



Please see below for important commencement events and deadlines for Spring 23.

**Note:** These deadlines apply to students taking part in the commencement ceremony on Wednesday, May 24, 2023. Graduate Ceremony is at 10 a.m. and Undergraduate Ceremony is at 2 p.m. For additional information, please visit [www.ubalt.edu/commencement](http://www.ubalt.edu/commencement).

### Commencement Important Dates and Deadlines

- **Monday, Mar. 20 at 5 p.m.- Deadline to apply to serve as the Graduate or Undergraduate Commencement Student Speaker**
  - Apply here: <https://cglink.me/2g3/s18443>
- **Monday, Mar. 27 at Noon-Thursday, Apr. 27- Commencement Tickets Available**
  - Must be claimed online through Marching Order during this period. You can not register for a Marching Order login without receiving the email on Mar. 27.
    - Students will be emailed on Mar. 27 with their specific link to register and claim tickets.
    - There will be an initial allotment of tickets given.
  - Tickets are not guaranteed after this deadline.
  - Find out more on the [Commencement Tickets](#) page.
- **Beginning Tuesday, Mar. 28- Regalia available for purchase**
  - **In person at [The Hive](#) (UBalt Bookstore):** March 28-April 28
    - The Hive may maintain a small supply of regalia after this date. Please contact them directly in person or via email to Mel Hogan, The Hive Manager, at [mnhogan@bncollege.com](mailto:mnhogan@bncollege.com) if you require regalia after this deadline.
  - **Online through <http://ub.shopoakhalli.com>:** March 28-April 27
  - Find out more about regalia [here](#).

- **Tuesday, Mar. 28 and Wednesday, Mar 29- 12-6 p.m. Grad Fest,** UBalt Student Center First and Second Floor and The Hive
    - Sign up below, limited spaces for photography so sign up quick via the links below! UBalt covers the sitting fee and supplies regalia to wear (more information below)
      - RSVP here for Tuesday, Mar. 28- <https://cglink.me/2g3/r1990514>
      - RSVP here for Wednesday, Mar. 29- <https://cglink.me/2g3/r1990582>
    - Grad Fest is where you can:
      - Purchase commencement garb, accessories, frames, rings
      - Get graduation portraits from Photo Magic Media, LLC.
        - We cover the sitting fee, and you get to borrow regalia (we will have plenty on hand) for the pictures.
          - We will have bachelor gowns/caps, masters gowns/caps/hoods, and doctorate gowns/tams.
        - You will be emailed from Photo Magic Media within 3 weeks of Grad Fest with the photos. The photo with the UBalt backdrop digital image is of no charge, but any additional photos can be purchased through Photo Magic Medias website (you will get all that information)
      - Participate in additional tables and activities
        - Office of Alumni Relations
        - Office of Graduate Admissions
        - Career and Internship Center
          - Career Closet items will be available
- **Thursday, Apr. 6- Deadline to apply for Graduation with Records and Registration for those wishing to participate in Commencement.**
  - You have all submitted your application to graduate. Your UB portal will state, 'Program in Review', 'Needs to Finish Pending Work', or 'Applied for Graduation' at this time.
    - For those whose appeals have been approved, you will submit this form during the term in which you are completing your studies (Summer 2023 for example)
  - If you submitted your application and your status says 'Denied' you will need to inquire with your advisor. Commencement Appeals (for students requesting to participate in a different commencement term) open March 6-April 6. Form can be found here- <https://cglink.me/2g3/s18420>
- **Thursday, Apr. 6- Deadline to submit Commencement Information Form to document name spelling for program and reading at Commencement, honor society participation, or Military status. Honor society and military status will be confirmed on campus.**
  - Submit here: <http://cglink.me/s18433>
- **Thursday, Apr. 6- Deadline for appeals for those wishing to participate in a different Commencement ceremony.**
  - Submit here: <https://cglink.me/2g3/s18420>

- [Commencement Appeal Policy](#)
- **Thursday, Apr. 17- Deadline to request accommodations for you or a guest**
  - Submit request here: <https://cqlink.me/2g3/s18434>
- **Tuesday, May 9- Cappy Hour Event sponsored by The Office of Alumni Relations,**  
1-4 p.m., Student Center Second Floor Café
  - Join fellow graduates for Cappy Hour during De-Stress Fest for mocktails and cap decorating. Free for graduates, supplies included! First come, first serve.
- **Wednesday, May 24- Spring 2023 Commencement Ceremonies**
  - 10 a.m. Graduate Ceremony (Doctoral, Masters and Master Certificate Students)
    - Graduates are to arrive between 8-8:30 a.m. at The Lyric Baltimore, Maryland Ave. entrance
  - 2 p.m. Undergraduate Ceremony (Bachelors and Bachelor Certificate Graduates)
    - Graduates are to arrive between 12-12:30 p.m. at The Lyric, Baltimore Maryland Ave. entrance
  - A reception celebration will immediately follow the ceremony (approximately 3:30pm, or immediately following the ceremony) in the Angelos Law Center. This is sponsored by the Office of Alumni Relations. All guests and graduates are welcome.

### **Important Reminders for Graduates:**

- Make sure your accounts are cleared – pay any outstanding bills through the Bursar- <http://www.ubalt.edu/about-ub/offices-and-services/bursar/index.cfm>.
- Return books to the library, if transcripts are required from other school at which you took a class, make sure they get to the Office of Records and Registration.
- Double check your address on the MyUB portal. Once final grades are posted, classes are reviewed, honors determined, accounts checked, etc., through the Office of Records and Registration, your degree will be ordered and sent directly to the local address as noted on MyUB. This process usually takes between six and eight weeks.
- After the ceremony, extra programs are available. Visit [www.ubalt.edu/commencement](http://www.ubalt.edu/commencement) to request a copy after May 24.
- You have access to the MyUB Portal for two semesters after your last date of enrollment. Network services access (e-mail, labs, Office365, etc.) is also maintained for two semesters after your last date of enrollment. Visit the Student Accounts page (<http://www.ubalt.edu/about-ub/offices-and->

[services/technology-services/faqs/computer-accounts/accounts-info.cfm](#)) for more details.

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