



OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF STUDENT AFFAIRS
REVELLE COLLEGE

9500 GILMAN DRIVE
LA JOLLA, CALIFORNIA 92093-0321

(858) 534-3492
(858) 534-4663 FAX
<http://revelle.ucsd.edu>

February 20, 2008

Dear Revelle Graduating Senior,

On behalf of the University of California, San Diego and Revelle College, we congratulate you on your upcoming graduation! In preparation for the 2008 Revelle College Commencement, the Revelle Graduation Committee would like to call your attention to some important information.

REVELLE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY: The Revelle College Commencement Ceremony is scheduled for **Sunday, June 22nd at 5:00pm on the RIMAC Field**. No tickets are required for guests, however students must have a ticket to participate in the ceremony. Information on the tickets will be available on the [Revelle College website](#) and on the [UCSD Commencement website](#). Seating is "first-come, first serve". The ceremony usually lasts approximately 2½ hours.

All Campus Graduation Celebration: This year UCSD will hold an all-campus celebration scheduled for the evening of **Thursday, June 19th at 5:30 pm on the RIMAC Field**. Please check the [Revelle College website](#) for updated information.

Senior Week: Due to the U.S. Open in La Jolla, the commencement ceremonies for UCSD have been postponed for one week. This extra week of time between the end of finals and the commencement ceremony will be called "Senior Week." During this week, activities will be planned by UCSD and Revelle for you to enjoy. If you have any input about the activities for Revelle seniors that you would like to see during this week, please refer to the Senior Questionnaire.

STUDENT COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER/NATIONAL ANTHEM SINGER: If you would like to audition for Student Commencement speaker, your application and a copy of your 5-7 minute speech must be submitted to the Revelle Dean's Office by Friday, April 11th at 4:00 pm (Week 2 of Spring Quarter). If you would like to sing the national anthem, your application is also due by Friday, April 11th at 4:00pm. Applications can be picked up at the Revelle Dean's Office, EDNA or may be downloaded from the [Revelle College website](#) (available by Week 10 of Winter Quarter).

Auditions are scheduled for Wednesday, April 16th. Please sign-up for an audition time when turning in your application. If you have any questions please email Angelina Altshuler at aaltshul@ucsd.edu.

SENIOR QUESTIONNAIRE: Included in this letter is an important questionnaire that you must complete. Your feedback is valuable and is used in planning the Commencement Ceremony and various senior events. **If you plan to graduate and will be participating in the ceremony, please [click here](#) to complete the questionnaire.**

Included on the questionnaire is an **Outstanding Teaching Award** nomination form. Please nominate two UCSD professors: one from the Humanities, Fine Arts, or Social Sciences departments and the other from the Natural Sciences, Engineering or Mathematics departments. Please take the time to make specific comments on why your nominee deserves this recognition. The Outstanding Teaching Award will be presented at the commencement ceremony.

REVELLE COLLEGE SENIOR GIFT: On behalf of the Graduating Class of 2008, a senior gift fund is available for your donations. Gift donations will contribute towards the purchase of a gift to be determined by the Grad Committee. Contributions can be made at the Revelle Dean's Office (available online in Spring Quarter) and make checks payable to the UC Development Fund. Seniors donating \$50 or more will receive a free Revelle Graduation T-shirt.

GRADUATION APPLICATION: If you plan to graduate this Spring or Summer, you must complete the online "Degree and Diploma Application" at <http://degree.ucsd.edu> no later than March 21st. Please review your DARS audit on TritonLink, and address any questions concerning your major to your academic department and questions regarding your graduation requirements to your college counselor.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM: Students who have graduated in Fall 2007 or Winter 2008 and those who have applied online by March 21st for Spring or Summer will have their name in the commencement program. Starting March 31st, you should check your name on the graduation list at the [Revelle College website](#). Click on "Academic Advising", and then proceed to "Graduation". All corrections and omissions must be submitted to Cha Viloría in the Revelle Academic Advising Office no later than April 25th.

Cha Viloría can be reached at cviloría@ucsd.edu with any questions regarding the "Degree and Diploma Application" and the Commencement Program.

GRADUATION/ACADEMIC INFORMATION SESSIONS: You are invited to attend an information session if you have additional questions or concerns about graduation. In this info session, we will go over general information on graduation, such as how to apply for graduation, what is your correct graduation quarter, how to make sure your name is in the Commencement program, important deadlines, and more! Choose any of the following sessions: Tuesday, March 4th at 3:00pm, Wednesday, March 5th at 5:00pm, Wednesday, March 12th at 3:00pm, and Thursday, March 13th at 5:00pm. All information sessions will be held in the West Conference Room in the Revelle Administration Building. Details will be available on the [Revelle College website](#).

GRADUATION COMMITTEE: All seniors are welcome to participate in the Graduation Committee meetings on Thursdays of even weeks at 8:00 pm at Round Table Pizza located in the Price Center. Check your email for upcoming events and possible changes to the location of our meetings. Meeting minutes are also posted on the [Revelle Graduation Committee website](#). If you would like to get involved or participate in any way, please contact the chair, Kim Yu at kyu@ucsd.edu.

Additional information concerning the commencement ceremony will be sent out in late May. Please check out the [Revelle College website](#) or the [UCSD Commencement website](#) for any information regarding graduation.

Congratulations again, and we look forward to seeing you on June 22nd!

Sincerely,

Renee Barnett Terry, Ph.D.
Dean of Student Affairs

Kimberly Yu
Graduation Committee Chair

Please pass information in this letter along to your family. The university does not send any information on commencement to your family members.