

PIMA FOUNDATION and PIMA ARTS CREATE *THANK YOU MASK PROJECT*
PCC'S FASHION DESIGN PROGRAM RECEIVES OVER \$12,000.00 IN PRIVATE DONATIONS

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TUCSON, Ariz—June 2020 marks a two-month milestone of the Fashion Design Program's *Thank you Project*. In lieu of the annual (and cancelled) **Fashion Arte** fundraiser, the Fashion program led by, Nancy Spaulding, looked for a way to create interest and funding for PCC's Fashion Design students. Forty-five volunteers created masks for both the local and international markets. In total, 1,000+ masks were sent as gifts to protect considerate program donors.



We didn't realize the need, not just in our (Tucson) Community
- Noelle Knipe, Adjunct Professor

PCC's Fashion Design Program gives students the entrepreneurial and technological skills and trend insights needed to succeed in today's fashion industry. Students pursuing the Associate of Arts, Fashion Design concentration seamlessly transfer to a BA at Arizona Universities offering fashion programs. Students earning the Fashion Design certificate will be ready for entry-level work in fashion. Learn more@ [Fashion Design Program](#) donate now <https://www.pimafoundation.org/fashion-mask/>

Pima Foundation, established over 40 years ago, is committed to championing Pima Community College by cultivating relationships for lasting positive impact. The Foundation oversees a variety of endowments and funds for PCC, its programs and students. Community enterprises, families and individuals interested in investing in PCC student success should contact the Foundation for details on donating now and for the future.

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