



UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE

Congratulations on taking the next step toward walking across the stage! Please see below for important commencement events and deadlines.

Please visit the [Commencement](#) website and our [Frequently Asked Questions](#) page as you prepare for your commencement ceremony.

- [Here](#) is where all email communications will be.
- Don't know who to contact- visit [here](#).

COMMENCEMENT DATE AND TIME

- Wednesday, May 21, 2025, The Lyric Baltimore
 - 10 a.m. (Graduate)
 - Students must arrive by 8:30 a.m. for 10 a.m. ceremony to the Lyric basement entrance on Maryland Ave.
 - 2 p.m. (Undergraduate)
 - Students must arrive by 12:30 p.m. for 2 p.m. ceremony to the Lyric basement entrance on Maryland Ave.
- *As you may have heard, Artscape has moved to [May 24 & 25](#). We will be working with our campus partners to minimize the impact on graduates and their guests the day of.*
- *An Alumni Celebration will take place immediately after each ceremony at the Angelos Law Center.*

COMMENCEMENT REGALIA (CAP AND GOWN) AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

Commencement Regalia Information can be found [here](#). PLEASE PLAN ACCORDINGLY!

- **Purchase regalia online by Apr. 6** for ship to store pick up on **May 12 & 13** or **by Apr. 23** for ship to home to ensure that you are receiving the correct regalia on time.
 - If you want regalia PRIOR to the in store pick up dates in May, please select SHIP TO HOME.
 - Regalia purchased ship to home will be mailed to you after purchase.
 - All doctoral regalia must be purchased online.
- If you miss the deadline to order online, there will be a limited number of extras available for purchase at the Campus Bookstore: The Hive, 21 W. Mount Royal Ave., Baltimore, MD 21201 during distribution on May 12 & 13.
 - They will be available on a first come first serve basis. We cannot hold product, and we will not be able to guarantee to have what you need.
- Cords and stoles for student or national organizations are handled by the individual honors organizations.

- There are limited sets of reduced price regalia available for Bachelors and Masters students only. The request form is open [here](#) **on Mar. 1** and will stay open until all regalia is claimed. Doctorate students are unable to apply for reduced price regalia.
 - You will be emailed if you are eligible to receive reduced price regalia with instructions to claim by a deadline.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM INFORMATION

Your name will be listed in the program that is received on the day of Commencement if you apply for graduation by **Mar. 28** and are listed as 'Needs to Finish Pending Work', 'Program in Review', or 'Approved' by Records and Registration.

- If you would like to request updates to your name to be listed in the program, different than what is in your MyUBalt portal, you will need to email engagement@ubalt.edu with your request and use the subject line- Commencement Name Update, between **Mar. 1-Apr. 1**.

[Honor Society, Military Recognition and Latin Honors](#)

- Honor Society and Military Recognition information will be received from those specific faculty or staff members who oversee these areas, so please ensure that you are checking your email and doing any follow up with those advisors as necessary.
- Latin Honors information is assigned using the student's record from the previous semester. Since final grades will not yet be submitted, current coursework cannot be considered when making the honors determination for the ceremony. The final designation earned will be awarded based on the student's entire record and will appear on the official transcript and diploma.

GRAD FEST INCLUDING COMMENCEMENT CAP & GOWN PHOTOS

- **Planning to participate in the Spring 2025 Commencement, or just want to get ready to celebrate?** Grad Fest is a celebration of graduates that is held each semester that includes food, giveaways, graduate photos from GradImages (cap and gown supplied for the photos) as well as tabling from the regalia vendor and various campus departments. Sign up on Bee Involved as soon as registration opens. Walk ups welcome if spots allow. *If you are a Summer or Fall 2024 graduate and attended Fall Grad Fest, you should not attend Spring Grad Fest.*
 - **Mar. 11**, 12-4 p.m., UBalt Student Center Fifth Floor.
 - Registration [here](#).
 - **Mar. 12**, 3-7 p.m, UBalt Student Center Fifth Floor.
 - Registration [here](#).

COMMENCEMENT TICKETS

Tickets will be made available to claim online via [Tassel](#) with Unique E-mail Invitation between **Mar. 11-May 11***.

- Learn more about commencement tickets [here](#).
- **Graduates are not required to have a ticket in order to enter the venue. They will need to present photo ID and must have an active application to graduate.**
- There will be an initial allotment of tickets, and extra ticket disbursement is not guaranteed.
- Tickets are not guaranteed after the **May 11** date.
- These decisions are based on current health and safety protocols, venue capacity, and number of participating guests.
- **All guests entering the venue, including children, need to present a ticket. This includes children or infants of any age.**

- Click [here](#) if you are inviting international guests for information on the courtesy Commencement invitation letter. US State Department information can be found [here](#).

Request Seating for Persons with Disabilities at Commencement between **Mar. 11-Apr. 25***.

- See [here](#) for accommodation information.
- If you did not submit a form by the posted deadline of Apr. 25, please instruct your guests needing accommodation to speak with the Commencement staff on site for any day of accommodation.

GENERAL REMINDERS

- 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 MyUBalt 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 MyUBalt. This process usually takes between six and eight weeks.
- You have access to the MyUBalt 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.

The Rosenberg Center for Student Engagement and Inclusion creates a welcoming environment for lifelong learning through active participation in events, activities, and student-led organizations. The center also equips students to transition to college life, serve their community, create inclusive spaces, and celebrate their academic journey.

If you need further assistance, please e-mail the Rosenberg Center for Student Engagement and Inclusion at engagement@ubalt.edu or call 410-837-5417.