

NOTICE TO JOIN THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION
299th CONVOCATION - SPRING 2012

The Spring Convocation will take place as outlined below. Members of Faculty, Senate, the Board of Governors and Emeritus/a Professors/Librarians/Archivists are invited to take part in the Academic Procession [see page 2].

2012	10:00 am Ceremony	3:00 pm Ceremony
Monday, June 11	No ceremony	No ceremony
Tuesday, June 12	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Faculty of Social Science (BA Honors, BSc Honors programs, Diplomas and Certificates) * MARGARET MACMILLAN - LLD	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * King's University College* PAUL HILL - LLD
Wednesday, June 13	Faculty of Social Science (BMOS, Diploma in Accounting) NANCY STOKEY - LLD	Faculty of Social Science (3yr and 4 yr, excluding Honors and BMOS) Faculty of Science (3yr and 4yr, excluding Honors) JOHN MANLEY - LLD
Thursday, June 14	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry and Faculty of Science (BMSc Honors and 4yr) * IVAN BARRY PLESS - DSc	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Faculty of Science (Honors) * ARTHUR CARTY - DSc
Friday, June 15	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Faculty of Education* CONSTANCE BACKHOUSE - LLD	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Faculty of Engineering * Faculty of Law * IAN BINNIE - LLD
Monday, June 18	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Faculty of Health Sciences (Honors programs, 3 & 4 yr Kinesiology, Diplomas and Certificates) * P.(CHELLA) CHELLADURAI - LLD	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Brescia University College * Huron University College * Faculty of Health Sciences (3yr and 4 yr, excluding Honors, Kinesiology and Nursing) JOAN FRANCOLINI - LLD
Tuesday, June 19	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Faculty of Arts and Humanities * JOAN BARFOOT – DLitt	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Richard Ivey School of Business * GEORGE COPE – LLD
Wednesday, June 20	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Faculty of Information and Media Studies * Don Wright Faculty of Music * IZZELDIN ABUELAISH - LLD	School of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies * Faculty of Health Sciences (Nursing) * Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry (Dentistry)* DAVID PATCHELL-EVANS - LLD

*students in graduate programs hosted by the Faculties on the particular day

ASSEMBLY:

The Faculty Academic Procession will marshal in the North Corridor of Alumni Hall at **9:30 a.m. for a morning ceremony** and at **2:30 p.m. for an afternoon ceremony**. All members of the procession will be seated either on stage or in the Right Orchestra section of Alumni Hall. If you wish to join the procession, please contact the Convocation Assistant at 519-661-2111 ext. 84540, prior to noon on **Friday, June 1, 2012**, so that sufficient seating may be reserved. [See section below concerning Academic Regalia.] Because of space limitations on stage, those who wish to make special hooding arrangements (see policy outlined below) should contact the Marshal, Professor Dan Shrubsole, (519-661-2111, Ext. 83126) **ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE CONVOCATION DATE.**

Convocation Board Policy Regarding Hooding of Graduating Students

Faculty members at The University of Western Ontario and other recognized universities are permitted to hood immediate family members and PhD supervisors are permitted to hood their doctoral candidates provided that arrangements are made with the Marshal of Convocation (see contact info above) at least one week before the relevant convocation ceremony.

ACADEMIC REGALIA

Those participating in the Academic Procession will be provided with academic regalia [Western colors], free of charge, from a location in the North Corridor of Alumni Hall just prior to marshalling for the Academic Procession. To facilitate this process, participants must provide the Convocation Assistant with the following information when calling to join the Academic Procession: **Height (wearing shoes), highest degree, hat size** [mortarboard is optional]. The regalia **must be returned immediately** following convocation to the same location in the North Corridor of Alumni Hall and **not** the temporary bookstore location. This regalia is not provided for use at faculty awards ceremonies.

Participants in the Academic Procession can make email requests for regalia from a fillable pdf form found on the following website: <http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/senate/>

GUEST SEATING:

Each member of the Academic Procession will be given **ONE** guest ticket upon request to the Convocation Assistant (519 661-2111, Extension 84540).

RECEPTION:

Immediately following the ceremony, the Alumni Association will host a reception for new alumni and their guests in the University Community Centre atrium. All those in attendance at Convocation are cordially invited to attend this function.