Harvard Chan Convocation
Reggie Lewis Center, Wednesday May 25, 2022

Harvard University Commencement
Harvard Yard, Thursday May 26, 2022
Graduation Week 2022

• Wednesday May 25
  • 9am-2pm Convocation, Reggie Lewis Center
  • 2-4pm Reception

• Thursday May 26
  • 8-11:30 am Morning Exercises, Harvard Yard
  • 12pm GSAS hooding ceremony, Sanders Theatre
Checklist

- Application for Degree
- Diploma mailing form
- Visa Support Letter
- Class Photo – April 13th
- Regalia – Deadline April 9th
- CIRF – Deadline April 15th
- Awards – various deadlines
- Loan Exit Counseling
- Pass exams!

[Link to Harvard School of Public Health graduation website](http://www.hsph.harvard.edu/graduation)
Awards

- Albert Schweitzer Award
- Dr. Fang-Ching Sun Memorial Award
- Edgar Haber Award
- Gareth M. Green Award
- Marianne Wessling-Resnick BPH Student Service Award
- James H. Ware Award
- Student Recognition Award
- Teaching Assistant Award
- Uwe Brinkmann Memorial Travel Award

https://www.hsph.harvard.edu/graduation/awards/
Visa Support Letters

- Visa support letters for guests with visa requirements
- OSA will write a letter stating that the student is graduating
- Letters are available now
- We will email you when ready.
- Letters traditionally take 4-5 business days to process after the form is delivered to OSA.

www.hsph.harvard.edu/graduation/visa-support-letter
Affinity Ceremonies

- University-wide Lavender Graduation (LGBTQ+)
  *In progress – information to come*

- University-wide Next Gen (FGLI+)
  Tuesday, May 24

- University-wide Black Graduation Ceremony
  Tuesday, May 24

- University-wide Latinx Graduation Ceremony
  Tuesday, May 24

- Native American and Indigenous Graduation (Lead by Harvard University Native American Program, or HUNAP)
  Thursday, May 26

https://edib.harvard.edu/affinity-graduations
Regalia

DEADLINE APRIL 9th – if you miss the deadline contact the COOP

https://www.hsph.harvard.edu/graduation/regalia/
Regalia Pick-Up & Drop-off

• **Your Harvard ID will be required** both when ordering your regalia online and picking it up in-store. Regalia can be picked up on campus the week before and week of graduation, exact dates and locations are yet to be determined.

• Graduates are encouraged to place an order even if you are not yet sure whether you will attend graduation; full refunds are available for unused regalia through **May 31st**.

• **Please note:**
  - **HSPH** students pick up regalia with *salmon crows’ feet*.
  - **GSAS** students will have regalia with *white crows’ feet*.
    - GSAS students who order via the HSPH webpage will pick up regalia at Countway Coop.
    - GSAS students who ordered via the GSAS webpage will pick up regalia at Harvard Square.
Class Photo

https://www.hsph.harvard.edu/graduation/events/
Class Officers

• There are three Class Officer positions open to election for the Class of 2022
  • Nominations **April 13-20**
  • Voting **April 22-25**
  • Winners announced **April 26**

Any questions contact David Rogers: drogers@hsph.harvard.edu
Ceremony Information & Response Form - CIRF

- Deadline: **April 15th**
- Confirm your attendance at the ceremonies:
  - Convocation
  - Commencement
- Order guest tickets
- Request disability seating and assistance
- Pronounce your name
Guest Tickets

- **Harvard Chan Convocation**
  - Harvard Chan & GSAS grads can request up to 2 guest tickets

- **Harvard Yard Commencement & Afternoon Program**
  - Harvard Chan grads can request up to 2 guest tickets
  - GSAS grads need to request these tickets through GSAS (gsas.harvard.edu/academics/commencement)

- **Tickets will be distributed May 9-10**
  - Convocation tickets are electronic and will be emailed to students
  - Harvard Chan grads – pick up tickets Commencement tickets at Harvard Chan
  - GSAS grads – check GSAS website for Commencement ticket pick-up info
Ticket Packets

• Monday and Tuesday **May 9 & 10, Kresge G7**

• Contents:
  • Commencement Tickets
  • Class Item
  • Ceremony Information
  • Schedules, directions, shuttle info, livestream locations etc.
Convocation Ceremony
Wednesday May 25, Reggie Lewis Center

9:00am  Graduate check-in
            Guest seating opens
10:20am  Procession
11:00am  Ceremony
2:00-4:00pm  Reception
Julie M. Paik
Doctor of Science, Epidemiology
StageClip

- Individualized, social media-friendly video clips of your stage crossing made available to you after ceremony
Your Diploma

- You will not receive your diploma on stage
- Harvard Chan will be mailing all diplomas
- GSAS grads: Diploma Awarding Ceremony after Commencement
- Must be cleared both academically and financially
Livestream

- Harvard Chan Convocation
  - Online
  - www.hsph.harvard.edu

- Harvard Commencement
  - www.commencement.harvard.edu
Accessible Seating

- Available for Convocation and Commencement ceremonies
- Request accessible seating in the CIRF
- Questions:
  Colleen Cronin, Associate Director of Student Affairs
  Kresge G-4
  617-432-1542
  ccronin@hsph.harvard.edu
- Open captions on all screens
- Seating for visually impaired & mobility impaired
Commencement Activities
Thursday May 26, Harvard Yard

• 6:45am  Guest seating open
• 8am  Graduate check-in, Quincy Street
• 9:45-11:30am  Morning Exercises, Procession & Ceremony
• 12pm  GSAS Diploma Awarding Ceremony, Sanders Theatre
Morning Exercises

commencement.harvard.edu/morning-exercises
Harvard Chan CLASS ITEM
Transportation, Maps, Hotel Info, Etc.

www.hsph.harvard.edu/graduation/guest-info
Etiquette

- No backpacks
- Graduates: no bags under regalia
- Guests: no bags over 12”x12”
- Weather-appropriate clothing and footwear
- Prompt & Considerate
- Security
- No babies in procession
Career Advancement

- Lifelong access to CareerConnect
- Career coaching – available during off-peak times
- Career Development Canvas site
- Harvard Chan and Harvard-wide alumni directories
- Post-graduation plans questionnaire will be sent April 20
- Volunteer to participate in Alumni Office Hours or on career panels
- Networking/Professional development opportunities
Alumni Affairs – www.alumni.harvard.edu

- University-wide services
- Athletic Facilities
- Discounted Harvard Museums
- Library Access with borrowing privileges
QUESTIONS?
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www.harvard.edu/graduation