WHAT DAY IS COMMENCEMENT? Sunday, May 26, 2019

WHAT TIME DOES COMMENCEMENT START?
The procession steps off promptly at 9:45 a.m. Graduate students should line up under the tent on Simmons Quadrangle by 9:00 a.m. Seniors, medical students, and graduate students process through the Van Wickle Gates and split off to their separate ceremony locations.

HOW DO I WEAR MY REGALIA?
Try on your regalia prior to Commencement to make sure you have received the correct items and they fit correctly.
Doctoral students: Carry the doctoral hood over your left arm; you will be hooded at the ceremony. The tassel for the tam goes on your left. Master’s students: Wear your hood to the ceremony. The tassel for the cap goes on your left.

WHERE AND WHAT TIME DOES THE GRADUATE SCHOOL CEREMONY BEGIN?
After the doctoral and master’s students pass through the Van Wickle Gates, they will take an immediate right onto Prospect Street, right again onto Waterman Street, then a left onto Thayer Street. Master’s students will then proceed to Meehan Auditorium for their ceremony which will begin around 10:30 a.m. Doctoral students will proceed to Pembroke Field for their ceremony which will begin around 10:15 a.m.

WHAT TIME WILL THE GRADUATE SCHOOL CEREMONY END?
The ceremony runs about two hours. Ph.D. and master’s students receive their actual diplomas at these ceremonies.

WHERE AND WHAT TIME DOES THE UNIVERSITY CEREMONY BEGIN?
The University Ceremony begins around 1:15 p.m. on the Main Green and is optional for graduate students and their families. The honorary and symbolic degrees are awarded here.

IS THERE A LIMIT TO HOW MANY TICKETS I CAN GET?
There are no tickets for Commencement. Seating is first come, first served.

CAMPUS ACCESSIBILITY
Please contact SEAS (Student Employee Accessibility Services) at 401-225-9572 to make arrangements for shuttle transportation. SEAS can also assist with other arrangements throughout Commencement Weekend. Please visit brown.edu/commencement/plan/accessibility-accommodations for additional accessibility information.

For additional information, please visit: brown.edu/commencement
To download the Commencement Guidebook App: https://guidebook.com/guide/156589/
It includes a comprehensive schedule, links to the livestream and a listing of all diploma ceremony locations, including maps.

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING GRADUATE EVENTS:
Friday, May 24, 4:30 - 6 p.m.
Back to Brown Engineering Alumni Reception, Hazeltine Commons, Engineering Research Center

Saturday, May 25, 8:45 a.m.

Saturday, May 25, 9:45 a.m.
PRIME Brunch and Medal Presentation. By invitation.

Saturday, May 25, 12:30
Commencement Forum: Kurt Pennell, Jessica Plavicki, Scott Frickel - Salomon 001
“Exploring Human Health and Societal Impacts of Emerging Contaminants through Multi-disciplinary Research”

Saturday, May 25, 6:00 p.m.
Engineering awards dinner and presentation of Ph.D. hoods. By invitation.