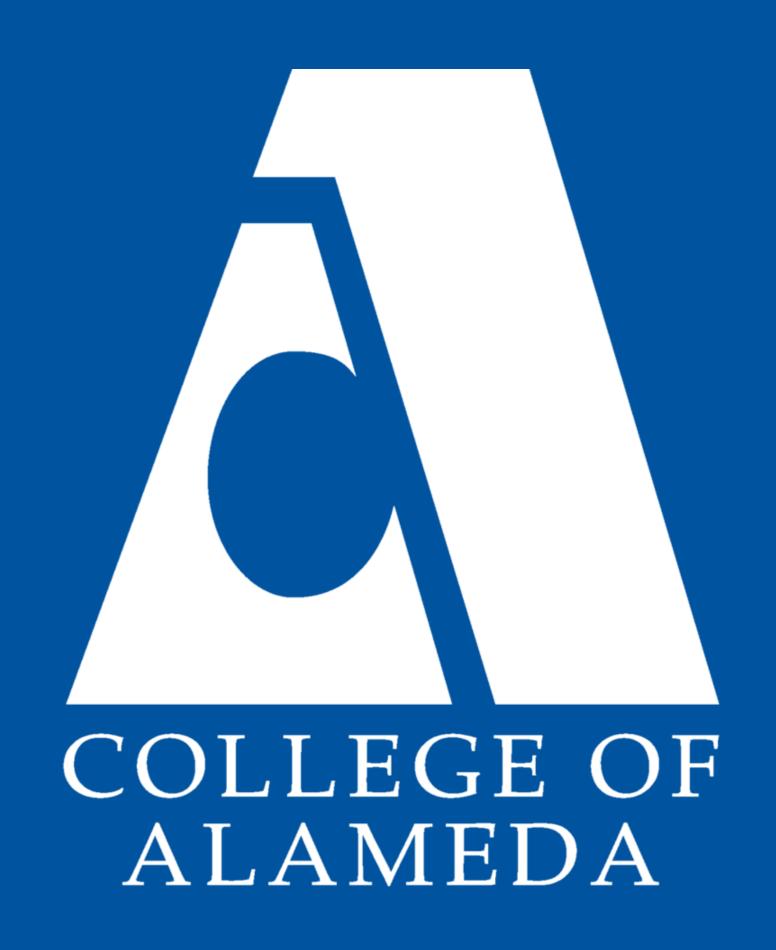
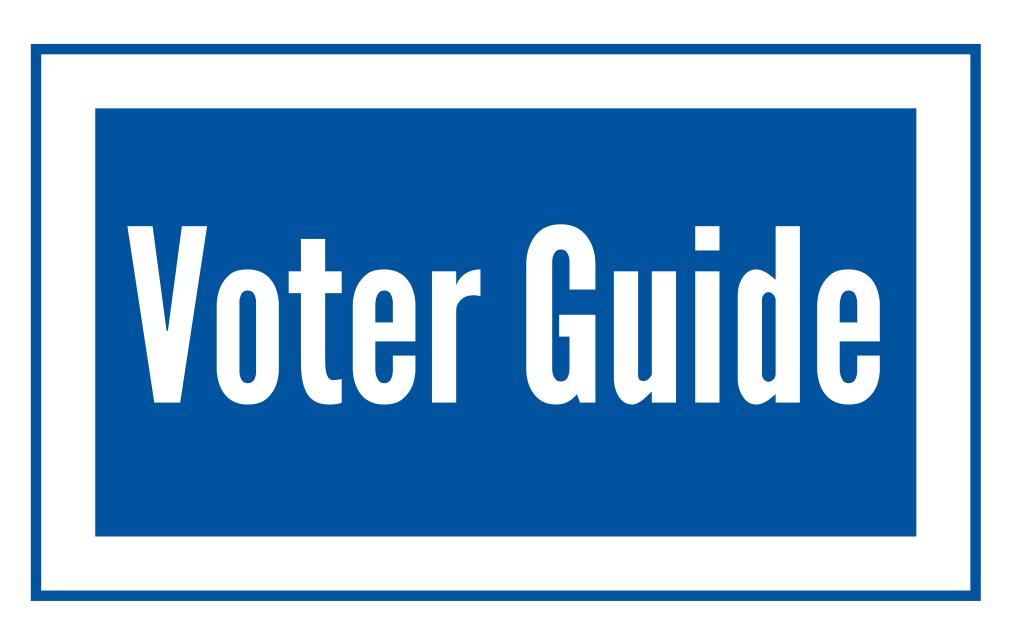
COLLEGE OF ALAMEDA'S Fall 2021 Special Elections Voter's Guide





Voter's Guide:

Use College of Alameda's Voter's Guide to get to know the candidate's mission better and meet the candidate who is running for ASCOA Senator.

How and Where to Vote:

Online voting will begin on Tuesday, November 9th and end on Wednesday, November 10th. The website link will be posted at https://alameda.peralta.edu/ascoa-elections/. Students may not vote on behalf of other students, and a student ID number is required in order to cast a vote.

Meet the Candidates

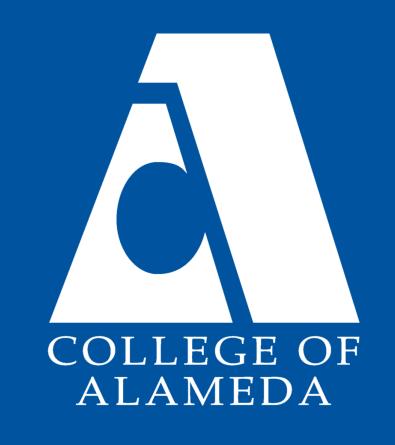


Macarena Valenzuela

Hello Everyone! My name is Macarena Valenzuela. I am currently studying at the College of Alameda and am so glad to have the opportunity to represent my campus community. During this past year, students have overcome the challenge of adjusting from the transition of in-person classes to virtual learning. For many students, the transition may have been quite smooth and for others, it may have caused some difficulty. In addition, I know from experience that this time has been difficult for students of color, and I want to make it known that being a part of student government as a Senator and representing such a large campus is an honor and a privilege.

I am running for the position of Senator within the Associated Student government because I believe that encouraging representation for all students at the College of Alameda will help our community become stronger and more aware of the issues that are most important and impactful within our college. I am grateful for the opportunity to hopefully become the representative for the College of Alameda and voice the perspective of the large student population regarding the issues that most affect them and their college journey. If I were to earn the position of Senator within the Associated Student Government, I would make it my mission to represent the vastly diverse student population of my campus to the best of my ability.

As a student of color, I hope to use my experience in public speaking and community service from when I was Club President for "Jefferson Awards- Students in Action" in high school to further amplify the voice of my fellow students and ensure that their perspectives are acknowledged and valued within our student government. During my time as Senator, I envision the positive changes that students will create as we each continue our journey through college. I am optimistic that as I work alongside my fellow members of student government, we will each become the best representatives possible and create a supportive environment for each other.



ASCOA ELECTIONS

VOTING

Begins at 8 am on 11/09 Ends at 11:59 pm on 11/10



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