arrive on time. Late arrivals may be required to wait until after the ceremonial processional before being escorted to the seating area. Coffee, tea, and water will be available for graduates only.

Entrance for Guests: 9:00 a.m. in front of the Pasadena Civic Auditorium (General seating only). No refreshments are provided for guests. No food/beverages permitted inside the auditorium. Handicap Seating is available on first come, first-served basis on the main level near the entrance.

Information/Rules for Guests: No balloons. No noise makers or air horns. No video recording. Phone camera & pictures are okay, but guests must remain in their seats and not approach the stage or podiums at any time They will be asked to leave the auditorium by Civic Center Staff if these rules are violated.

Guest Tickets: An electronic ticket is required for all guests. (Graduates do not require a ticket). For questions contact (800) 307-7977.

**Parking:** Parking is available at the Paseo Colorado Parking Garage located across from the Civic Center. Graduates and guests are responsible for any parking fees or charges.

Graduate Dress Attire: Please arrive dressed and ready with your Cap, Gown, Tassel, Hood (Hood is required for master's graduates only). There is no place to change clothes. Wear comfortable shoes.

Belongings: Please do not bring any additional bags/belongings with you. You will not be allowed to walk on stage with them. We recommend you leave them with family members. There is no place to leave them behind.

Professional Graduate Pictures (On Stage): Your picture will be taken with the college President while you are crossing the stage. A link will be added to the commencement page a few days after the ceremony for future purchases. The photographer is a private/commercial photographer and is not affiliated with Pacific Oaks College. All guestions regarding the photographs and pricing should be directed to the contact information found on the photographer's website.

## **CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!**