

## Commencement/Graduation

Commencement is the highlight of the academic year. As a professional responsibility, good citizenship, and as a show of support for students, all tenured and tenure-track faculty are encouraged to attend the ceremony. Commencement is held on Grigsby Field and the ceremonies begin at 6:00 pm. The faculty and staff procession is led by the Faculty of the Year and the Staff of the Year. The Faculty Marshal and Co-Marshall will have faculty form an arch that all graduates pass through. Faculty sit near the graduates on the field during commencement, and academic regalia is worn by all who participate in the ceremony.

Due to the importance of the inclusion of all faculty in commencement, limited seating is available to part-time faculty on a first-come-first-served basis. In addition, Faculty Senate has purchased regalia that will be available on loan to adjunct faculty participating in the commencement ceremony that do not have their own cap and gown. For additional information, please contact the Faculty Senate Office at Extension 6966.

Associated Students of Chaffey College hosts a reception immediately after the ceremony.

