

SANTA ANA COLLEGE  
2016



*senior  
fashion  
show*

FASHION | ART | MUSIC  
MAY 7 | DOORS OPEN AT 7PM  
at the Santora Building  
Downtown Santa Ana

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# Order of Events

## Hosted by Kevin Nguyen

7 pm Doors open

7:30pm SHOW #1 featuring;

1. Natalie Rivera
2. Ivonne Nolasco
3. Cindy Johnson
4. Santa Ana High School Unconventional Materials
5. Alexa Vasquez
6. Jennifer Howe

8:15 pm Doors open for Show #2

8:30pm Show #2 featuring:

1. Rebecca Daniels
2. Santa Ana High School Pajama Party
3. Irving Munoz
4. Berenice Gonzalez
5. Ryan Melchor

9:30 pm Winner announced upstairs near art gallery

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### **FDM 102- Promotions & Coordination class**

Andrea Almeida  
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# Senior Designer Bios



## Natalie Rivera

Wedding gown doodles became Natalie's dream of one day becoming a fashion designer. She was constantly inspired by her mother's fashion creations. At fourteen years of age, her family had to move to Mexico due to immigration laws. Her family struggled to find jobs, so they began to manufacture uniforms. Eventually they tore down their kitchen in which they opened up a boutique. Natalie returned to California, finished high school, and went to CSU Fullerton for Psychology. She was drawn back to fashion and enrolled in Santa Ana College's Fashion Department.

Her passion for fashion has gotten her to showcase her collection at Santa Ana College's 2015 Fashion Show and recently showcased at Downtown Santa Ana's OC Designers in Action's 2015 show. She is more determined than ever before to share her art through elegant and classy fashion silhouettes. Natalie continues expanding her fashion design knowledge by attending Santa Ana College and expects to graduate in 2017.

My name is Ivonne Nolasco. I began taking fashion classes a SAC in 2014. I was born and raised in Santa Ana and am constantly inspired by my cultural roots. For this collection, I wanted to push myself and do something out of my comfort zone. I am working with silhouettes and color palettes that have never experimented with. The name of my collection is "Watch out, Sailor". I was inspired by the mermaid tail silhouette and sense of vintage femininity, which reflects my personal style. I am using colors that reflect a romantic summer night and fabrics that accentuate the body. Designing my own line has given me a lot of opportunities to expand my knowledge of the fashion industry. I hope to look back on this experience in the future and be able to feel proud of my accomplish-



## Ivonne Nolasco

## Cindy Johnson



Cindy Johnson is a lifelong craft enthusiast. She started sewing when she was 12 years old and has worked for a craft magazine. Cindy came to Santa Ana College to take pattern drafting classes and has taken further class since then. Her line is aimed to bring attention to the recent availability of low cost clothing produced by under paid workers and which has also created an environmental disaster. Cindy's entire line is created with upcycled textiles.

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Born in Oaxaca, 1989.  
Migrated to  
the Unites States, 1991.  
From Santa Ana

## Alexa Vasquez

Currently living in San Bernardino, CA with my amazing boyfriend and four cats,

"I find deep inspiration in my experience as a child immigrant. Through my art, I am constantly trying to find my way home."



Jenn Howe has combined her love of sewing with her love for motorcycles, and is pursuing an A.A. Degree in Apparel Design and Product Development.

## Jenn Howe

After working in the EMS community as a Paramedic, working in a hospital, and then as a UXO Technician (Unexploded Ordnance) doing military contract work she decided that none of those were the right long term career choice for her. She has been riding motorcycles for over 10 years, and she currently rides a Ducati Monster on the street and a Honda CRF 150R on the dirt. She

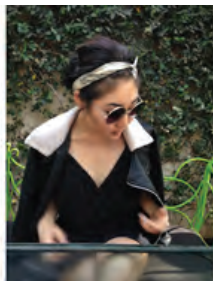
also enjoys exploring outdoors, and most things adventurous. Her creativity coupled with her passions have inspired her to be part of bringing more quality riding gear, and apparel options to the women within the riding community. After graduation she hopes to fulfill a career in the action sports industry, and more specifically for either motocross or street riding.

inspirations accomplishments

## Jenny Park

I strive to design luxury lingerie. My love and passion towards lingerie stems from my passion for vintage and retro

glamour and appreciation of all bodies. From that, I like to create pieces that are elegant, classic, timeless, and most importantly, comfortable for all ages to wear. Although black and lace is my usual "go to", I love playing with shapes and colors inspired from the 20's and 30's in places such as New York or Paris, all the way up to what is modern now. I feel as if lingerie if lingerie is a necessity, so why not make it an exciting experience? Personally, I don't {always} view it as a form as seduction, but as something much more personal. Nothing would make me happier than to make every person wearing my designs to feel as beautiful, glamorous, and confident as they truly deserve.



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## Rebecca Daniels

Rebecca Daniels is currently finishing up her

last semester in the fashion program, and will be obtaining degrees in fashion design and fashion merchandising. After she graduates, she hopes to one day open up her own store or start her own clothing line. Her first collection for her line RED is inspired by her travels to Thailand with a missions team from Eastside Christian Church in June 2015. Through the relaxed and romantic

silhouettes and vibes of her collection, she wants to express the joy and love she felt while she was there. .

## Irving Munoz

Irving Munoz is a senior fashion designer at Santa Ana College.

He is aspiring to follow in his Father's footsteps as a fashion designer. Irving is currently focusing on menswear, where he is combining contemporary design, detailed tailoring techniques, with an urban/street influence. He is also an intern at BornXRaised, a streetwear brand based in Los Angeles where he is gaining a lot of hand on experience in the fashion industry.



## Berenice Gonzalez

Berenice Gonzalez is a fashion designer originally from Mexico City. When she was 15 years old, she was pursuing an accounting career. Even though she was okay with her career, something deep inside was telling her to follow her fashion dream. Couple years later, her family decided to move to States. She arrived to California at the age of 17 years old without speaking a single word of English. As a young girl full of dreams, she decided to start over and pursue her dreams. Before she graduated from high school, she was pretty sure that all she wanted to do was to pursue a career in fashion. her mom, who used to be a

dress maker, was her main supporter and she was the one who motivates her to pursue her fashion education. she started to take her first sewing class in 2009. In 2012, she got accepted as an intern at Galeana Designs where she had some amazing experiences. In 2013, she won first place 'Best in Show' at the Santa Ana College Fashion Show. In 2014, She graduated from college with two degrees one in Fashion Design and the other one in fashion design & merchandising. In 2015, She got her third degree in fashion design, custom clothing apparel.

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## Ryan Melchor

Age 23

Instagram: ryan.melchor

Born and raised in Santa Ana, CA, I have always had a passion for drawing and sketching. Growing up it was a way to express myself and create. I am not a sewer, so I took a fashion outlook in Visual Merchandising, they ability to lifestyle already produced items to coordinate with color stories and moods. With my Fashion Merchandising and Buying degree, I have had the opportunity to work with

many different companies in a fast growing career such as Forever 21, Victoria's Secret, Tilly's, Pac Sun, and Vans. I chose to show a picture of me and my little sister because I asked her to draw me anything she wanted and she choose the bear used in the tent dress print found in the SAC Art Gallery. Using techniques I learned in class, I made a step and repeat inspired by my little sister, Emily Melchor. Thank you all for continuing to support our fashion program! Follow my fashion inspired Instagram account to see more of my fashion favorites!

## Thank you to Santa Ana High!

### Recycled Materials Designers:

Look 1-Brigitte Moreno and Sandra Alba-Delacruz

Look 2-Alondra Ramirez, Paulina Quiroz, and Susana Pastor

Look 3-Ferin Bucio and Sergio Perez with Maria Sanchez modeling

Look 4- Esmeralda Corona, Yuala Cienfuegas, Erica, Bermudez, and Lesly Nicanor

### Pajama Party:

Modeled by Ana Linares, Cynthia Ruiz, Marilu Abarca, and Veronica Vivar

Looks made by all students in class

## Thank you to Judges

**Linda Nguyen-** Boutique owner of The Renewed Co.  
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**Michelle Graff-** SAC Alumni and current CSULB Fashion Design Major

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1. FDM 052-22464 Knit Sewing  
6/14/2016- 07/21/2016 Tuesday & Thursday  
3:15pm to 8:30pm Room T-201

2. FDM 053-22623 Introduction to Sewing  
6/14/2016- 07/21/2016 Tuesday & Thursday  
3:15pm to 8:30pm Room T-201

3. FDM 055-22451 Children's Clothing  
6/14/2016- 07/21/2016 Tuesday & Thursday  
10 am to 2:20 pm Room T-201

4. FDM 105B-22453 Intermediate Sewing  
6/14/2016- 07/21/2016 Tuesday & Thursday  
10 am to 2:20 pm Room T-201

5. FDM 299- 22465 Work Experience

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