CEREMONY INFORMATION FOR GRADUATING SENIORS AND FAMILIES
Economics, Economics & Mathematical Sciences, Economics & Statistics, Mathematical Sciences & Economics

Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 17th – 19th will be busy days filled with many ceremonies and festivities. Members of our community will be invited to participate in at least two of the following academic ceremonies: Phi Beta Kappa (ΦBK) Honor Society Initiation Ceremony, Dietrich College Honors Ceremony, University Commencement Ceremony, Tepper School of Business Undergraduate Programs Diploma Ceremony, and Department of Statistics and Data Science Diploma Ceremony. None of these ceremonies require tickets, although some are by invitation. Tickets are required for the Department of Mathematical Sciences Diploma Ceremony.

It is the choice of the Economics and Statistics graduate whether to participate in the main and/or diploma ceremonies with the Undergraduate Economics Program or with the Department of Statistics and Data Sciences.

Phi Beta Kappa (ΦBK) Honor Society Initiation Ceremony is an invitation-only event.
Date: Friday, 5/17/2019
Time: 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.
Location: Cohon University Center, McConomy Auditorium
Note: Caps and gowns are required.

2019 Senior Leadership Recognition Ceremony is an invitation-only event.
Date: Friday, 5/18/2019
Time: 4:30 – 6:00 p.m.
Location: Cohon University Center, Rangos Ballroom

Dietrich College Honors Ceremony is open to all qualifying students and their parents.
Date: Saturday, 5/19/2019
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Location: Cohon University Center, Rangos Hall
Notes:
1. Qualifying students and their parents will receive invitation in the mail beginning in mid-March and continuing throughout the term.
2. So that our students may celebrate their achievements with both colleges, we chose to recognize our honor students during the Dietrich College Honors Ceremony and to celebrate graduation with the Tepper School of Business.
Department of Statistics & Data Science Diploma Presentation Ceremony is open to all.
Date: Saturday, 5/18/2019
Reception: 7:30 p.m.
Ceremony: 8:30 p.m.
Location: Cohon University Center, Weigand Gym

Notes:
1. Students earning the B.S. in Economics and Statistics may receive their diploma at either the Department of Statistics and Data Science diploma ceremony or the Tepper School of Business diploma ceremony.
2. Students who opt to receive their diploma with the Department of Statistics and Data science are invited to attend the Tepper School of Business diploma ceremony and reception.
3. Please check with Samantha Neilson (samanthni@andrew.cmu.edu) for details about line-up and dress requirements
4. Please contact Kathleen Conway (kconway@andrew.cmu.edu) if you have any questions.

University Commencement Ceremony is open to all.
Date: Sunday, 5/18/2019
Ceremony: 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Location: Geisling Stadium

We encourage families and friends to arrive at Geisling Stadium by 9:45 a.m. because seating is first-come, first-served. If anyone should need special accommodations, please consult the university’s commencement visitor webpage for more information.

Graduating students should report to Tepper Front Lobby by 10:00 a.m. in cap and gown so that we may begin the processional to the stadium at 10:15 a.m.

Notes:
1. Caps and gowns are required.
2. Diplomas are not awarded during this ceremony; they are awarded during the department diploma ceremonies.
3. We recommend that you arrange a post-ceremony meeting location for the graduate and family and friends. From there, please proceed to Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall. The university provides a complimentary shuttle service between the Carnegie Mellon University campus and Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall and Winchester Thurston School. The on-campus pick-up location is on Margaret Morrison Street.
Department of Mathematics Sciences Diploma Presentation Ceremony (tickets are needed for admission)
Date: Sunday, 5/19/2019
Ceremony: 1:00 p.m.
Location: Cohon University Center, McConomy Auditorium

Notes:
1. Students earning the B.S. in Mathematical Sciences and Economics receive their diplomas at the Department of Mathematical Sciences diploma ceremony.
2. Please check with Stella Andreoletti (sd23@andrew.cmu.edu) for details about line-up and dress requirements.
3. Students earning the B.S. in Economics and Mathematical Sciences receive their diplomas at the Tepper School of Business Undergraduate diploma ceremony.
4. After receiving their diplomas with the Department of Mathematical Sciences, Mathematical Sciences and Economics students are invited to attend the Tepper School of Business diploma ceremony and reception.
5. Please contact Kathleen Conway (kconway@andrew.cmu.edu) if you have any questions.

Tepper School of Business Undergraduate Diploma Presentation Ceremony is open to all.
Date: Sunday, 5/18/2019
Ceremony: 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.
Location: Soldiers & Sailors Memorial Hall and Museum (off-campus at 4141 5th Avenue)

Graduates and their families and friends are invited for a light buffet-style lunch at Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall beginning immediately after the main university ceremony ends. We ask all graduating students to report to Soldiers & Sailors by 1:00 p.m. in cap and gown.

Notes:
1. Caps and gowns are required.
2. GradImages® is the official photographer for the undergraduate diploma presentation ceremony. Information about their services can be found at: GradImages.com/PreRegistration.