

Robert W. Duggan, ('66) UC Santa Barbara Medal Recipient

Robert W. Duggan was born and raised in California. Mr. Duggan has founded and run many successful companies over his long career. For many years, he was chairman and CEO of Pharmacyclics, a biopharmaceutical company primarily focused on cancer therapies that he successfully guided through a \$21 billion merger with AbbVie.

Mr. Duggan now serves as chairman of Duggan Investments, which provides capital for innovative therapies in cancer treatment, anti-microbial therapeutics, human longevity, and anti-aging technologies. He is also chairman of the boards of both Summit Therapeutics and Pulse Biosciences.

Mr. Duggan is a dedicated champion of our campus, having studied economics here in 1966. He established two endowed chairs in the sciences and is a founding donor to the Institute of Energy Efficiency and the XIV Dalai Lama Chair in Tibetan Buddhism and Cultural Studies. He is a proud supporter of UCSB Athletics and a member of the UC Santa Barbara Gold Circle Society.

This special day and ceremony celebrate a major achievement in your life.

The warm thoughts and good wishes of the faculty, the administration, and your many friends at UC Santa Barbara go with you as you pursue graduate or professional schooling, or your chosen career field.

All of us are confident that your time here has instilled within you the knowledge, skills and confidence to enrich the world around you, and that your future will be as challenging and fulfilling as your years at UC Santa Barbara. We hope that your involvement with your campus is only just beginning, as you now join a network of over 260,000 UC Santa Barbara alumni.

UC SANTA BARBARA

Commencement Exercises

College of Letters and Science

Degrees in

Math, Life & Physical Sciences I



Saturday, June Fifteenth

Two Thousand Twenty-Four

Nine O'Clock

Commencement Green

PROCESSION

The audience is requested to stand while the procession is entering.

Kimberly Tobias, Standard Bearer

B.A. in Dance

B.S. in Psychological & Brain Sciences

Susannah Scott, University Marshal

Divisional Chair, Academic Senate

PRESIDING

Pierre Wiltzius

Susan and Bruce Worster Dean of Science

Executive Dean

Michael Miller

Dean and Associate Vice Chancellor of Undergraduate Education

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Gabrielle Lee

B.S. in Biological Sciences

DEAN'S WELCOME

Dean Wiltzius

GREETINGS

Henry T. Yang

Chancellor

UC SANTA BARBARA MEDAL

Robert W. Duggan ('66)

UC Santa Barbara Foundation Trustee

STUDENT ADDRESS

Gabriel Cohen

B.S. in Pharmacology

CANDIDATE STAGE CROSSING

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Chancellor Yang

University Marshal Scott

UNIVERSITY SONG

Tuyet Bach

B.S. in Biological Sciences

Hail to California

Hail to California, Alma Mater dear,

Sing the joyful chorus,

Sound it far and near,

Rallying 'round her banner,

We will never fail—

California, Alma Mater,

Hail! Hail! Hail!

RECESSION

Carillon Music from Storke Tower

Wesley Arai

University Carillonist

This event will be photographed and recorded.

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