

Essex County Schools  
of Technology

WEST CALDWELL  
TECH

*Graduation  
Ceremony*

Class of 2021

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June 18th, 2021 | 11:00 am

Codey Arena

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## **School Leadership**

Mrs. Ayisha Ingram Robinson, Principal  
Mr. Gerard DiVincenzo, Asst. Principal

## **District Leadership**

Dr. James Pedersen, Superintendent  
Ms. Dixiana Carbonell, Asst. Superintendent

## **Board of Education**

Board President: Rev. Edwin D. Leahy  
Board Vice President: Ms. Adrienne Davis  
Mr. Salvatore Carnovale  
Ms. Jennifer M. Carrillo-Perez  
Ms. Lee Sandra Medina  
Dr. Chris Pernel

# *Schedule of Events*

**Entrance of Graduates**

**Pledge of Allegiance &  
Musical Selections**

Samantha Arias & Muyibat Saba

**Opening Remarks and Welcome**  
Principal Ayisha Robinson

**Salutatorian Address**  
Keyla Cumbicos-Ramos

**Valedictorian Address**  
Bryan Figueroa

**Commencement Address**  
A'Dorian Murray-Thomas

# *Schedule of Events Continued*

**Scholarships and Awards**

Mrs. Emily Arcangelo  
and Mrs. Jennifer DaSilva

**Presentation of the Class of 2021**

Principal Ayisha Robinson

**Acceptance of the Class of 2021**

Superintendent James Pedersen

**Awarding of Diplomas**

**Recessional**

# Guest Speaker




A'Dorian Murray-Thomas

Founder and CEO of  
SHE Wins Inc.

A leadership and social action  
organization for middle and  
high school girls in Newark.

Born and raised in Newark, A'Dorian founded SHE Wins to create a pipeline of college, career, and community-ready young women leaders. Founded with a focus on serving girls affected by violence, SHE Wins programs, workshops, and conferences have grown to reach more than 500 girls, representing over 21 schools in Newark. SHE Wins Scholars' community service projects have touched more than 1,300 members of the Newark community.

Before founding SHE Wins, A'Dorian developed and co-facilitated a free SAT prep program in Newark that served students from over 15 local schools. As a Board Member on the State Farm Youth Advisory Board, A'Dorian helped managed a \$5 million budget that allocated service-learning grants to schools and organizations across the U.S. and Canada.



At only 23 years old, A'Dorian was recognized as a President Obama White House Champion of Change, a Glamour Magazine "College Woman of the Year," a Youth Service America "Everyday Young Hero," ESSENCE Magazine, one of The Root Magazine's "25 Young Futurists," and a recipient of the New Jersey Governor's Award for her work in education and youth development.

A'Dorian previously served at the Newark Opportunity Youth Network where she connected over-aged and under-credited Newark high school students to alternative educational options, while also serving as a translator for Spanish-speaking families. In this role, A'Dorian also helped implement Newark Board of Education and restorative justice program for students on long-term suspension.

A'Dorian is a 2016 graduate of Swarthmore College and holds a B.A. in Political Science and Educational Studies



# 2021 Graduates

## **Agriscience**

Rhijanne Edwards  
Jireh Gomez  
Alyssia Rivera

## **Automotive Technology**

Celvin Broere  
Elian Camacho  
Keyla Cumbicos-Ramos  
Bryan Figueroa  
Xavier Gomez  
Kevin Humala  
Kyrie Puryear  
Cyrese Rivera  
Tyree Smith  
Hanifa Snell  
Adam Valle  
Abdul Waggeh  
Bryan Yauri

## **Cosmetology**

Jamie Britt (ST)  
Yomara Castillo  
Honor Marable  
Joselyn Morocho  
Kylaya Opher  
Jacinay Shelton  
Brandy Tlacomulco  
Jada Washington

## **Construction Trades**

Tianna Camacho  
Stephen Concepcion Jr.  
Ashley Cruz  
Henry Lliguicota  
Elba Minchala  
Bryan Morocho  
Andrea Puerto  
Hector Saucedo-Soledad  
Waddler Thelemaque

**Business  
Technology**

Evelin Avila  
Cameron Chambers  
Jakhai Darby  
Keon Evans  
Alex Garcia-Santos  
Jeanette Gomez  
Jessica Hardy  
Ma'zyiah Johnson  
Shuliet Lata-Guallpa  
Kelis Law  
Ashlly Martinez  
Berenice Mendoza  
Nadiyah Smith

**Robotics**

Julian Ceron  
Akil Dummet  
Aydin Graves  
Cris Guaman  
Francisco Padilla  
Edwin Pineda  
Dilan Techera  
Solomon Walker  
Joshua Washington

**Culinary**

Juliet Agosto  
Francesca Brasier  
Davion Brodie  
Tiffany Coats  
Benjarly Etienne  
Julieta Gonzalez  
Angilena Lewis  
Olufunmilayo Oyefeso  
Diane Richard  
Laisha Rojas  
Makayla Vasquez  
Waldina Villeda  
Vanessa Williams

**Music Production**

Kawan Allen Jr.  
Matthew Bradley  
Jeffrey Colon  
Samantha Guaba  
Jason Ramos  
Muyibat Saba

## Workplace Readiness

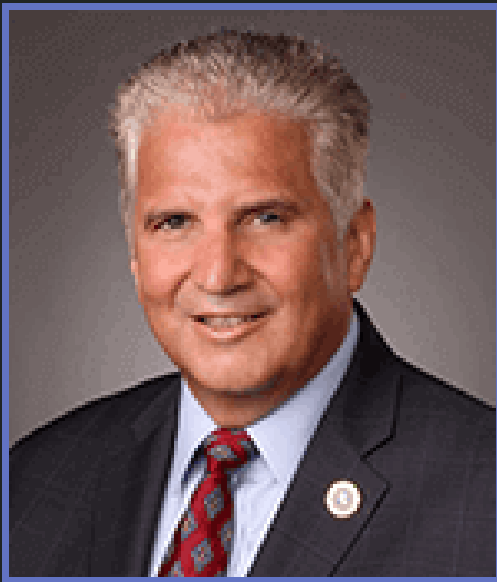
Alexander Aguilar

Joshua Davis

Justin Guardado-Alas

Tamia Killikelly

Jailah Silver



**Joseph N. DiVincenzo, Jr.,  
Essex County Executive  
And The Board of Chosen  
Freeholders**



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