

### 2020 Virtual Commencement

Due to the current stay-at-home guidelines, LCAD will be holding our first virtual commencement ceremony on May 22<sup>nd</sup>, at 2:00PM. The ceremony, which will be hosted on YouTube Live, will feature comments from LCAD President Jonathan Burke, Chief Operating Officer and Provost Hélène Garrison, Chairman of the Board of LCAD Trustees Jared Mathis, student speaker Kimya Ramezani and all of our Department Chairs. The ceremony will also showcase student Tim Rhodes singing the National Anthem. Afterward, several Department Chairs will be hosting individual live Zoom sessions to celebrate with their students and families. Invites with links to the ceremony and the post-ceremony break-out Zoom sessions will be sent to students via e-mail the week prior to commencement. We are very proud of our graduating students, especially considering the extenuating circumstances they have overcome these past couple of months.

