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-Juan Carlos Alvarez Reyes
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-Natallie Arce

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Ilene Arce
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*-Tanya Arita
Nursing, CSU Los Angeles*



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Neuroscience, UC Riverside



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-Grace Avila
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*-Lucia Bibian
Psychology, CSU San Bernardino*



Sara Bridgewater
Liberal Studies, CSU San Bernardino



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Communication Studies, Cal Poly Pomona

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Erick Carrera
Psychology, CSU San Bernardino



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Communications, CSU San Bernardino

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-Christina Chambers
Political Science, UC Riverside



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-Ken Chow
Accounting, CSU San Bernardino



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*-Ashley Contreras
Liberal Studies, CSU San Bernardino*



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Aurelia Dennis
Communication Studies, CSU San Bernardino



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Johnathan Garibay
Computer Science, CSU San Bernardino



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*-Matthew Gauthier
Psychology, CSU San Bernardino*



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Accounting, CSU San Bernardino



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*Congratulations!
Best of luck
to all of VVC's transfer
students!*