



Media Advisory

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Los Angeles Trade-Technical College Hosts Groundbreaking Ceremony for New Design & Media Arts Building on March 17, 2025

New home of the college's Design & Media Arts Pathway is scheduled to open in 2027



WHAT:

(Los Angeles, CA—March 10, 2025) Los Angeles Technical-Trade College (LATTC) hosts a groundbreaking celebration for its Design & Media Arts (DMA) Building on Monday, March 17, 2025 at 10 am. The upcoming DMA Building will be the new home of the college's Design & Media Arts pathway, which features programs like Digital Media, Fashion Design, Fashion Technology, Fashion Merchandising, Sign Graphics, Tailoring, and Visual Communications.

The three-story DMA building will include classrooms, computer labs, a multi-purpose space, social lounges, living labs, and a street-level exhibition and gallery space that will showcase garments, costumes, and collections. The building advances the Los Angeles Community College District's 2040 clean energy goal with the inclusion of fully electrified HVAC and steam systems and cool roof with photovoltaic panels that will generate 15% of the building's average electricity needs on-site.

The project is scheduled for completion in 2027.

WHEN: Monday, March 17, 2025 at 10 am

WHERE: Los Angeles Trade-Technical College (LATTC)
Near Health & Related Sciences / B3 Building
400 W. Washington Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90015

Media may park at the Olive Street Parking Garage at Olive Street and Washington Blvd (enter off of Olive).

About Design & Media Arts at LATTC

LATTC's Design & Media Arts Pathway assists students in realizing their educational aspirations and attaining creative careers within the field of design and media arts. The pathway offers degrees and certificates in Digital Media, Fashion Design and Fashion Technology, Fashion Merchandising, Sign Graphics, Tailoring, and Visual Communications. These programs of study prepare students to balance creative and practical skills, while providing rigorous comprehensive training through the use of manual and technological tools. Every Spring and Fall, the Fashion Design program hosts one of the college's signature events, the Gold Thimble Fashion Show, showcasing designs from students graduating from the program.

About LATTC

Located just south of downtown Los Angeles, Los Angeles Trade-Technical College (LATTC) is one of nine public community colleges in the Los Angeles Community College District (LACCD). Established in 1925, the college offers more than 80 career-technical programs that move students into careers in two years or less. In addition to an unmatched selection of quality career programs, LATTC prepares students for transfer, with 18 CSU transfer degrees, and transfer guarantee programs with the University of California and local private and independent colleges and universities.

Location: 400 West Washington Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90015

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