GRADUATION 2020

THURSDAY 11 AND FRIDAY 12 JUNE
BOURNEMOUTH PAVILION
BEACHFRONT MARQUEE
**STUDENT TICKETS**
As a student it is free for you to attend graduation. You do not need a ticket for the ceremony but will require one for the post-ceremony reception in the beach Marquee where you will receive a glass of champagne.

**GUEST TICKETS**
A guest ticket costs £25.00 each and includes entry to the ceremony, a commemorative brochure and a glass of champagne at the post-ceremony reception at the Beach Marquee. Each student is guaranteed 3 guest tickets each. There will be no further tickets available.

**REGISTRATION AND TICKET PURCHASE**
You will be able to register for graduation and purchase guest tickets from 4 March 2020. The closing date is 17 April 2020. You will not be able to register or buy tickets after this date. Each student is guaranteed 3 guest tickets. If you are unsure of how many guest tickets you may require, we would recommend that you purchase 3 at the time of booking. Overbooked tickets can be refunded but not purchased at a later date. An email notification will be sent when booking goes live to your AUB email address with a link to the registration task.

**GOWN HIRE**
You must hire a gown in order to attend graduation, without a gown you cannot cross the stage. You hire your gown from Ede and Ravenscroft. This is a separate company to AUB. The cost of hire and details can be found at gownhire.co.uk. Gown hire opens on 4 March and the deadline for gown hire is the 15 May 2020.

**PHOTOGRAPHY**
Packages can be booked in advance via Ede and Ravenscroft – they are slightly cheaper if booked in advance but can also be purchased on the day. The Photography studios will be located in Pavilion Dance South West located on the side of the Pavilion Building, you will pass this as you exit the theatre. Please follow the signage on the day. Photography is available until 6pm each day.

**TICKET DISPATCH**
Tickets will be dispatched or available for collection in May 2020. Please note you will not be able to collect your tickets on the day. We can only post to UK mainland addresses and please ensure if using a University address you are living there throughout May/early June. If you are an international student please try to collect from University or you can allocate a friend to collect on your behalf – you must inform us in writing if you want a friend to do this.

**LIVE SCREENING**
The ceremonies will be live streamed on the day for friends and family without tickets to view online via the AUB website and from the Pavilion Bistro – entry is free but subject to availability.

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**TOP 10 THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW**
1. Tickets are needed for entry into both the Pavilion for the ceremony and Beachfront Marquee for the post ceremony reception.
2. Guest tickets are £25 each and cover entry to both the Pavilion and Marquee – it is not possible to purchase individual tickets for one venue only.
3. Children over 3 do require a ticket to attend – please be aware the ceremony is a formal occasion and is not suitable for very young children.
4. No replacement tickets are issued please keep safe once you have received them.
5. There is no parking on site at the Pavilion – please plan your journey and parking in advance.
6. Live streaming will be available for any family and friends that can’t attend the event.
7. We need to know about any mobility or medical issues for graduands and guests in advance.
8. The ceremony venue will be warm and is not air conditioned, please advise guests to dress appropriately in light layers to ensure their comfort.
9. Graduation merchandise will be available to buy on the day – look out for the Campus Clothing tents.
10. A limited number of parking spaces are available for blue badge holders – you can request this at the time of registration, we will then contact you for badge details.

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**CHECKLIST**
- Start saving for guest tickets
- Start saving for gown hire/photography
- Ensure parents/guardians are aware of your graduation date
- Have you registered to attend/not attend – we need to know even if you are not attending!
- Have you purchased your guest tickets?
- Have you informed us if you/your guests have any mobility or medical issues we need to be aware of?
- Have you hired your gown with E&R – you need your height and head measurements handy
- Have you purchased tickets for the Grad Ball – visit AUBSU for more info!
- Have you booked hotels/trains etc for family and friends travelling for the event?

For all other information visit aub.ac.uk/graduation or email graduation@aub.ac.uk
**GRADUATION TIMETABLE**

**THURSDAY 11 AND FRIDAY 12 JUNE 2020**

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**Please note:**
- Guests won’t be able to accompany students to the gowning room.
- Don’t forget to bring your gowning number supplied by Ede and Ravenscroft with you.

**Ceremony Commences**

- **10.00-11.30**
  - MA Commercial Photography
  - BA (Hons) Acting
  - BA (Hons) Commercial Photography
  - BA (Hons) Costume and Performance Design
  - BA (Hons) Dance
  - BA (Hons) Make-up for Media and Performance
  - BA (Hons) Photography

- **13.30-15.00**
  - MA Animation
  - MA Film Production
  - BA (Hons) Animation
  - BA (Hons) Creative Events Management
  - BA (Hons) Creative Writing
  - BA (Hons) Film Production
  - BA (Hons) VFX
  - Bournemouth and Poole College: BA Performing Arts
  - FdA Music Theatre
  - FdA CT Performance

**Re-group with guests on the lower terraces outside before making your way to the Beach Marquee for the post-ceremony reception. AUB staff will direct you.**

- **11.30-12.00**
  - Post-ceremony reception at the Beach Marquee.
  - 12.00-13.00

**Make your way to Pavilion Dance for professional photographs and gown return. AUB staff will direct you to the venue. NB: Gown return closes at 18.00**

- **13.00-16.00**
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The timetable is also available at [aub.ac.uk/graduation](aub.ac.uk/graduation)
GRADUATION MAP
The map highlights the main car parks in close proximity to the venue.