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Seniors



Congratulations to our Class of 2021 graduates! Duc Tran is headed to Atlanta to work for General Motors and Jesús Valdiviezo is headed to Berkeley to work as a postdoc at UC Berkeley. We're so proud of our seniors and wish them best of luck in their future endeavors.



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Highlights

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Our members continued to bond in a safe and socially-distanced manner this semester with virtual socials and game nights organized by our V.P. of Programming, Melody Gao. We were also thrilled to be able to hold some socially-distanced outdoor socials, bringing back the Duke Taekwondo tradition of Spoon Assassin as well as a campus-wide scavenger hunt!



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Highlights

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We were excited to hold our annual Black Belt Test in a virtual format this year. Daniel Ryan and Kathleen Chen tested for and earned their black belts on March 30th. Master Lee ran the test and was assisted by Captain Duc Tran. Congrats!



We also continued to hold virtual Color Belt Testing, with 20 testers across two tests this semester. Congrats to all!



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Help support our club

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We eagerly anticipate returning to a year full of competing and training together in person, and we are asking for your support to help to make all of this possible!

Donations made will go towards travel expenses for returning to our yearly tournaments (including NCTA Nationals), coaching fees for Master Lee, and holding color belt and black belt testing.

No donation is too small, and with your support our club can continue to grow.

To make a tax deductible donation, you can:

- Donate electronically (via credit card) at: <https://gifts.duke.edu>
Please be sure to **select Club Taekwondo** in the search bar.
 - Mail us a check made out to Duke University with **Club Taekwondo specified in the memo line**. Please mail check to Duke Recreation & Physical Education, ATTN: Sport Clubs Box 90548, 117 Wilson Center, Durham, NC 27708.

Thank you for all you have done and continue to do for this club.
We look forward to seeing you again in the fall!