

SAN ANTONIO COLLEGE

2020 DISTINGUISHED GRADUATES



Anthony Lee Saldivar

Mortuary Science

“What you habitually think largely determines what you will ultimately become.”

-Bruce Lee

Anthony Lee Saldivar grew up in San Antonio, Texas, and graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School in 1993. He enlisted in the United States Army Reserve in 1994 and went active duty with the Military Occupational Specialty of 11 Bravo Infantry in 1997. During his military career, Anthony served two tours in Iraq and one tour in Afghanistan. Because of his service in Afghanistan, the military awarded him with a Combat Infantry Badge, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, and Army Accommodation Medal with Valor device. He retired from the Army 20 years later in March of 2017.

After his retirement, Anthony attended and completed the Master Makeup special effects makeup program at Cinema Makeup School in Los Angeles, California. He returned to San Antonio, where he still practices his craft as a special effect's makeup artist. He enrolled in the Mortuary Science program at San Antonio College in the Summer of 2018. While in the program, Anthony earned his crematory provider certification and is a member of Rho Sigma Gamma. He currently works for Puente & Sons Funeral Chapel and is the proud single parent of his son Logan and his German Shepherd, Beast.

