

TRADES COMMENCEMENT

2022

6 p.m.

Thursday, June 9

Kelowna Campus

1000 KLO Road, Kelowna

INSTRUCTIONS FOR STUDENTS

This is not a notice of success in meeting graduation requirements. These instructions are for students who plan to attend the Trades Commencement ceremony.

TIME AND PLACE

Thursday, June 9, 2022 – 6 p.m.

The ceremony will be held in the Courtyard.

GUESTS

Each student planning to attend the ceremony is entitled to invite guests. Tickets are not required.

CANNOT ATTEND?

If you cannot attend Trades Commencement, but have indicated that you will, please inform College Relations at 250-862-5473 as soon as possible.

ACCESSIBILITY

Please inform College Relations at 250-862-5473 if you or a guest require an accommodation at the ceremony.

On the Day of the Ceremony

WHAT TO WEAR WITH YOUR REGALIA

Visible items of clothing should be of dark colours. No adornments such as flowers, jewelry or emblems of any kind should be attached to the gown.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Please keep your personal belongings to a minimum. Leave items (e.g. purse) with a guest. Storage for personal items will not be provided.

CHECK-IN & REGALIA PICK UP

On Thursday, June 9 at 4:30 p.m., check in and pick up your regalia in the Pit in the Student Services building.

ASSEMBLY

Meet at 5:30 p.m. in the designated location provided when you check in. Ensure you have allowed enough time to pick up your regalia prior to 5 p.m. When you check in, you will be given a name card and be required to line up alphabetically within your program.

PROCESSION AND SEATING

Directed by the marshal.

PROGRAMS

Will be provided at the ceremony.

GRAD GIFTS AND DIPLOMA FRAMES

Purchase a souvenir of graduation. Options include diploma frames, OC branded apparel and alumni socks. Shipping is available or choose your preferred campus for pick up. Visit: okanagan.bookware3000.ca

STAGE PROCEDURE

When it's time for students in your program to cross the stage, a marshal will direct you to the appropriate location. It is essential that you bring your name card and hand it to the reader. When your name is announced, you will walk across the stage, receive your parchment folder and have your photo taken. As you leave the stage, you will receive an Alumni gift, then immediately return to your seat as directed by the marshal.

LIVESTREAM

The ceremony can be viewed live and will start a few minutes before the ceremony starts. Visit: Okanagan.bc.ca/convocation to watch.

PARKING

All parking lots on campus, except metred parking, are available free to guests during Trades Commencement. Additional parking is available at Evangel Church, 3261 Gordon Drive.

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