



GRADUATION 2022

5-6 JULY
BOURNEMOUTH PAVILION
BEACHFRONT MARQUEE

GRADUAND TICKETS

As a graduand it is free for you to attend graduation. You do not need a ticket for the ceremony but will receive a complimentary ticket 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 and a glass of champagne at the post-ceremony reception at the Beach Marquee. Each Graduand is guaranteed two guest tickets each. Unfortunately there will be no further tickets available.

The event will be live streamed for anyone that does not have a guest ticket. Please refer to the live streaming section for information.

REGISTRATION AND TICKET PURCHASE

You'll be able to register for graduation and purchase guest tickets from 7 March 2022. The closing date is 29 April 2022. You will not be able to register or buy tickets after this date. Each graduand is guaranteed 2 guest tickets. If you are unsure of how many guest tickets you may require, we would recommend that you purchase 2 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 student 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 can hire your gown from our recommended gown supplier, Ede and Ravenscroft. This is a separate company to AUB. The cost of hire is as follows: BA Gown - £45, MA Gown - £51, PhD Gown £58. Gown hire opens on 14 March 2022 and the deadline for gown hire is the 3 June 2022.

gownhire.co.uk

GOWN COLLECTION

Gown collection will take place in the Ballroom at Bournemouth Pavilion. Graduands will enter the Ballroom via the external side entrance which will be signposted. Please ensure you arrive no later than 90 minutes prior to the commencement of your ceremony.

There are a large number of graduands to be gowned so queues will be unavoidable, but arriving early will help. We recommend you arrive at the Ballroom 90 minutes before your ceremony begins. Parents and guests are not permitted to queue with graduands due to lack of space, and instead wait at the front of Bournemouth Pavilion.

GOWN RETURN

If hired from our recommended supplier, you will need to return your gown to Ede and Ravenscroft at the end of the day, no later than 18.00. Ede and Ravenscroft gown return (and photography) is located at Pavilion Dance and will be signposted.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND FILMING

Event photography and filming will take place throughout the day. Photos may be used in promotional images.

Ede and Ravenscroft will also aim to take a picture of you during the ceremony, as you cross the stage. Your picture will be available to view approximately four days after the ceremony and you will be able to purchase it directly from their website gownhire.co.uk

POST-CEREMONY PHOTOGRAPHY

Packages must be booked in advance via Ede and Ravenscroft. The Photography studios will be located in Pavilion Dance South West located on the side of the Pavilion Building. Please follow the signage on the day. Photography is available until 18.00 each day. Due to Covid-19 all Photography packages must be booked in advance, no 'on the day sales will be permitted'. You can book at the same time as hiring your gown. Booking opens 24 March and closes 14 May 2022.

TICKET DISPATCH

Tickets will be dispatched in June 2022. Please note you'll not be able to collect your tickets on the day (unless you are an International graduand not residing in the UK). We can only post to UK mainland addresses and please ensure if using a University address you are living there throughout June. If you're an international student you will need to collect your tickets on the day of your ceremony from the Pavilion. Please bring ID to collect your tickets and allow extra time.

LIVE STREAMING

The ceremonies will be live streamed on the day for friends and family without tickets to view online via the AUB website.

VENUE

Graduation ceremonies will be held at Bournemouth Pavilion which is located in the town centre. Venue details are as follows:

Bournemouth Pavilion
Westover Road, Bournemouth
Dorset, BH1 2BA

The Pavilion is a Grade II listed venue and was built in the 1920s with classic art deco design. Adding to the thriving cultural quarter in the town, the Pavilion is also home to Pavilion Dance, Bournemouth's national dance house operated by Dance South West and AUB's BA Dance course.

Please note there is no parking available at the venue. Please refer to the travel section for more information.

STAYING IN BOURNEMOUTH

If you wish to stay in Bournemouth during graduation, the Bournemouth Tourism website features an extensive range of accommodation.

TRAVEL

Arriving by public transport

If you're arriving in Bournemouth by public transport (coach or train) you will arrive at the Travel Interchange, which is located in the Lansdowne area of Bournemouth. Upon arrival you will be able to make your way to the venue by bus or taxi.

Yellow Buses, Wilts and Dorset/Go South Coast buses including 'More' buses operate regular services between the Travel Interchange and Bournemouth Pavilion.

We'd recommend that you travel to the venue by taxi in order to avoid delays. There is a taxi rank located directly outside of the train station terminal. A taxi journey to the venue will take approximately 10 minutes.

Arriving by car

If you're arriving to Bournemouth by car you'll be able to park at any one of the car parks located in the town centre - most of which are just a short walking distance away from the venue. Please note there is no parking available at the venue, however there's an allocated area for drop-off/pick-up in front of the Pavilion

CEREMONY ARRANGMENTS (GRADUANDS)

Once gowned, you'll need to follow directions from staff to locate other members of your course and wait together in the Pavilion ballroom. A cloakroom located downstairs will be available for graduate use only, please leave personal items here as you cannot take them onto stage. A course usher will be expecting you and will ask you to line up in alphabetical order. You will then be led into the theatre and shown to your seat.

Once you have been shown to your seat you will be expected to remain in place unless asked otherwise. Please remember this is a formal occasion and we ask you to act accordingly.

Your usher will let you know when it is your courses' turn to graduate. You will be expected to follow your usher (staying in the alphabetical order you have been put in) to the stage area where you will need to remain until your name is announced.

You'll enter the stage via a short flight of stairs, from which you will walk across the stage to the centre where the Vice-Chancellor will shake your hand. Please then walk off stage, exiting via a short flight of stairs, where your course usher will be ready to collect you and take you back to your seat, this may be different to your original seat. Please note, due to Covid-19 safety regulations it may not be possible to handshake and other procedures may be implemented instead, you will be advised in advance of all health and safety precautions.

When the ceremony is over you will leave the venue using the signposted exit. Once you have left you will be able to re-group with your friends and family before heading to the post-ceremony Champagne reception at the Beach Marquee.

CEREMONY ARRANGMENTS (GUESTS)

The doors will open approximately half an hour before each ceremony begins. Entry to Bournemouth Pavilion is strictly by ticket only and no exceptions will be made. Keep your tickets safe as we do not issue replacements.

Seating is on a first-come-first-served basis. Unfortunately seats cannot be reserved. If you or your guests require special assistance please inform us in advance of the ceremony so that appropriate arrangements can be made. A minimum of four weeks advance notification must be given. Please email graduation@aub.ac.uk.

Due to health and safety reasons guests who arrive at Bournemouth Pavilion without tickets will not be admitted under any circumstances.

Unfortunately there are no storage facilities available in Bournemouth Pavilion. Guests are therefore advised to keep coats and bags to a minimum.

Non-flash photographs may be taken with hand-held cameras only. Please do not use the flash as this is very distracting for the participants. In addition we ask you to remain seated at all times and take care not to obstruct the aisles, emergency exits or the view of other guests when taking photographs. All mobile phones should be switched off upon entering Bournemouth Pavilion and remain so until the ceremony is over.

At the end of each ceremony, we ask guests to remain seated until the academic (staff and student) procession has left. Thereafter you will be ushered to the exit where you will be able to meet up with the other members of your party and enjoy a glass of champagne at the post-ceremony reception in the Beach Marquee.

It's advised that guests bring an umbrella, as July weather can be unpredictable.

COVID SECURE EVENT

We continue to review the situation, and we will respond in line with any Government guidance in place in July 2022.

This may include cancelling or postponing the event should we regrettably be unable to hold a Ceremony. We recommend any travel plans/accommodation bookings are made with caution and where possible allow for free cancellation if necessary.



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's 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 via the AUB website
7. We need to know about any accessibility support requests or medical issues for graduands and guests in advance. We will then contact you to discuss how we can best support you.
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.

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/accessibility support requests or medical issues we need to be aware of?
- Have you hired your gown – you need your height and head measurements handy
- Keep an eye on AUBSU social media, or contact them for news about celebrating your graduation
- 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

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CAREERS/GUIDANCE

Did you know that the AUB Careers Service offers you impartial and confidential advice and guidance for up to three years after graduation? The service includes:

- Job hunting strategies
- Preparing effective CVs and applications
- Self-employment and freelancing
- Options for further study
- Volunteering and work experience
- Career planning and preparation
- Mock Interviews

Appointments, online resources, events and job pages are accessible to alumni through the AUB Advantage Career Hub. If you're signed up to the hub already, and are still enrolled as a current AUB student, please log in via aub.jobteaser.com and change your student email to a personal one before graduation. This will allow you to continue using your previous account. After graduation Alumni should use the following link to sign up and log in: aub.jobteaser.com/en/users/sign_in

AUB& – THE ALUMNI NETWORK

We encourage all graduates to stay part of the AUB community and keep in touch with us. AUB& is an online platform that is dedicated to you, our wonderful alumni. You can join AUB& at any point from your final year onwards.

Being part of AUB& allows you to:

- Continue to expand your personal and professional network of creatives
- Enter AUB& competitions and free giveaways
- Receive support from peer mentors working in your chosen industry
- Attend alumni talks and events both in person and online
- Access current alumni news first
- Join groups aligned to your area of specialism and interests
- View both National and International job vacancies
- Offer advice and assistance to other alumni
- Share your successes, work and personal projects

In order to access the above you'll need to sign up and register your AUB& profile at alumni.aub.ac.uk

Other AUB Alumni benefits include:

- 20% discount on AUB MA degree courses
- 20% discount on AUB Short Courses *new for 2022*
- 10% discount on Executive Education courses *new for 2022*
- Use of the AUB Library facilities
- Free careers advice for two years after Graduation and the opportunity to attend careers presentations

If you're doing anything you'd like to shout about let us know via the AUB& messaging system. Our Press team would love to cover your story.

Find out more at aub.ac.uk/alumni

Questions?...Get in touch with us alumni@aub.ac.uk



GRADUATION TIMETABLE*

2022 COHORT

TUESDAY 5 - WEDNESDAY 6 JULY 2022

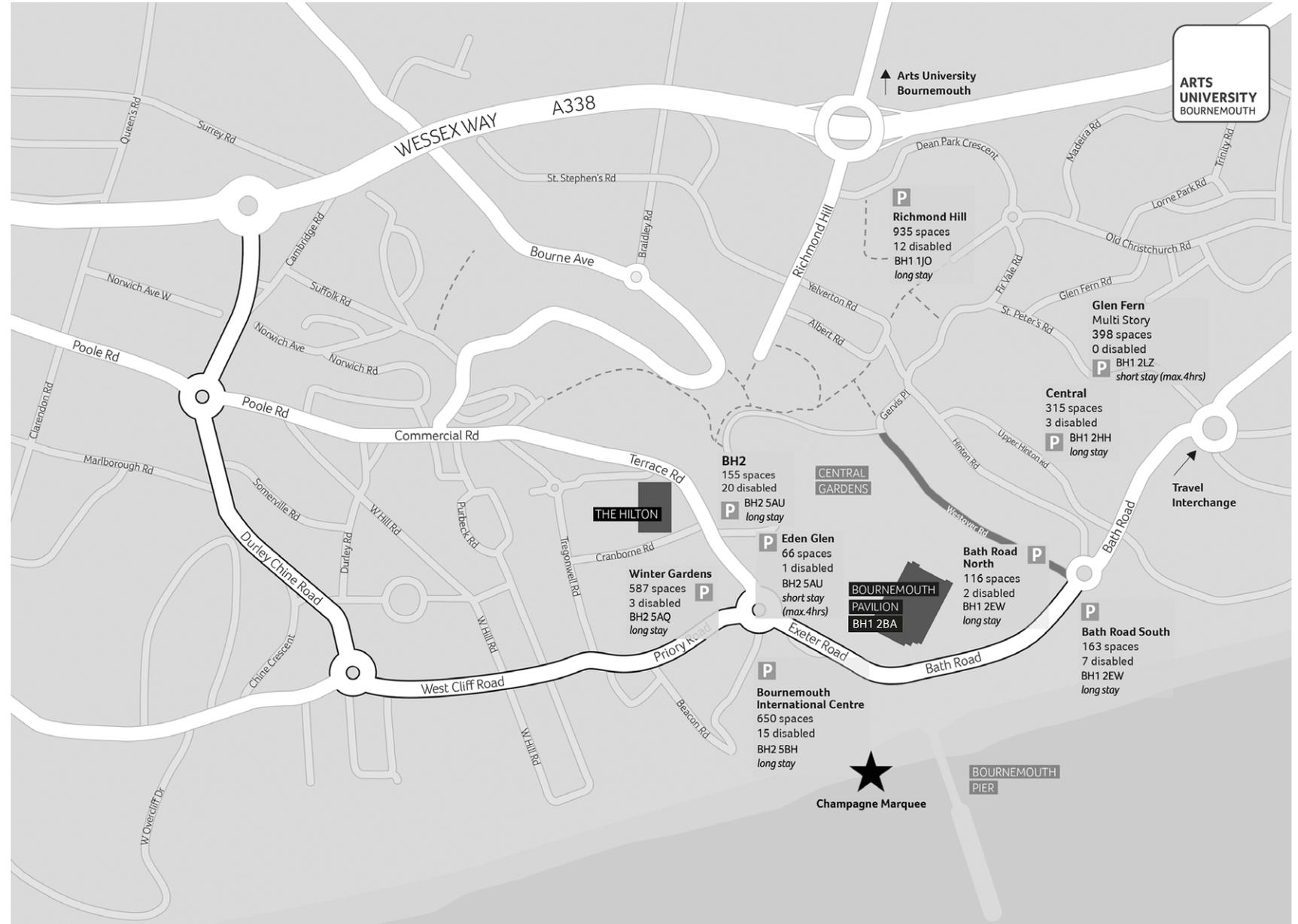
	Day 1 – Tuesday 5 July Ceremony 1	Day 2 – Wednesday 6 July Ceremony 2	Day 2 – Wednesday 6 July Ceremony 3
Arrive at Bournemouth Pavilion for 'GRADUAND GOWNING'. Please note: - Guests won't be able to accompany graduands to the gowning room. - Don't forget to bring your gowning number supplied by Ede and Ravenscroft with you.	12.00	8.30	12.00
Seating in theatre	13.30-14.00	10.00-10.30	13.30-14.00
Ceremony Commences	14.00-15.15 MA Commercial Photography MA Digital Fashion Innovation MA Photography MA Fine Art BA (Hons) Commercial Photography BA (Hons) Creative Events Management BA (Hons) Creative Writing BA (Hons) Dance BA (Hons) Fashion BA (Hons) Fashion Branding and Communication BA (Hons) Fine Art BA (Hons) Photography BA (Hons) Textiles Bournemouth and Poole College: BA (Hons) Performing Arts FdA Performing Arts Music Theatre FdA Performing Arts Contemporary Theatre Performance	10.30-11.45 PhD MA Animation Production MA Film Practice MA Historical Costume BA (Hons) Acting BA (Hons) Animation Production BA (Hons) Costume and Performance Design BA (Hons) Film Production BA (Hons) Make-up for Media and Performance BA (Hons) Visual Effects (VFX) for Film and Television	14.00-15.15 PhD Master of Architecture MA Design MA Graphic Design MA Illustration MRes Arts BA (Hons) Architecture BA (Hons) Graphic Design BA (Hons) Illustration BA (Hons) Interior Architecture BA (Hons) Modelmaking BA (Hons) Visual Communication
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.	15.15-16.00	11.45-12.30	15.15-16.00
Post-ceremony reception at the Beach Marquee.	16.00-17.00	12.30-13.30	16.00-17.00
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	Open from 15:15 to 18:00	Open from 11.45 -18:00	Open from 15:15 to 18:00

The timetable is also available at aub.ac.uk/graduation

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GRADUATION MAP – CAR PARKS

The map highlights the main car parks in close proximity to the venue.





GRADUATION MAP

The map highlights the venue and post ceremony marquee. The beachfront marquee is an approximately 5-10 minute stroll along the promenade to marquee. Please ensure to have your tickets ready on arrival.

