Ashley Garcia

Student Trustee Garcia was elected as the San Mateo County Community College District Student Trustee in June 2021. She is a College of San Mateo Policital Science Major, graduate from Capuchino High School, and a first- generation college student.

She hopes to increase equity and livelihood for all students, especially for first-generation immigrants. She would also like to ensure all students are aware of the support, opportunities, and events that the colleges offer. Ultimately, her goal is to help voice the opinions of her fellow students so they feel heard, especially at Board Meetings.

In addition to working as the Student Trustee, she plans on engaging in activities provided by the Promise Program, the Democrats Club, and more. She will also continue advocating for social justice issues such as Climate Change, Black Lives Matter, and Healthcare.

Student Trustee Garcia has also actively participated in the following educational programs: American Legion Auxiliary California Girls State, Sojourn to the Past, Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising Clubs, Interact Club, Latinos Unidos Club, and leadership programs at Capuchino High School.