

# Student Recognition and Achievement

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# CAÑADA COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS FOR THE 2020-2021 ACADEMIC YEAR

## ***American Association of University Women Ethel Gayman Endowment Scholarship***

This scholarship is for SMCCCD students who have attained a minimum 3.5 GPA, show financial need, and will continue their education during the upcoming fall term at a four-year college or university accredited by the American Association of Colleges and Universities. Awardees are selected by the Scholarship Committee of the AAUW San Mateo Branch.

*Elena Thai*

## ***American Association of University Women Kathleen Smith Endowment Scholarship***

This scholarship, supported by the American Association of University Women, San Mateo Branch, is for SMCCCD students who have attained a minimum GPA of 3.5, show financial need, and will transfer in the following fall term to a four-year institution of higher learning accredited by the American Association of Colleges and Universities.

*Karolyn Paz-Rubio*

## ***Anne Marquart Scholarship***

This is an endowed fund to provide annual scholarships for worthy, working students with financial need for college; one at each of the three colleges.

*Joel Canche*

## ***Assistance League of San Mateo County***

This scholarship is to help single parents and re-entry students to attend or continue to attend college in an effort to become more financially self-sufficient through education. Students must have economic need. Special consideration given to women and single mothers.

*Pisith Keo*

*Brittney Samora-Delgadill*

## ***Associated Students of Cañada College Senate Leadership Award***

These scholarships recognize students who have shown outstanding leadership and made significant contributions to the College through participation in clubs, organizations, student government or community service/volunteer work.

Student Senate Executive Board Leadership Awards:

*Yin Ue Chan*

*Jadesha Culmer*

*Htet Htet Win Pyone Ei-last name corrected*

*Wina Montian-add*

*Matthew Nuez*

*Jasmin Padilla Valenica*

Student Life Club Leadership Awards:

*Dontario Beverly*

*Pisith Keo*

*Sherilyn Kuo*

*Diego Zevallos*

## ***Associated Students of Cañada College Jose Felix Mayen Transfer Leadership Award***

Given in memory of Jose Felix Mayen, a profound young man we lost much too soon, this scholarship is to recognize a transferring student who has shown outstanding leadership and made significant contributions to the College through participation in clubs, organizations, student government or community service/volunteer work.

*Karolyn Paz-Rubio*

## ***Atkinson Foundation Scholarship***

This scholarship awards deserving new or continuing students enrolled in the College who have a minimum 2.75 GPA and demonstrated financial need.

*Arlexy Angulo*

*Carmel Franco*

*Daniel Martinez*

*Wuendi Ocha Mendoza*

*Myah Pitter*

*Adrian Posadas*

*Janelly Urbizo Hernandez*  
*Citali Venegas*  
*Garrett Weber*  
*Natalia Younan*

### ***Barbara McCarthy Scholarship***

This scholarship is for continuing students pursuing a career in the fields of Physical Education or Healthcare. Recipients must have completed 12 units at Cañada College, with a minimum 2.75 GPA, and demonstrate a commitment to community service.

*Tusongiang Abulikemu*  
*Nancy Sarabia*

### ***Big Smile Scholarship***

This scholarship was established in the memory of the donor's uncle whose big smile was the defining characteristic of his personality. In his work as an appliance salesman at Sears, and in his personal life, his big smile made people feel welcome and appreciated. This scholarship is for a deserving student whose own "big smile" and positive outlook are commendable.

*Mayra Salazar*

### ***BLACH/ELS Construction Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a student majoring in STEM and with a minimum 2.75 GPA.

*Nicol Garcia Laura*

### ***California Community College EOPS Association (CCCEOPSA) Scholarship***

The California Community Colleges Extended Opportunities Program and Services Association (CCCEOPSA) provides scholarships annually statewide to recognize exceptional students of merit who have demonstrated courage, resilience and tenacity in achieving their educational goals. Students selected for this honor are recognized for their leadership and significant contributions to their colleges, fellow students and communities.

*Diego Zevallos Valdisan*

### ***CAN STEM Scholarship***

This scholarship is for an outstanding Cañada student majoring in STEM.

*Eric Delgado*

### ***Cañada Accounting Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a continuing or transferring Cañada student majoring in Accounting who has also given service to the community. Award recipient determined by Accounting Advisory Committee.

*Elle Garibay*  
*Htet Htet Win Pyone Ei*

### ***Cañada Book Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a continuing or transferring Cañada student of merit who would benefit from textbook support.

*Rene Aguilar Mendoza*

### ***Cañada College Honors Transfer Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a continuing or transferring Cañada student. The student must be enrolled in the Cañada College Honors Transfer Program. Membership in Phi Theta Kappa is desirable.

*Elena Thai*

### ***Cañada College Learning Center Awards***

These scholarships honor and reward our Outstanding tutors, BTO Mentors and Learning Center student assistants working in the Cañada College Learning Center. These deserving students were selected by Learning Center Staff, from among many outstanding tutors and student assistants.

In addition to scholarships, these names will also be engraved on plaques permanently on display in the Learning Center.

*Angel Cuesta - Tutor Recognition Award*  
*Diego Zevallos-Outstanding Counter Support Award*



*Luka Radosavljevic – Outstanding Peer Mentor Award*

*Karina Reyna Pardo - Outstanding Tutor Award*

### ***Cañada Fashion Department Scholarship***

This scholarship is for students in the Fashion Design Program at Cañada College. Recipients must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher and already completed coursework in the Fashion Department. Award recipients determined by program faculty.

*Cindy Diep*

*Hannah Jones*

*Kylie Mahana*

*Jeanne Michelle Suzy Mathio Djack*

*Hnin Yee*

### ***Cañada Learning Center Scholarship***

This scholarship honors and rewards students who bring their positive energy to the Cañada Learning Center, demonstrating commitment not only to their own studies but also to the success of the community of students, through either tutoring or collaborative study. Preference is given to students with an interest in social justice or minority affairs. These deserving students were selected by Learning Center Staff

*Dontario Beverly*

*Talia Dorian*

*Htet Htet Win Pyone Ei*

### ***Cañada Learning Center BTO Outstanding Mentee Scholarship***

These scholarships honor and reward outstanding peer mentees in the Bridge to Opportunities Peer Mentorship Program. These awardees demonstrate a great commitment to their education and building a community of support amongst peers. They were selected from many outstanding peer mentors and mentees in the program.

*Matthew Nuez*

*Paloma Felix-Esparza*

### ***Cañada STEM Scholarship***

This scholarship is intended to assist a fulltime continuing or transferring student majoring in a STEM field with their college expenses. Students must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and intend to transfer to a 4-year university after completing their program at Cañada. Extra consideration given to first generation college students and undocumented AB 540 /Dreamers. Up to five scholarships will be awarded annually.

*Dontario Beverly*

*Luka Radosavljevic*

*Karina Reyna Pardo*

*Oriana Rico Ruiz*

*Jeison Velasquez*

### ***Carl E. Ward Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a continuing student enrolled in 12 units or more, with academic achievement and financial need. Awards are to be divided among all three colleges.

*Jazmin Jauregui Miranda*

### ***Castillo Scholarship***

This scholarship recognizes fulltime students of academic merit that have demonstrated financial need. Students must have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

*Tusongjiang Abulikemu*

*Danielle Amaya*

*Mayra Salazar*

*Cecilia Sousa*

*Lorenza Villanueva*

### ***Christine Ryland Scholarship***

This annual award recognizes an incoming, continuing or transferring Cañada student who perseveres in spite of challenges and maintains a positive outlook. Recipient demonstrates commitment to achieving a college education. Award made with recommendation of DRC Staff.

*Jaynar De La Cruz Ochoa*

### ***Classified Senate of Cañada Scholarship***

This scholarship fund is for continuing or transferring students at Cañada with outstanding academic success. Students must have demonstrated financial need.

*Rodolfo Bravo*

*Marcela Cordova*

### ***Connie Barthold Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a new or continuing Cañada student who shows academic potential, demonstrates commitment to the community through community service, philanthropic endeavors and/or efforts with underprivileged populations and demonstrates financial need.

*Marcia Sotil*

### ***CSEA Chapter 33 Scholarship***

This scholarship is sponsored by the California School Employees Association Chapter 33 and is for a fulltime, continuing student who has demonstrated leadership skills on campus through student government, clubs, student employment, tutoring or mentorship.

*Natalie Leyva Garcia*

### ***Dale & Helen Mersereau Scholarship***

This is a discretionary scholarship fund for Cañada students selected by the scholarship committee on the basis of financial need and academic merit. The students shall be incoming, continuing, or returning.

*Delmy Acosta*

*Juliana Andrade*

*Salma Awad*

*Lindsey Chavez*

*Abraham Cortes*

*Jadesha Culmer*

*Talia Dorian*

*Jesus Eaton*

*Lisandra Galeana*

*Andrea Henriquez*

*Hannah Jones*

*Dazlyn Mangrum*

*Blake McNally*

*Ryota Nakashima*

*Citlaly Perez*

*Oriana Rico Ruiz*

*Luis Romero*

*Jenny Salazar Mena*

*Brittney Samora-Delgadill*

*Kaisen Yao*

### ***Danny Carlos Memorial Scholarship***

Danny Carlos was a Redwood City resident, husband, father and former member of the Cañada Colts Baseball Team whose life ended much too soon and before he had finished all he was meant to do. This scholarship given in Danny's memory is awarded to graduating high school seniors and continuing students who will attend Cañada College full-time. Students must be passionate about service to others and seek to change the world for the better through education, hard work and laughter. Recipients must have demonstrated high academic achievement, service to the community through volunteerism, financial need and be first generation college students.

*Sayra Esteban Tobar*

### ***Darryl Usher Memorial Scholarship***

In memory of Darryl Usher, son of Alma Usher, an emeritus classified staff member at Cañada, this scholarship is awarded annually to a student athlete of merit with demonstrated financial need.

*Levon Witherspoon*

### ***Dr. Genevieve H. Cory Interior Design Scholarship***

This Cañada scholarship is for a continuing full-time or part-time student in Interior Design who is chosen by the Interior Design Department. The criteria are industriousness, diligence, devotion to the program and to the interior design field, at least a modicum of

talent, and other criteria determined by the Interior Design faculty.

*Melanie Vejmolá*

### ***Dr. Steven Shire Memorial Scholarship***

The Dr. Steven J. Shire Memorial Scholarship is awarded to a Cañada College Digital Art and Animation student who has demonstrated interest, skill and talent in photography. Selection is made upon recommendation of department faculty. Steve was a scientist and lover of digital art who fulfilled his childhood dream of becoming a chemist and began his career at Genentech where, over 32 years, he achieved more than 10 patents and published around 90 reviews and 100 scientific articles. Steve particularly enjoyed multimedia classes in Cañada College's Digital Art and Animation Department and the Shire family has chosen to honor his passion with this scholarship.

*Kleiton Santos*

### ***ECE Student Scholarship***

This scholarship is for students who have declared Early Childhood Education as their major and are preparing for an AS degree or transfer. Minimum 3.25 GPA, demonstrated financial need, and has shown service to the community.

*Toiny Ha*

### ***Edward Barthold Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a new or continuing Cañada student of academic merit with a minimum GPA of

3.0 majoring in nursing, medical sciences or biology-related sciences.

*Miriam Alegre Antezana*

### ***Eleanore D. Nettle Scholarship***

This scholarship is made in the name of Eleanore D. Nettle, who was a long-time Trustee of the District. This scholarship is awarded to a student who demonstrates an avowed interest in education with intent to enter into the teaching profession. Student must maintain a 3.0 or higher GPA.

*Yaneth Carrillo Cardenas*

### ***Elizabeth Egan Scholarship in Art***

This scholarship is for a continuing or returning student majoring in Studio Art. Students must have completed one year at Cañada, be fulltime, have a minimum 3.5 GPA and demonstrated financial need. Should there not be a qualified Studio Art applicant, then the scholarship may be presented to an otherwise qualified applicant majoring in Multimedia Art, Art History, Music or Drama, in this order.

*Kleiton Santos*

### ***Elizabeth Rose Miller Scholarship***

This scholarship is made in the name of Elizabeth Rose Miller, who was a graduate of the San Mateo County Community College District in English. She was a published author of the American Revolution as seen by the British newspapers. She was also the Head Librarian at both the Redwood City Tribune and the Palo Alto Times newspapers. This scholarship will be awarded to a full-time student with a minimum GPA of 3.5, who is also a full-time student who will be transferring to a 4-year academic institution for Journalism or English. This student should also be involved in both Extra Curricular Activities and Volunteer Services.

*Josephine Lucatero-Cuevas*

### ***Elmer Buckthal Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a deserving Cañada Art student.

*Danae Aguilar*

### ***F.L. Griffin Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a Cañada student who is an immigrant that has a 3.0 GPA or higher and financial need, living in San Mateo County or Santa Clara County; preference should be given to continuing students at Cañada.

*Karina Godinez Lopez*

### ***Gail Kamei Scholarship***

This scholarship is given to honor the memory of classified staff member, Gail Kamei, whose warmth and kindness were a hallmark of her career at Cañada



College. This scholarship is awarded to a current or former student assistant in recognition of their outstanding service and contributions to the College.

*Adriana Lopez Contreras*

### ***Gerald Messner/Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a continuing or transferring Cañada student who is a member of Phi Theta Kappa and is majoring in the humanities.

*Josephine Lucatero-Cuevas*

### ***Gus Pagels Scholarship***

This scholarship, named in honor of former Cañada English Professor Gus Pagels, is for a current or former English Institute student. Student must demonstrate academic merit and financial need.

*Alejandra Farfan*

### ***Hamilton Family Award for Excellence in STEM Scholarship***

This award recognizes the recipients of the Cañada College Science and Technology awards for their academic excellence and outstanding contributions to the STEM Center and College. One award is given to a continuing student and one for a transferring student.

*Carlos Santana*

*Jeison Velasquez*

### ***Hamilton Family Chancellor's Scholarship***

This award is for deserving students of merit from the San Mateo County Community College District. Students must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 and be fulltime students. The recipients of this award will be selected by the current San Mateo County Community College District Chancellor.

*Jadesha Culmer*

### ***Hewett-Berdon Memorial Scholarship***

This award is given in memory of emeritus math faculty Jean D. Berdon and her mother. Preference for this

scholarship is given to students of merit majoring in Biotechnology, Mathematics or Engineering.

*Yasmin Ochoa Salazar*

### ***Humanities & Social Sciences Scholarship***

This award gives recognition to students who illustrate exceptional interest and merit in the humanities and social sciences. Selection made upon recommendation of division faculty.

*Emily Gavidia*

### ***Iliff Scholarship***

This is an award for international students based first on need, then on academic excellence. The award is administered by the International Student advisors, with one award at each college.

*Htet Htet Win Pyone Ei*

### ***Jean Evelyn Letsinger Scholarship***

This scholarship is from the estate of Jean Letsinger and is to be used to recognize students pursuing a career in teaching. Students must demonstrate financial need.

*Zulma Gonzalez Uribe*

### ***Karl S. Pister Leadership Scholarship, UCSC***

This \$20,000 scholarship is for a transferring student leader who has attained outstanding academic achievement and is nominated by Cañada College. Acceptance of the nomination is determined by the University of California, Santa Cruz scholarship committee.

*Samuel Trujillo*

### ***Kitchen & Bath Design Student Scholarship***

This scholarship is for an Interior Design student pursuing the Kitchen & Bath Certificate. Minimum cumulative GPA: 3.0. The award will be determined annually by the Cañada Interior Design faculty.

*Melanie Vejmolá*

### ***Laura Hill Griffin Scholarship***

This Cañada scholarship is for a re-entry student who is a parent with a 3.0 GPA and financial need living in San Mateo County or Santa Clara County; preference should be given to continuing students at Cañada.

*Rocio Guardado*

### ***League of CA Cities - Latino Caucus Scholarship***

This scholarship is for continuing or transferring Cañada students who have demonstrated commitment to service in their community and/or have expressed an interest in pursuing a career in public service. Students must have a minimum GPA of 2.75 and have long-term academic interests in leadership development, public administration, teaching or a closely related field.

*Stephen Coleman*

*Erica Cornejo*

*Michael Dillon-Marshall*

*Alma Garcia Rios*

*Yuanchun Guo*

*Diana Lignan Guevara*

*Marta Lilian Marcos De Silva*

*Ignacio Morales*

*Kalea Pasion*

*Edgar Ramos*

*Diana Viscarra*

### ***Lewis Family STEM Scholarship***

This scholarship is for incoming, continuing or transferring students majoring in a STEM field. Students must have demonstrated financial need and a minimum 2.5 GPA.

*Manoel Aguirre Lara*

### ***Mary Topalis Trust for CSM and Cañada Nursing Scholarship***

This scholarship is for students pursuing a nursing degree and selection of the recipient is based on merit and demonstrated financial need. The recipients should show promise of success in their Nursing Program.

*Miriam Alegre Antezana*

*Oluwafemi Faniku*

*Alejandra Farfan*

*Marianna Gomez Lopez*

*Tina Laiseni*

*Moriah Meskin*

*Jennifer Reynoso*

*Wimeshi Roberts*

*Sara Saperstein*

### ***Nature-Ecology Preservation Scholarship***

The Nature/Ecology Preservation scholarship is awarded to a continuing or transferring Cañada student who has initiated or been involved in projects that demonstrate an environmental concern. Preference given for students pursuing majors and careers in environmental science, resource management and sustainability.

*Herbert Aguilar Mendoza*

### ***Nellie Leong Scholarship***

This scholarship is in honor of Nellie Leong, a dedicated and popular 10-year employee of the SMCCCD. This scholarship is for fulltime students and shall be awarded based on a combination of financial need and academic performance.

*Ariana Cortes*

*Lea Fisher*

*Naomi Levine Sporer*

*Mauricio Lopez*

*Uriel Manrique*

*Diana Griselda Mendoza Gonzalez*

*Skone Panyatriratn*

*Edgar Perez*

*Brandon Reyes*

*Jenna Reyes*

*Jussell Sanchez Galicia*

*Samuel Trujillo*

### ***Oscar Siguenza Memorial Scholarship***

The purpose of this scholarship is to provide scholarship support to those students showing financial need and who indicate that they are planning to transfer to a 4-year institution following their time at SMCCCD. This scholarship includes a mentorship component. Students are required to meet with the donor once a semester.

*Herbert Aguilar Mendoza*

### ***Osher Scholars Endowment Scholarship***

This scholarship is funded through the generosity of the Bernard Osher Foundation and is part of a \$25 million endowment to the Foundation for Community Colleges. Student eligibility is based on a combination of criteria including eligibility for the California College Promise Grant fee waiver, determination to achieve in spite of adversity and a commitment towards completing their college education. Students must be enrolled at least half time and be making satisfactory academic progress.

*Robert Baiata*

*Laurina Girgis*

*Lata Laiseni*

*Sendybell Mendoza Ibanez*

*Nadia Moreno*

*Cristina Mozo*

### ***Pacific Dining Student Scholarship***

This scholarship is for continuing students of merit with a minimum 3.0 GPA and demonstrated financial need required. Any major is eligible with preference given to students majoring in a business-related field. Scholarship funds made available through the support of Pacific Dining and the San Mateo County Community College District Auxiliary Services.

*Irina Bychkova*

*Sheena Kong*

*Mario Silva*

*Vanessa To*

### ***Pat Hanada Classified Service Scholarship***

Named in memory of long-time classified staff member Pat Hanada, this scholarship will be awarded each year to a Cañada student in recognition of outstanding service and/or contributions to the College, either as a volunteer, as a club officer, or as a paid student assistant. Minimum GPA of 2.5, continuing or transferring student.

*Daniel Diaz*

### ***Patricia Miljanich Scholarship for Emancipated Foster Youth***

This scholarship is awarded to a full-time or part-time new, returning or continuing student with a minimum GPA of 2.0. Special consideration given to students who were in foster care or, as determined by the court in their state of legal residence, an emancipated minor.

*Miguel Garalde Melo*

### ***Photon Master's Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a full-time or continuing Cañada student majoring in Radiologic Technology with a minimum GPA of 3.0. in all radiologic technology courses.

*Robert Baiata*

*Laurina Girgis*

### ***Private Client Reserve Scholarship***

This scholarship is for incoming, continuing, or transferring Cañada students of merit who are committed to attaining a college degree.

*Jia Pelpa*

*Kadializ Solis*

### ***Robert & Toni Oyster Endowed Scholarship***

Named for local community members, Robert and Toni Oyster, this scholarship is given to a continuing or transferring student who has demonstrated financial need. Preference given to students who have returned



or re-entered college after a break who are committed towards achieving a college education.

*Gabriela Ramirez*

### ***Robert Stiff Scholarship***

This scholarship, in honor of emeritus Cañada President Robert Stiff, is awarded each year to recognize students of academic merit with financial need that have demonstrated a commitment to the betterment of Cañada College by being involved in leadership or volunteer activities. Students may be continuing or transferring.

*Christian Chavez-Cabello*

### ***Ronald F. Weidman Theatre Arts Scholarship***

Named in memory of a distinguished teacher of Theatre Arts at all three county community colleges, this scholarship is for a versatile student of theatre arts, and recommended by the Drama/Theatre Arts Department.

*Yi Wei*

### ***San Francisco Benefactor Nursing Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a fulltime nursing student of merit. Preference is given to students who will be transferring into CSM's AS or SFSU BSN programs. The student should have a demonstrated financial need with a high likelihood of success in the nursing program.

*Jennifer Reynoso*

### ***San Mateo County Community Colleges Foundation Scholarship***

This fund is supported by the generosity of the Cañada College community and San Mateo County Community Colleges Foundation to annually provide numerous scholarships for deserving incoming, continuing and transferring students that have a sincere desire to attend college.

*Sachi Abe*

*Rochelle Abrams*

*Nobemi Aguilar*

*Dylan Alcazar*

*Bryant Arinaga-Hernandez*

*Noluthando Arreola*

*Marvin Avelar*

*Kyle Brown*

*Monisakol Bun*

*Joel Canche*

*Yanet Carrillo Napoles*

*Talisa Castro*

*Isela Cedenio*

*Yin Ue Chan*

*Lindsey Chavez*

*Liangyu Chen*

*Jemina Corro*

*Patricia Culberson*

*Maria Determann*

*Lea Fisher*

*Milan Florez*

*Edwin Galicia*

*Brandon Garcia*

*Elle Garibay*

*Emily Gavidia*

*Vanessa Giraldo Ruiz*

*Alberto Gonzalez*

*Toiny Ha*

*Xinyue Hai*

*Abdulkader Hasbini*

*Jose Hernandez*

*Jose Hernandez Sebastian*

*Ashley Huerta*

*Pei-Tzu Hung*

*Jazmin Jauregui Miranda*

*Ksenia Kolyeva*

*Christina Lindeman*

*Diana Lopez Bartolo*

*Monica Madriz Corona*

*Meghana Manjunath*

*Enrique Marengo Jarquin*

*Christian Russel Marpuri*

*Ingrid Martinez Guerra*

*Walter Martinez Marroquin*

*Griselda Mayen*  
*Libnny Mazariegos Bolanos*  
*Josue Mejia*  
*Sophia Melendrez*  
*Guadalupe Mendoza*  
*Christiane Monteiro*  
*Wina Montian*  
*Takuma Mori*  
*Matthew Nuez*  
*Jake Papapietro*  
*Karolyn Paz-Rubio*  
*Janette Rayo*  
*Rachel Reese*  
*Fernanda Reyes*  
*Jamon Roberts*  
*Jesus Robles*  
*Yanci Rodas Munguia*  
*Fabiola Rodriguez Martinez*  
*Jenny Salazar Mena*  
*Gorkem Saldamli*  
*Jussell Sanchez Galicia*  
*Ratish Sharma*  
*Brian Skinner*  
*Khin Shwe Than*  
*Stephanie Vazquez*  
*Yan Wang*  
*Bo Yang*  
*Lidice Zegarra*  
*Diego Zevallos*

### ***San Mateo Credit Union Scholarship***

This scholarship is for students with a minimum 3.0 GPA who have financial need and have performed and are committed to service in their community.

*Denisse Espino Tinoco*

### ***SMCCCD Bookstores Textbook Scholarship***

This textbook scholarship is for continuing students of merit, minimum 3.0 GPA and demonstrated financial need required. Scholarship funds made available through

the support of the San Mateo County Community College District Bookstores.

*Kaisen Yao*

### ***SMCCCD Retirees' Scholarship***

This scholarship is supported through fundraising by the San Mateo County Community College District Retirees and is for at least one continuing and transferring student at each college; minimum 3.0 GPA; completed 12 units at college of application; enrolled as a fulltime student when the scholarship funds are received.

*Simone Almendarez Baltodano*

*Salvador Cardenas*

*Cathleen Espinoza*

*Guidance Gunundu*

### ***Social Sciences of Cañada College Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a fulltime student who plans to transfer with a minimum GPA of 3.5. Major or career track in Anthropology, Communication Studies, Economics, Geography, History, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, or Sociology. The recipients should participate in various clubs on campus, especially the Social Sciences Club, Political Awareness Club, and/or Phi Theta Kappa

*Angel Cuesta*

### ***Susan Yoshimura Scholarship***

In memory of classified staff member Susan Yoshimura, this scholarship is awarded to a continuing or transferring Cañada student who demonstrates perseverance in attaining their educational goals. Students challenged by disability or chronic illness given priority.

*Esmeralda Reynosa Lozano*

### ***The Science and Technology Division Scholarship***

This scholarship is for two outstanding transfer or continuing Cañada students majoring in a science related major.

*Carlos Santana*

*Jeison Velasquez*

### ***Toby Merman Memorial Scholarship in Interior Design***

This scholarship is for students in or entering the Interior Design Department who intend to pursue a professional career in the Interior Design fields. The student should demonstrate artistic or technical ability through a combination of portfolio, letters of recommendation, and/or GPA. Financial need is a criterion and the scholarship should be awarded to a student whose current circumstances present an obstacle. If all applicants are equally qualified, preference should be given to a veteran of the armed services.

*Melanie Vejmolá*

### ***University Pathway Scholarship***

This scholarship is funding for an incoming or continuing Cañada student who plans to transfer to a 4-year university. Students must be San Mateo County residents, have a minimum 3.0 GPA and demonstrated financial need. The scholarship is renewable for up to three years while attending Cañada provided students maintain the minimum GPA and progress standards in completing their educational goal.

*Tania Pena Rubio*

*Elia Plancarte*

### ***Virginia Hudson Memorial Scholarship***

This scholarship is for a transferring student of merit eligible under AB540 with limited access to financial aid resources. Special consideration for students planning to transfer to a California State University or University of California campus.

*Katty Noyfrios Rodriguez*

### ***Women in Gaming/3-D Animation/ Multimedia Scholarship***

This scholarship recognizes a continuing or transferring Cañada student majoring in Gaming, 3-D Animation and/or Multimedia. Students must have completed at least 6.0 units in the Multimedia Program at Cañada College and have a minimum 3.0 GPA. Award made upon recommendation from Multimedia Department faculty.

*Marcia Sotil*

## **CAÑADA COLLEGE SPECIAL RECOGNITION**

### ***Class of 2019 Valedictorian***

This honor is bestowed upon a graduate (or graduates) for exceptional academic achievement and outstanding accomplishment of educational goals.

*To be announced*

### ***President's Student Leadership Award***

This award recognizes a Cañada student each year who has demonstrated significant involvement and leadership qualities that represent the values and mission of the College. Nominees may be submitted for this award by any member of the Cañada community.

*To be announced*

The  
**STEMCENTER**  
at Cañada College

## **THE STEM CENTER AT CAÑADA COLLEGE**

The STEM Center at Cañada College gives math, engineering and science majors who are working to transfer to a 4-year university:

- Academic support to succeed in math, engineering and science courses
- A comfortable place to study, meet with professors, participate in clubs and find friends
- Help to apply for and win scholarships and internships
- Visits to colleges and real work environments, plus networking with professionals

### **Results for STEM students at Cañada College**

In the past six years:



- STEM students were admitted to 26 universities, including UC Berkeley, UCLA, UC Davis, UC Merced, UC Santa Barbara, UC San Diego, UC Riverside, CalPoly San Luis Obispo, CalPoly Pomona, SJSU, SFSU, Cal State East Bay, Chico State, Santa Clara University, U of Massachusetts Lowell, Mount Holyoke, Brown, Cornell, Carnegie Mellon and Stanford.
- STEM students have won over \$2,000,000 in scholarships

## Science & Technology Division – Outstanding Student Awards

### *Hamilton Award for Excellence in STEM*

This award is for Cañada students of merit majoring in math or science fields. Students must have at least a 3.2 GPA with plans to pursue a bachelor's or graduate degree. Selection of the award is made by the Science and Technology Division faculty and is based on academic achievement and service to the Division. Two awards will be given this year to recognize an outstanding continuing student and an outstanding transfer student. The Hamilton Award for Excellence in STEM is a \$1,000 scholarship given to each of the Science & Technology Division outstanding students.

*Carlos Santana* - Outstanding Student  
Transferring to a 4-year University in fall 2020

*Jeison Velasquez* - Outstanding Student  
Continuing at Cañada College in fall 2020

### *Cañada College National Science Foundation (NSF) Scholarship Recipients*

Cañada College's STEM Center manages a five-year grant funded by the National Science Foundation (NSF) that provides more than \$500,000 in scholarship awards to academically talented, low-income students working to transfer to a 4-year university to complete an undergraduate degree in an engineering, math or science major.

### NSF Scholars – 2019-20

*Manoel Aguirre Lara*  
*Arlexy Angulo*

*Dontario Beverly*  
*Carlos Cabello Santos*  
*Miguel Cedillo*  
*Luis Chisco*  
*Daniel Diaz*  
*Cathleen Espinoza*  
*Paloma Felix-Esparza*  
*Miguel Garalde Melo*  
*Abdulkader Hasbini*  
*Nicol Arlette Garcia Laura*  
*Natalie Leyva Garcia*  
*Christian Russel Marपुरi*  
*Wina Montian*  
*Yasmin Ochoa*  
*Skone Panyatiratn*  
*Jia Pelpa*  
*Adrian Posadas*  
*Jamon Roberts*  
*Carlos Santana*  
*Kadializ Solis*  
*Samuel Trujillo*  
*Citlali Venegas*  
*Natalia Younan*

### STEM Peer Mentors

*Dontario Beverly*  
*Carlos Santana*  
*Paloma Felix-Esparza*  
*Wina Montian*  
*Sherilyn Kuo*  
*Adrian Posadas*  
*Luka Radosavljevic*  
*Manoel Aguirre Lara*  
*Adrien Carrou*

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## HONORS TRANSFER PROGRAM

The Cañada College Honors Transfer Program recognizes its ninth year of graduates. In order to graduate as an Honors Transfer Program Scholar, a student must have enrolled in the Program with a minimum of a 3.3 GPA, and consequently completed a minimum of 15 semester units of honors level coursework. In addition, many of our Honors Transfer Scholars have written original research and presented their work at regional conferences. We are proud of our scholars and wish them the best as they transfer to the most highly competitive universities in the country.

[canadacollege.edu/honorsprogram/](http://canadacollege.edu/honorsprogram/)

### ***Chan, Yin Ue***

Transferring

### ***Ei, Htet Htet Win Pyone***

Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/UC)  
Associate in Science for Transfer degree in Business Administration  
Transferring

### ***Hou, Sydney Linda***

Transferring

### ***Irion, Shannon Kyleigh***

Transferring

### ***Lang, Brice***

Transferring

### ***Lee, Cheuk Yin***

Associate in Arts for Transfer degree in Psychology  
Transferring

### ***Li, Jiaqi***

Transferring

### ***Li, Sijin***

Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/UC)  
Transferring

### ***Luo, Jieping***

Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/CSU)  
Associate in Arts degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with Emphasis in Natural Sciences and Mathematics  
Associate in Science for Transfer in Mathematics  
Transferring

### ***Meskin, Moriah Jasmin***

Associate in Science degree in Allied Health  
Associate in Arts degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with Emphasis Natural Science and Mathematics  
Associate in Arts degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with Emphasis Social and Behavioral Sciences  
Certificate in University Transfer (CSU-General Education Breadth)  
Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/CSU)

### ***Paz-Rubio, Karolyn***

Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/UC)  
Associate in Arts degree in Psychology  
Associate in Arts for Transfer degree in Psychology  
Transferring

### ***Perrin, Patrick***

Transferring

### ***Sherstinsky, Elizabeth***

Transferring

### ***Tam, Anthony***

Transferring

### ***Thai, Elena***

Certificate in University Transfer (IGETC/UC)  
Associate in Science for Transfer degree in Business Administration

Associate in Arts for Transfer degree in Economics  
Transferring

***Witherspoon, Levon***

Transferring

## TRANSFER PROGRAM

The Transfer Center, faculty and staff in various programs and services, collaborates to support students in reaching their transfer goal. This program assists students through the complex transfer process by creating opportunities for students to excel and guiding them to become a competitive transfer candidate. We are pleased to announce that our students have been accepted to the University of their choice and will be at a four-year university starting in the academic year 2020-2021.

The following is a list of students who have notified us of their transfer goal for 2020-2021:

*AAbbitt, Jason A. - Political Science*  
*Abd-Aljawad, Ramzy - Civil Engineering*  
*Abdul Al-Bari, Hatim - Business Administration*  
*Abe, Sachi Natalie - Psychology*  
*Abuirbaileh, Aseel Salah - Philosophy*  
*Abulikemu, Tusongjiang - Biological Sciences*  
*Acosta, Emmanuel - Engineering*  
*Acosta, Elizabeth - Sociology*  
*Acuna Melendez, Mario R. - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Aguilar, Sara L. - Psychology*  
*Aguilar, Nobemi S. - Sociology*  
*Aguirre Lara, Manoel De Paula - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Alcazar Mercado, Lidia - Child and Adolescent Development*  
*Almaraz, Guadalupe Polet - Allied Health*  
*Almendarez Baltodano, Simone Michelle - Sociology*  
*Alvarado, Elizabeth - Human Development*  
*Alvarez, Martov - Business Administration*

*Alvayero Cruz, Christopher - Communication Studies*

*Amaya, Danielle - Child and Adolescent Development*

*Anaya, Christina - Psychology*

*Angel, David - Computer Science*

*Aquino, Brisa Herlinda - Psychology*

*Arlie, Jenna Michele - Mathematics*

*Armstrong, Angus - Mechanical Engineering*

*Arreguin Diaz, Andy - Sociology*

*Arreola, Cristian - Business Administration*

*Arriaza Espana, Brendy - Nursing*

*Arriaza-Espana, Brendy A. - Nursing*

*Atwood, Abigail West - Child and Adolescent Development*

*Augusto, Pedro - Computer Science*

*Avellan, Anayelda Marina - Business Administration*

*Avetian, Dro - Kinesiology*

*Ayon, Yuri - Business Administration*

*Baez Mendoza, Lilia - Sociology*

*Baeza, Matthew - Business Administration*

*Bakour, Dina Luai - Psychology*

*Ball, Kael Monique - Child and Adolescent Development*

*Ball, Amy - Psychology*

*Banks, Darlina - Nursing*

*Barajas-Napoles, Maria Guadalupe - Business Administration*

*Barnes, Kiana Kitana - Communication Studies*

*Barros, Jonathan German - Clinical Nutrition*

*Bautista, Alejandra - Social Work and Human Services*

*Benitez, Sarah - Art History*

*Beverly, Dontario LeMarcus - Mechanical Engineering*

*Bianchini, Isabella - Psychology*

*Bjornson, Joshua - Chemistry*

*Blancarte Rodriguez, Lorena - Nursing*

*Bouri, Andrew - Communication Studies*

*Bravo, Sergio - Business Administration*



*Bravo, Rodolfo - Economics*  
*Bregane, Michael - Electrical Engineering*  
*Burgueno, Mar Xitlalitl - Studio Arts*  
*Cacho, Armando - Business Administration*  
*Cam del Solar, Ricardo - Business Administration*  
*Campos, Sean Robert - Psychology*  
*Canada, Amaris Ray - Theater Arts*  
*Canche, Joel R. - Business Administration*  
*Capi, Jose - Business Administration*  
*Cardenas-Vargas, Jasmin - Early Childhood Education*  
*Carreno, Nayeli E. - Psychology*  
*Carrillo Cardenas, Yaneth - Early Childhood Education*  
*Caruana, Justin Charles - Business Administration*  
*Castellano Ramos, Edgar - Business Administration*  
*Castro, Talisa Danielle - Psychology*  
*Caturegli, Matthew Alexander - Communication Studies*  
*Cedillo, Miguel Angel - Electrical Engineering and Computer Science*  
*Chan, Yin Ue - Economics*  
*Chavarin, Luis - Economics*  
*Cheng, Hsinyi - Business Administration*  
*Cheng, Shem - Computer Science*  
*Chin, Alexander - Biology*  
*Chin, Michelle - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Chisco De La Rosa, Luis Enrique - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Choy, Matthew - Public Health*  
*Christiansen, Jesse Eliah - Biology*  
*Cihak, Susanna - Interior Design*  
*Cimmarusti, Nicole Marie - Psychology*  
*Cisneroa Hernandez, Marcela - Psychology*  
*Cobillas, Joshua Israel - Communication Studies and Psychology*  
*Coleman, Stephen Michael - Communication Studies*  
*Colyer, Savannah - Journalism and Mass Communication*  
*Conner, Noah - Communication Studies*  
*Cook, Tommy - Sociology*  
*Cornejo, Erica Jannette - Psychology*  
*Corrales, Rebekah - Communication Studies*  
*Cortes, Ariana Ventura - Sociology and Psychology*  
*Costanza, Yasmina Sabrina Marie - Nursing*  
*Cox, William - English*  
*Cross, Andrew - Business Administration*  
*Cruz, Hassan Salvador - Political Science*  
*Dai, Xuguang - Child and Adolescent Development*  
*Daly, Darien Taylor - Sociology*  
*Daniels, Sammy - Psychology*  
*De La Pena, Stephanie - Psychology*  
*De Paula, Pedro Augusto Alarcao - Computer Science*  
*Del Rio, Perla - Psychology*  
*Del Rio Pineda, Vanessa - Psychology*  
*Delgado, Lauren - Liberal Studies*  
*Diaz, Ana - Business Administration*  
*Diaz Chavira, Sergio D. - Communication Studies*  
*Dillon-Marshall, Michael Robert - Psychology*  
*Donley, Branden Dijos - Allied Health*  
*Ei, Htet Htet Win Pyone - Business Administration*  
*Elian, Joyce Jean - Psychology*  
*Endo, Colin Takashi - Psychology*  
*Espana, Ivan Esteban - Business Administration*  
*Esparza, Alondra Angela - Psychology*  
*Espino Tinoco, Denisse Alejandra - Political Science*  
*Espinoza, Sarah - Child and Adolescent Development*  
*Estevez, Alma - Business Administration*  
*Estevez, Gabriel - Sociology*  
*Estrella, German - Civil Engineering*  
*Fajardo-Cabrera, Jose C. - Psychology*  
*Farias, Cristian - Accounting*  
*Felix Bastidas, Leslie - Psychology*  
*Feng, Yidi - Engineering*  
*Figueroa-Gonzalez, Isabel - Business Administration*  
*Fisher, Lea - Business Administration*  
*Flores, Dario - Animal Science*

Flores, Ariana - Business Administration  
 Flores, Jordan James - Business Administration  
 Flores, Ana Maria - Nursing  
 Fomin, Maxim Evgenyevich - Physics  
 Fonseca, Natalia - Business Administration  
 Fontenot, Taylor - Business Administration  
 Foster, Mary - Political Science  
 Freitas, Savannah L. - Kinesiology  
 Fuqua, Joshua A. - Psychology  
 Galindez, Guyen - Economics  
 Gallo, Chloe - Political Science  
 Galvan, Joana Jasim - Psychology  
 Gammer, Thomas Kilpatrick - Economics  
 Garcia, Carlos - Business Administration  
 Garcia, Tai Nathaniel - Business Administration  
 Garcia, Brandon - Kinesiology  
 Garcia Contreras, Kevin Jose - Psychology  
 Garcia Laura, Nicol Arlette - Microbial Biology  
 Garcia Lopez, Austreberta - Early Childhood Education  
 Garcia-Baldovino, Sergio - Mechanical Engineering  
 Gardner, John Kenneth - Computer Engineering  
 Garduno, Guadalupe Polet - Nursing  
 Garibay, Elle - Economics  
 Garofani, Dante Pascual - Business Administration  
 Garrett, Lenice Seante - Psychology  
 Giannini, Andrea S. - Managerial Economics  
 Gibson, Mackenzie Lauren - Psychology  
 Goeke, David A. - Computer Science  
 Gold, Angelique B. - Child and Adolescent Development  
 Gomez, Jennifer - Psychology  
 Gonzales Villagran, Mario David - Sociology  
 Gonzalez, Hiranía Madai - Psychology  
 Gonzalez Murguia, Cesar David - Applied Mathematics  
 Greco, Joseph Anthony - Psychology  
 Guerrero-Lopez, Alonso - Philosophy  
 Guillory, Amber - Allied Health  
 Gunundu, Guidance - Digital Arts and Animation  
 Guo, Yuanchun - Anthropology  
 Gutierrez, Yesenia - Sociology  
 Gutierrez Haro, Sayra - Early Childhood Education  
 Guzman, Maria L. - Psychology  
 Haddad, Serena - Manufacturing Engineering  
 Hage, Zackary Alessio - English  
 Haider, Kazim - Cell Biology  
 Harvey, Julienna Marie - Psychology, Sociology  
 Haugen, Elsa - Veterinary Science  
 Herrera Lopez, Karen Janely - Business Administration  
 Hidalgo, Conor G. - English  
 Hinojosa, Eduardo - Applied Mathematics  
 Hobbs, Lauren - Business Administration  
 Hoch, Aaron - Accounting  
 Hodges, Caleb James - Business Economics (Pre)  
 Hou, Sydney Linda - Molecular Environmental Biology  
 Huang, Jack - Psychology  
 Huerta, Elizabeth - Nursing  
 Huete, Antonio F. - Mechanical engineering  
 Hummel, Hans - Software Engineering  
 Iligan, Nicolle Arrianne - Interior Design  
 Irion, Shannon Kyleigh - Astrophysics  
 Jarrar, Reda - Business Administration  
 Jauregui Nolasco, Dalia - Business Administration, Economics  
 Jimenez, Alberto Andrew - Sociology  
 Jimenez-Reyes, Robert - Business Administration, Economics  
 Joiner, Gage Evan - Art History  
 Juarez-Garcia, Benjamin Jonathan - Political Science  
 Kena, Lousalina - Business Administration  
 Kervick, Thomas - Business Administration  
 Khalife, Juliet - Psychology  
 Khanmohammad, Abtin - Civil Engineering  
 Kibre, Winifred Jane - Aerospace Engineering  
 Kim, Yeonjoong - Chemistry  
 Kiya, Elise Katrin - Managerial Economics

*Koo, Basil Brian - Software Engineering*  
*Krampert, Nicholas Edmont - Business Administration*  
*Kullberg, Bradford Alan - Economics*  
*Kuo, Sherilyn Ai-Rue - Electrical Engineering and Computer Science*  
*La, Diep Ngoc - Computer Science*  
*Laiseni, Tina H. - Nursing*  
*Landa, Yesenia - Psychology*  
*Lang, Brice Taylor - Astrophysics*  
*Lara, Roland Vincent Abuyuan - Theater Arts*  
*Lastimosa, Nina - Communication Studies*  
*Laureano Mercado, Adriana - Psychology*  
*Lee, Kobe - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Lee, Cheuk Yin - Psychology*  
*Leslie, Laura - Kinesiology*  
*Levi, Veronika - Business Administration*  
*Li, Jiaqi - Economics*  
*Li, Xinyi - Mathematics*  
*Liberati, Brittney - Nursing*  
*Ligana, Diana Elizabeth - Psychology*  
*Linares, Emely - Kinesiology*  
*Liu, Dongkai - Computer Science*  
*Lo, Sin Yi - Software Engineering*  
*Lopacinski, Austin - Business Administration*  
*Lopez, Mauricio Noel - Sociology*  
*Lopez, Janet R. - Early Childhood Education*  
*Lopez, Melissa - Health Science*  
*Lopez, Adrian - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Lopez, Perla - Psychology*  
*Lopez, Erika - Psychology*  
*Lopez Bartolo, Diana Caterina - Political Science*  
*Lucatero-Cuevas, Josephine - English*  
*Luo, Jieping - Applied Mathematics*  
*Lynch, Conor - History*  
*Lynch, Aimee D. - Communication studies*  
*Madden, Ian Dethlefsen - English*  
*Mahoney, Sean James - History*  
*Majors, Amaria Chanel - Political Science*  
*Makableh, Ahmad - Electrical Engineering*  
*Mann, Arash - Business Administration*  
*Manrique, Uriel - Business Administration*  
*Manzanares, Esteban - Business Administration*  
*Marcos De Silva, Marta Lilian - Early Childhood Education*  
*Marpuri, Christian Russel P. - Computer Science*  
*Martin, Kyle Tomoyoshi - Psychology*  
*Martin, Margaret Ann - Psychology*  
*Martinez, Ivan - Psychology*  
*Martinez, Yasmina Isis - Psychology*  
*Mau, Kenneth John - Public Health Sciences*  
*Medina, Cynthia - Early Childhood Education*  
*Medina, Marlene - Nursing*  
*Medina Cambron, Jennifer - Psychology*  
*Meja, Tania Grissel - Early Childhood Education*  
*Mejia, Josue - Psychology*  
*Melo, Miguel - Computer Science*  
*Mendez, Paola E. - Nursing*  
*Mendoza, Diana Griselda - Civil Engineering*  
*Mendoza, Eduardo - Ethnic Studies*  
*Mendoza, Rocio - Business Administration*  
*Mercado, Yesenia Angelica - Sociology*  
*Miller, Erin Megan - Chemistry*  
*Mitchell, Kaylee Nichelle - Kinesiology*  
*Mitchell, Erin Veronica - Psychology*  
*Moose, Samantha K. - Business Administration*  
*Morales, Montserrat - Psychology*  
*Moreno, Katrina - Psychology*  
*Moreno-Silva, Armando - Economics*  
*Munguia, Yanci L. - Biology*  
*Munguia, Paula - Sociology*  
*Munoz, Brenda - Child and Adolescent Development*  
*Murad, Clarissa Mia - Biological Sciences*  
*Mustafa, Omaima - Business Administration*  
*Namini, Arianna - Chemical Engineering*  
*Netane, Makoi Kaenaonalani - Communication Studies*  
*Nevarez, Emmanuel de Jesus - Sociology*  
*Nguyen, Evan Quoc-Tran - Psychology*

*Nolasco-Rojas, Ana - Nursing*  
*Noyfrios Rodriguez, Katty - Social Work and Human Services*  
*Ntambwe, Telhy Mulefu - Communication*  
*Ochoa, Alexander - Business Administration*  
*Ochoa Salazar, Yasmin Yudith - Civil Engineering*  
*Odell, John - Economics*  
*O'Dell, Barbara June - Spanish and Portuguese*  
*Oliva, Jenika Sabrina - Kinesiology*  
*Orellana Cruz, Monica - Mathematics*  
*Orhon, Sarah - Statistics*  
*Orozco, Elizabeth Jazmin - Psychology*  
*Ortiz, Erica - Nursing*  
*Oseguera - Garcia, Noemi - Psychology*  
*Osher, Ellie Sara - Communication*  
*Padilla, Fanor - Kinesiology*  
*Padilla Valencia, Jasmin - Communication Studies*  
*Panjiyar, Krishna Kumar - Computer Science*  
*Panyatriratn, Skone - Computer Science*  
*Pappas, Deanna Marie - Zoology*  
*Paredes Leigh, Estefania - Sociology, Psychology*  
*Pasion, Kalea Celeste - Chemistry*  
*Patel, Mahima - Mathematics, Applied*  
*Paulino, Johan Leslie - Early Childhood Education*  
*Pazoki, Sepehr - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Paz-Rubio, Karolyn Alessia - Psychology*  
*Pearlman, Josh - Applied Mathematics*  
*Pelpa, Jia - Material Science*  
*Pena-Contreras, Kevin - Computer Science*  
*Perez, Catalina - Business Administration*  
*Perez, Adilene - Criminal Justice*  
*Perrin, Patrick Thomas - Political Science*  
*Person, Gillian Lee - Business Administration*  
*Personette, Matthew James - Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*  
*Peter, Vincent - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Phillips, Luke - Political Science*  
*Pinedo, Nicholas - Computer Science and Engineering*  
*Plaza, Paolo Rodolfo - Nutrition and Dietetics*  
*Poltorak, Grace Elizabeth - Human Development*  
*Prasadi, Jenna Priyanka - Managerial Economics*  
*Pu, Zhuoliang - Computer Science*  
*Putney, Jocelyn Crystal - Psychology*  
*Qiu, Wanhua - Child Development*  
*Quinteros, Maria - Psychology*  
*Radosavljevic, Luka - Materials Science and Engineering*  
*Ramirez, Kristy Janice - Psychology*  
*Ramirez-Ruiz, Berenice - Early Childhood Education*  
*Ramos, Erick J. - Computer Science*  
*Raoof, Maan - Mathematics*  
*Raza, Muaammad - Business Administration*  
*Recinos, Lilian Elizabeth - Psychology*  
*Reckas, Elias Ryan - Political Science*  
*Reyes, Diana - Child and Adolescent Development*  
*Reyes, Jenna - Liberal Studies*  
*Reyes Islas, Charlie - Business Administration*  
*Reyes-Barbosa, Selina - Ethnic Studies*  
*Reyna Pardo, Karina - Civil Engineering*  
*Reynosa Lozano, Esmeralda - Early Childhood Education*  
*Riemer, Andrew Taylor - Cognitive Science*  
*Rodas, Yanci - Biology*  
*Rodriguez, Alejandra Abigail - Business Administration*  
*Rodriguez Solis, Maricela - Communication Studies*  
*Ruiz, Ofelia Katrina - Early Childhood Education*  
*Ruiz Jimenez, Melissa - Early Childhood Education*  
*Ruiz Leon, Monica Fernanda - Biological Sciences*  
*Salama, Tadros - Business Administration*  
*Salazar, Krystal - Business Administration*  
*Salazar, Mayra Janet - Communication*  
*Sanchez Cortez, Joel - Business Administration*  
*Sanchez Galicia, Jussell Victoria - Sociology*  
*Sanchez-Gonzalez, Obed - Psychology*  
*Santana, Carlos Jimenez - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Sarabia, Nancy - Kinesiology*  
*Scorso, Lily - Communicative Disorder*



*Seymour, Alyn Patricia - Sociology*  
*Shamieh, Tamara - Sociology*  
*Shani, Nathaniel - Sociology*  
*Sharma, Ratish - Electrical Engineering and Computer Science*  
*Shehadeh, Nada - Business Administration*  
*Shehadeh, Layla - Nursing*  
*Shepard, Melissa Joyce - Sociology*  
*Shermis, Noah Isaiah - Mechanical Engineering*  
*Sherstinsky, Elizabeth Rebecca - Anthropology*  
*Shi, Weifeng - Computer Science*  
*Shiri, Ida - Business Administration*  
*Smith, Matthew Dana - Business Administration*  
*Solis, Kadializ Jasmine - Biological Sciences*  
*Sosa, Marcus Diego - Communication Studies*  
*Souza, Jack - Art History*  
*Souza, Cecila - Psychology*  
*Spence, Michelle - Psychology*  
*Stanton, Alex - Studio Arts*  
*Stebbins, Rebecca Claire - Media Studies*  
*Stodomingo, Jayson - Business Administration*  
*Stypulkoski, Magdalena - Elementary Teacher Education*  
*Talancon, Julio Cesar - Psychology*  
*Tam, Anthony Hoaleung - Psychology*  
*Taufabema, Driza - Communication Studies*  
*Teele, Kaithyn Aileen - Political Science*  
*Thai, Elena Lise - Business Administration*  
*Thapa, Anish - Mathematics*  
*Thiebaut, Michael - Music*  
*Thiele-Sardina, Teodora Louise - Communication Studies*  
*Tian, Binghao - Physics*  
*Torres, Miriam Beatriz - Biological Sciences*  
*Torres, Nancy - Civil Engineering*  
*Torres, Ana M. - Psychology*  
*Tovar, Oscar - Psychology*  
*Tran, Victorionna - Computer Science*  
*Trejo-Cruz, Alicia - Business Administration*  
*Triveno-Castrillon, Chelsea - Political Science*  
*Trujillo, Brian Negret - Business Administration*  
*Trujillo, Juan M. - Business Administration*  
*Trujillo, Samuel - Computer Science*  
*Tsangaropoulos, Lykourgos - Liberal Arts*  
*Tusongjiang, Abulikemu - Biology*  
*Twisselman, Makenna - Psychology*  
*Uctepe, Alican - Business Administration*  
*Uriel, Manrique - Psychology*  
*Valbusa, Dominic - Business Administration*  
*Valdes, Isabelle Francesca - Political Science*  
*Valencia, Glafira - Psychology*  
*Valencia Rosillo, Sheyla - Psychology*  
*Van Dyke, Danielle Jourdan - Film and Digital*  
*Vasquez, Nelida - Kinesiology*  
*Vazquez, Marcos - Video and Art Animation*  
*Vega, Vanessa - Electrical Engineering and Computer Science*  
*Velarde Rodrigue, Arianna - Microbiology*  
*Vides, Noelany - Psychology*  
*Villa, Emiliano - Psychology*  
*Villalobos-Rico, Jeannette - Early Childhood Education*  
*Villasenor, Ricardo - Business Administration*  
*Villeda Santana, Nancy - Communication Studies*  
*Viscarra, Diana Elena - Political Science*  
*Ward, Raquel Alexis - Communication*  
*Wassermann, Emily N. - Interior Design*  
*Weber, Grace F. - Conservation and Resource Study*  
*Weisman, Neil - Psychology*  
*Williams-Choa, Jumikal Maurice - Kinesiology*  
*Winn, Elizabeth Sarah - Chemistry*  
*Witherspoon, Levon Joseph - Biological Sciences*  
*Wood, Joseph - Business Administration*  
*Wu, Weifung Cassie - Biochemistry*  
*Xu, Wendy - Psychology*  
*Yuan, Jiaxi - Economics*  
*Yun, Ed - Computer Science*  
*Zaro, Omar Nidal - Electrical Engineering*  
*Zavala Mota, Maria - Business Administration*  
*Zepeda, Rafael - Economics*

*Zevallos Valdizan, Diego - Communication Studies*  
*Zhang, Le - Computer Science*  
*Zhao, Angela - Marine Biology*  
*Zhou, Fengsheng - Statistics*

*CSU Stanislaus*  
*Sacramento State University*  
*San Francisco State University*  
*San Jose State University*  
*Sonoma State University*

## **TRANSFER INSTITUTIONS**

The following is a list of universities that our students have applied to for the 2020-2021 academic year:

### ***University of California***

*UC Berkeley*  
*UC Davis*  
*UC Irvine*  
*UC Los Angeles*  
*UC Merced*  
*UC Riverside*  
*UC San Diego*  
*UC Santa Barbara*  
*UC Santa Cruz*

### ***California State University***

*Cal Poly - Pomona*  
*Cal Poly - San Luis Obispo*  
*CSU Bakersfield*  
*CSU Channel Island*  
*CSU Chico*  
*CSU Dominguez Hill*  
*CSU East Bay*  
*CSU Fresno*  
*CSU Fullerton*  
*CSU Humboldt*  
*CSU Long Beach*  
*CSU Los Angeles*  
*CSU Monterey Bay*  
*CSU Northridge*  
*CSU San Bernardino*  
*CSU San Diego*  
*CSU San Marcos*

### ***Private and Independent Universities***

*Biola University*  
*Chapman University*  
*Claremont McKenna College*  
*Dominican University*  
*Loyola Marymount University*  
*Menlo College*  
*Mills College*  
*Northeastern University*  
*Northwestern University*  
*Palo Alto University*  
*Pitzer College*  
*Saint Mary's University*  
*Samuel Merritt University*  
*San Diego Christian College*  
*Santa Clara University*  
*Stanford University*  
*University of San Diego*  
*University of San Francisco*  
*University of Southern California*

### ***Out-of-State Universities***

*Arizona State University*  
*Babson College, MA*  
*Boston University, MA*  
*Brown University, RI*  
*Bucknell University, PA*  
*Columbia University, NY*  
*Cornell University, NY*  
*Dartmouth University, NH*  
*Georgetown University, Washington D.C.*  
*Georgia Institute of Technology, GA*  
*Harvard University, MA*

*John Hopkins University, MD*  
*Massachusetts Institute of Technology, MI*  
*New York University, NY*  
*Northeastern University, MA*  
*Oregon State University, OR*  
*Princeton University, NJ*  
*Reed College, OR*  
*Southern Methodist University, TX*  
*Syracuse University, NY*  
*The Savannah College of Art and Design, GA*  
*University of Arizona, AZ*  
*University of Hawaii at Manoa, HI*  
*University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, IL*  
*University of Miami, FL*  
*University of Notre Dame, ID*  
*University of Oregon, OR*  
*University of Pennsylvania, PA*  
*University of Pittsburgh, PA*  
*University of Texas, TX*  
*University of Washington, WA*  
*Washington University, MO*  
*Willamette University, OR*  
*Williams College, MA*  
*Yale University, CT*

### ***Out-of-Country Universities***

*Massey University of New Zealand*



## **CAÑADA BRIDGE TO OPPORTUNITIES PEER MENTORSHIP PROGRAM**

Cañada is proud of its Bridge to Opportunities (BTO) Peer Mentorship Program which provides peer-to-peer support from the first year to transfer- readiness and graduation. Peer Mentors provided 1 on 1 peer support, connected students to academic and student services, and organized study skills workshops and events. Most importantly, they built a community of support for their mentees to motivate them to reach their goals as they

“Start Strong, Stay Strong, and Finish Strong!”

We are proud to honor and thank the following Cañada College BTO Peer Mentors:

*Chelsea Brown*  
*Nicoltt Laura Garcia*  
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## CAÑADA TUTOR PROGRAM

Cañada is proud of its peer tutoring program -- students tutoring students. This year, over 30 tutors offered assistance in subjects spanning the full spectrum from Basic Skills to Workforce Programs to Honors Transfer. These tutors assist students inside and outside of the classroom; some provide their assistance at other locations where we offer courses. Tutors help with content knowledge and study strategies, always seeking to build the students' independence and self-confidence. We are proud to honor and thank the following Cañada Learning Center Tutors.

### **2019 – 20 Learning Center Tutors**

*Vianey Alarcon*  
*Yeyson Alvarez*  
*Juliana Andrade*  
*Sal Cardenas*  
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*Kleiton Santos*  
*Katrina Sun*  
*Greg Trimble*  
*Naomi Zarecki*  
*Alice Zhang*

### **STEM Center Tutors and EPIC Leaders**

The STEM Center is proud to have a team of student leaders that make up the Tutoring and Embedded Peer Instruction Cohort (EPIC) programs. Both Tutor and EPIC Leader roles require not only content knowledge but also the desire to help their peers and grow as professionals. As a result of their efforts, students not only leave feeling better academically prepared, but also more connected to the college community.

*Dontario Le'Marcus Beverly - Tutor and EPIC*  
*Monisakol Bun - Tutor*  
*William Scott Bussing - Tutor*  
*Alex Burke Lim Carlson - Tutor*  
*Salvador Andrew Cardenas - EPIC*  
*Jadesha Shonette Keniece Culmer - EPIC*  
*Daniel Diaz - Tutor*  
*Talia Anahid Dorian - Tutor and EPIC*  
*Kevin Durhan - Tutor*  
*Htet Htet Win Pyone Ei - Tutor and EPIC*  
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*Pisith Keo - Tutor and EPIC*  
*Elise Katrin Kiya - Tutor*  
*Brice Taylor Lang - Tutor*  
*Nicol Arlette Garcia Laura - Tutor*  
*Dongkai Liu - Tutor*

*Jieping Luo - Tutor*  
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*Karina Reyna Pardo - Tutor and EPIC*  
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*Sepehr Pazoki - Tutor*

*Luka Radosavljevic - Tutor and EPIC*  
*Carlos Jimenez Santana - Tutor and EPIC Leader*  
*Noah Isaiah Shermis - Tutor and EPIC*  
*Marcos Traverso - Tutor*  
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*Garrett Rowell Weber - Tutor*  
*Cole Danforth Wilkinson - Tutor*





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