Spring, 2018

Dear Student:

You are invited to attend the Ethnic Studies Department’s graduation ceremony on **Sunday, June 17, 2018** at 12:00 p.m. on Deschutes Lawn, (this is just west of the 13th Ave. kiosk, between Huestis and Deschutes Halls). Your family and friends are welcome to come. If any of your guests will require alter-able accommodations, please let us know by Friday, June 1st, 2018, 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.

Graduation materials are enclosed/attached and posted on the Ethnic Studies web page: a Commencement Flyer with more details about Commencement Day, regalia, etc.; a Ceremony Description and (in hardcopy only), a small card with your name on it. 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.**

Please RSVP by Friday, June 1st. You can do this by clicking the [commencement link](https://commencement.uoregon.edu) on the Ethnic Studies web page ([ethnic.uoregon.edu](https://ethnic.uoregon.edu)). There you will be directed to the RSVP web form. If you are planning to attend, we ask that you arrive between 11:00-11:30 a.m. and check in with Donella Alston or Amy Thomas 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/](https://commencement.uoregon.edu/) for the UO ceremony and at [https://ethnic.uoregon.edu/](https://ethnic.uoregon.edu/) for the departmental ceremony.

Congratulations from the faculty and staff of Ethnic Studies!

Sincerely,

Laura Pulido  
Department Head, Ethnic Studies