# Commencement
## 2017

Syracuse University

# Message from the Chancellor

I am writing to remind you of an upcoming milestone in your academic journey at Syracuse University: the 2017 Commencement ceremony. This event is a culminating highlight of the years of study, hard work, and dedication you put into your education here at Syracuse. It is an opportunity for the entire University community to celebrate your success. Just as importantly, it gives your family and friends the chance to share in your pride at reaching this milestone.

On Saturday, May 13, the schools and colleges will hold their traditional academic Convocations and receptions for graduates and their guests. The University-wide Commencement will be the following day, Sunday, May 14, in the Carrier Dome. The event will begin with a procession of students, faculty, trustees, and administrators.

Syracuse University has a long legacy of advancing knowledge and promoting lifelong success for all graduates. It does this through rigorous scholarship, teaching excellence, and learning experiences that prepare students to thrive in a complex world. The 2017 Commencement ceremony extends that legacy and marks your place within it. It is a day rich with tradition and one that I know you will find both joyful and deeply memorable. I look forward to your joining me as we gather to honor your hard work and celebrate your achievement.

Kent Syverud
Chancellor and President

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# Calendar of Events

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**Senior Events:** Updates about Commencement Weekend at ***commencement.syr.edu***.

## Wednesday, May 10

**5-7 p.m.** **Veterans Graduation Celebration for undergraduate, graduate and law veterans: recommended**
Miron Room, 303 Newhouse 1
**Reception** Newhouse 1 Lobby
**Questions, call 315.443.5674 or email *military@syr.edu***

## Thursday, May 11

**10-11 a.m.** **Rehearsal for Commencement**
Carrier Dome. Enter at Gate D.
Caps and gowns are not necessary.
All degree candidates must attend.

## University College

**6 p.m.** **Graduation Celebration** Hendricks Chapel
**Reception** immediately following in Tent A on Quad
**Questions, call 315.443.3292 or email *camcdo01@syr.edu***

**9 p.m.-1 a.m.** **Senior Celebration**
An annual farewell for SU seniors and guests at the War Memorial at Oncenter.
Transportation will be provided.
Free for graduating seniors.
Guest tickets (limited in number) $12.
Tickets available beginning Friday, April 14, at Schine Box Office.
**Questions, call 315.443.2718 or visit *seniorcelebration.syr.edu***

## Friday, May 12

**12-2 p.m.** **Posse Scholars Celebration**
Schine Student Center, 304 ABC
**Questions, call 315.443.8108 or email *posse@syr.edu***

**12:30 p.m.** **BACCALAUREATE Center for Academic Achievement & Student Development (CSTEP, LSAMP, McNair)**
Hendricks Chapel
**Questions, call 315.443.8270 or email *jsmith22@syr.edu***

**2-3 p.m.** **Syracuse Official Class Ring Ceremony**
Panasci Lounge, Schine Student Center
Join us for the Official Ring Ceremony for seniors who previously purchased the Syracuse University official class ring. Enjoy a festive affair as students receive their ring in front of family and friends.
**Questions, email *laowens@syr.edu***

## Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs optional

**10 a.m.** **Convocation** for master's and doctoral degree candidates: Hendricks Chapel

**Noon** **Reception** Maxwell Hall Patio
**Questions, call 315.443.5881 or email *kgfennie@maxwell.syr.edu***

## College of Law Commencement

**1 p.m.** Carrier Dome

**3 p.m.** **Reception:** Levy Atrium, Dineen Hall
For details, visit ***lawcommencement.syr.edu/***
**Questions, call the Office of Student Life 315.443.1146 or email *mmwilcox@law.syr.edu***

**1 p.m.** **Phi Beta Kappa Initiation Ceremony**
Maxwell Auditorium, reception to follow in Maxwell Foyer
**Questions, call 315.443.2759 or email *honors@syr.edu***

**3 p.m.** **Honors Program Convocation**
Hendricks Chapel

**4:15 p.m.** **Honors Program Reception**
Heroy Geology Building Lobby
**Questions, call 315.443.2759 or email *honors@syr.edu***

**5:15-7:30 p.m** **Office of Supportive Services (The Arthur O. Eve Higher Education Opportunity Program and Student Support Services) Senior Dinner**
Regency Ballroom, Sheraton Syracuse University Hotel & Conference Center, 801 University Ave., by invitation.
**Questions, call 315.443.3867 or email *oss@syr.edu***

## Graduate School

**5 p.m.** **Doctoral Hooding Ceremony and Reception**
Goldstein Auditorium, Schine Student Center, by invitation.
**Questions, call 315.443.3425 or email *ghchapma@syr.edu***

**5 p.m.** **United States Air Force and Army ROTC Commissioning Ceremony**
Hendricks Chapel

**6:30 p.m.** **Air Force and Army ROTC Reception**
Maxwell Hall Foyer

For information updates, visit our website: *commencement.syr.edu*

**8 p.m.** **Itanwa Orinwa Celebration**
Hendricks Chapel
Presented by the Student African American Society and the Department of African American Studies
**Questions, email *kcbennfr@syr.edu***

# Saturday, May 13

## Convocations and Receptions by School and College

All of the schools and colleges host their own **Convocations** to individually recognize degree candidates and present special awards. At the **receptions**, parents and guests have an opportunity to meet deans and faculty. Specific questions regarding Convocation seating, program, attire, or rehearsal should be referred to the school/college phone numbers or email addresses listed below. Tickets are not necessary to attend Convocations. Caps and gowns are required for all Convocations indicated with a graphic. (See page 24 for Saturday parking information.)

## School of Architecture

**9 a.m.** **Convocation** Hendricks Chapel

**10:30 a.m.** **Reception** Slocum Hall Atrium
**Questions, call 315.443.0790 or email *dwitterg@syr.edu* or visit *soa.syr.edu/***

## College of Arts and Sciences

**8:30 a.m.** **Convocation for bachelor's degree candidates** Carrier Dome. Use gates A, B, D, E, F, and upper-level gates G, N, P. Doors open at 7 a.m.

**11 a.m.** **Receptions** Tent on Quad
**African American Studies**
**Art and Music Histories**
**Biology**
**Chemistry**
**Communication Sciences and Disorders**
**Earth Sciences**
**English**
**Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics**
**Latino-Latin American Studies**
**Mathematics**
**Philosophy**
**Physics**
**Psychology**
**Religion**
**Science Teaching**
**Women's and Gender Studies**
**Writing Program**
**Receptions** Various locations
**Anthropology**, Maxwell Hall Foyer, First Floor

**Citizenship and Civic Engagement**, Maxwell Hall Foyer, First Floor
**Economics**, Strasser Commons, Eggers Hall, Second Floor
**Geography**, 151 and 155 Eggers Hall
**History**, 151 and 155 Eggers Hall
**International Relations**, Strasser Commons, Eggers Hall, Second Floor
**Policy Studies**, Maxwell Hall Foyer, First Floor
**Political Science**, Public Events Room, Eggers Hall, Second Floor
**Sociology**, Maxwell Hall Foyer, First Floor
**Questions, call 315.443.1643 or email *saviswan@syr.edu* or visit *thecollege.syr.edu***

**2 p.m.** **Convocation for master's degree candidates** Setnor Auditorium, Crouse College

**3 p.m.** **Reception** Strasser Commons, Eggers Hall, Second Floor
**Questions, call 315.443.2014 or email *srassocdeancas@syr.edu***

## School of Education

**12:30 p.m.** **Convocation** Manley Field House

**2:15 p.m.** **Reception** Tent at Manley
**Questions, call 315.443.4751 or email *lmdiaz@syr.edu* or *soe.syr.edu***

## College of Engineering and Computer Science

**8:30 a.m.** **Convocation** Manley Field House

**10:30 a.m.** **Reception** Tent at Manley
**Questions call 315.443.3604 or email *skarlik@syr.edu***

## SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry

**Noon** **Curriculum-Specific Receptions**
For locations, refer to ***www.esf.edu/students/graduation***

**3 p.m.** **Commencement** SRC Arena and Events Center, 4585 West Seneca Turnpike, Onondaga Hill
**Questions, call 315.470.6658 or email *studentinvolvement@esf.edu***

## School of Information Studies

**Noon** **Convocation for bachelor's degree candidates** Goldstein Auditorium, Schine Student Center

**1 p.m.** **Reception** Hinds Hall
**Questions, call 315.443.3194 or email *rossjd@syr.edu***

**3 p.m.** **Convocation for master's and doctoral degree candidates** Goldstein Auditorium, Schine Student Center

**4:15 p.m.** **Reception** Panasci Lounge, Schine Student Center

## Martin J. Whitman School of Management

**9 a.m.** **Convocation for master's and doctoral degree candidates**
Goldstein Auditorium, Schine Student Center

**11 a.m.** **Reception** Whitman School of Management, 721 University Ave.
**Questions, call 315.443.2188 or email *amsmit03@syr.edu* or *whitman.syr.edu/convocation-commencement***

**4 p.m.** **Convocation for bachelor's degree candidates** Carrier Dome
Use gates A, B, and E

**5:45 p.m.** **Reception** Whitman School of Management
**Questions, call 315.443.9607 or email *dlytle@syr.edu***

## S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications

**12:30 p.m.** **Convocation** Carrier Dome.
Use gates A, B, and E.

**2:30 p.m.** **Reception** Tent on Quad
**Questions, see *newhouse.syr.edu/convocation/* or call 315.443.5007 or email *sknash@syr.edu***

## David B. Falk College of Sport and Human Dynamics

**4:30 p.m.** **Convocation** Manley Field House

**6:15 p.m.** **Reception** Tent at Manley
**Questions, call 315.443.9816 or email *koveley@syr.edu* or *falk.syr.edu***

## College of Visual and Performing Arts

**10 a.m.** **Drama**, Senior Cabaret Archbold Theatre at the Stage/Drama Complex, 820 East Genesee Street

**10 a.m.-1 p.m.** **Art**, BFA Exhibition Showcase Coyne Gallery, ComArt, 1075 Comstock Avenue.

**1-3 p.m.** **Design**, Open House and Showcase Luncheon, Nancy Cantor Warehouse, 350 West Fayette Street

**4 p.m.** **College of Visual and Performing Arts Master's Hooding Ceremony** Setnor Auditorium, Crouse College **Questions, call 315.443.7175 or email *jfmorley@syr.edu***

**7:30 p.m.** **Convocation for bachelor's and master's degree candidates** Carrier Dome Use gates A, B, and E.

**9 p.m.** **Reception** All Departments Tent on Quad **Questions, call 315.443.2517 or email *chdeseda@syr.edu***

## Additional Saturday Events

**4-5:30 p.m.** **Coronat Scholars Reception** College of Arts and Sciences Admissions Office, 301 Hall of Languages/ 320 Hall of Languages **Questions, call 315.443.2875 or email *srassocdeancas@syr.edu***

For information updates, visit our website: *commencement.syr.edu*

Follow us on Facebook: *facebook.com/sucommencement*

# Preparing

## Qualifications for Participation

Bachelor's and master's degree candidates who will complete their coursework by August 2017 are invited to participate in Commencement in May 2017. Under extenuating circumstances, candidates who do not meet this requirement may petition their home colleges for permission to participate.

It is the student's responsibility to know and fulfill all degree requirements for graduation. Participation in Convocation and Commencement ceremonies does not indicate that degree requirements have been completed.

Doctoral degree candidates must have earned their degrees by April 24, 2017, to participate.

## Ticket Information

Tickets are **not** required for Convocations or Commencement.

## Accessible Accommodations

The University is committed to providing reasonable access to our guests during this special time, and arrangements can be made for guests with limited mobility, needing wheelchair seating, or who are deaf or hard of hearing.

**For Commencement** we provide seating in accessible sections of the Carrier Dome, American Sign Language interpreters, Communication Access Real-time Translation of the ceremony, and parking and shuttle service. **Accessible Seating Passes are required.** To accommodate special seating requests, we ask that guests who need services fill out the Accessibility-Related Accommodations Form on ***commencement.syr.edu/preparing/disability-services***. All requests must be received by **Friday, April 28**.

**For Convocations** passes are not necessary. American Sign Language (ASL) interpretation will be provided, and ushers at each venue will be on hand to direct guests who need assistance with seating.

**For Shuttle Information**, see Parking and Buses on page 24.

**Questions? Email *commencement@syr.edu*.**

## Wheelchairs

Syracuse University is unable to provide wheelchairs. Information about Syracuse-area wheelchair rental may be found at ***commencement.syr.edu/preparing/disability-services***.

## Computer Purchase

Student eligibility for computer hardware and software purchases expires upon Commencement.

## Diplomas

Completing the "File Diploma Request" process on MySlice activates the procedure for certification and awarding of a degree. Diplomas will be shipped to the permanent address unless a different mailing address is specified.

**Questions, call the Diploma Office at 315.443.2222, or email *calawren@syr.edu*.**

Arrangements may be made with the Syracuse University Bookstore to pre-order the official Syracuse University diploma frame. **To order, stop by the bookstore's custom framing shop, or online at *bookweb.syr.edu* under Graduation, or call 315.443.9913 before leaving campus in May.**

## Housing (Guest)

A maximum of 500 beds is available in North Campus residence halls as follows:

Weekend package only includes Friday, May 12, and Saturday, May 13. Single or double accommodations are available. Bed linens/pillows/blankets/towels included. $101 per person for weekend package.

**Reservations can be made online at:**

***commencement.syr.edu/preparing/lodging-campus-housing***

Full payment is required to complete reservation. Only MasterCard or Visa is accepted. Personal checks or money orders (payable to Syracuse University) must be received by **Monday, May 8**, and should be mailed to:

**Office of Conference Services**
**206 Steele Hall**
**Syracuse NY 13244-1120**

## Please Note:

Single-night accommodations are not available. Residence halls will be in the process of students' departure. We appreciate your understanding and apologize for any inconveniences. Refunds will be granted if requested by **Monday, May 8**.

**Questions, call the Office of Conference Services, 315.443.2721 or email *confserv@syr.edu*.**

## Area Lodging

For assistance from the Syracuse Convention and Visitors Bureau in finding local accommodations, visit ***www.VisitSyracuse.org***, email ***info@VisitSyracuse.org***, or call **800.234.4797**.

# Caps and Gowns

The Syracuse University Bookstore coordinates cap and gown sizing and distribution for Syracuse University and SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry degree candidates. All degree candidates participating in Commencement must wear academic dress.

## Distribution

Degree candidates do **NOT** pre-order caps and gowns before distribution. If necessary, **master's and doctoral degree candidates** who will not be on campus during the week of distribution may pre-order their caps and gowns online and have their regalia shipped to them. For details visit ***bookweb.syr.edu***.

Regalia will not be issued without valid SU or ESF I.D.

Parking for Schine Student Center cap and gown distribution is available at **NO CHARGE** in the University Avenue Parking Garage, located at University Avenue and Adams Street, and Booth Garage, entrance on Comstock Avenue near Waverly Avenue. To validate parking ticket, you must show your gown to the parking attendant.

**PLEASE NOTE DIFFERENT DATES AND LOCATIONS FOR SU AND ESF DISTRIBUTION:**

## SUNY COLLEGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND FORESTRY

ESF bachelor's, master's, and doctoral candidates may pick up caps and gowns in the **Bray Hall first-floor Rotunda**:

Wednesday, May 3, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

## SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

Syracuse University bachelor's, master's, and doctoral candidates may pick up caps and gowns in the **Schine Student Center, Main Campus.**

Monday, May 8, through Friday, May 12
Schine Bookstore Lower Level, 8:30 a.m.- 6 p.m.

Saturday, May 13
Schine Bookstore Lower Level, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

### Bachelor's Candidates Custom-Designed Gowns

Bachelor's candidates will receive an SU or ESF gown at **no charge**. The SU gown, blue with orange seal and piping, and the ESF gown, green with white seal and piping, are custom designed and made from fibers produced from recycled plastic bottles.

### Master's Candidates Traditional Design Gown

Master's candidates will wear the traditional black gown and appropriate hood. Regalia are available for purchase

at the distribution locations listed on page 10 or online at ***bookweb.syr.edu***. The master's cap, gown, and hood are yours to keep.

(Prices do not include 8 percent sales tax)

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| Master recycled cap and gown | $39.95 |
| Master hood | $29.95 |

## Doctoral Candidates

Rentals must be returned to the main bookstore in the Schine Student Center by 4 p.m. Sunday, May 14.

SU candidates will wear the newly designed custom gown, velvet tam, and appropriate hood. See page 10 for rental distribution information or online at ***bookweb.syr.edu***.

(Prices do not include 8 percent sales tax)

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| Doctoral cap and gown rental | $79.95 |
| Doctoral hood rental | $39.95 |

**SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry Doctoral Candidates**

Candidates will wear traditional black doctoral rental gowns with black velvet panels and chevrons ($46.95) and receive their doctoral hood at convocation.

## Payment Methods

Cash, Visa, MasterCard, Discover, AMEX, and University Bookstore charge.

## Bookstore Commencement Hotline

The Syracuse University Bookstore hotline will service inquiries regarding cap and gown distribution, diploma framing, graduation announcements, and class rings. The hotline number is **315.443.1671**. The bookstore graduation website is ***bookweb.syr.edu***.

## Commencement Announcements

Personalized graduation announcements may be ordered at the Syracuse University Bookstore until Commencement.

The customized announcement includes the candidate's name, degree granted, date, time, and location of ceremony. Orders will be taken at the third-floor administrative offices. Generic announcements will be available for purchase in the Graduation Shop located on the lower level of the bookstore.

## Graduation Fair 2017

Save the date! Stop by the Schine Atrium, Wednesday, March 22, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and begin your graduation checklist. Representatives from the Office of the Registrar, The Senior Class Giving campaign, yearbook office, graduation announcements, diploma frames, class rings, and, of course, cap and gown will be there. Pick up all the information needed to make graduation day a special event.

**Questions, call 315.443.1671 or 315.443.9913.**

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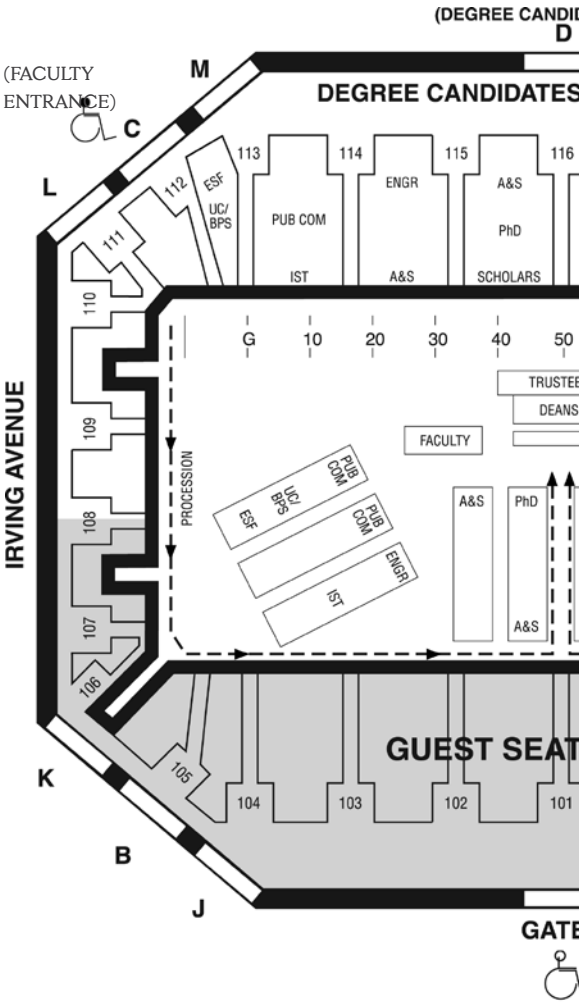


## Degree Candidates

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| Ph.D. | 115-116 | B-F |
| LAW | 116-117 | A |
| MASTER'S | 116-117 | B-ZZ |
| ARCH | 118-119 | U-X |
| A&S | 114-115 | A-Q |
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| EDU | 117-118 | U-ZZ |
| ENGR | 114-115 | R-ZZ |

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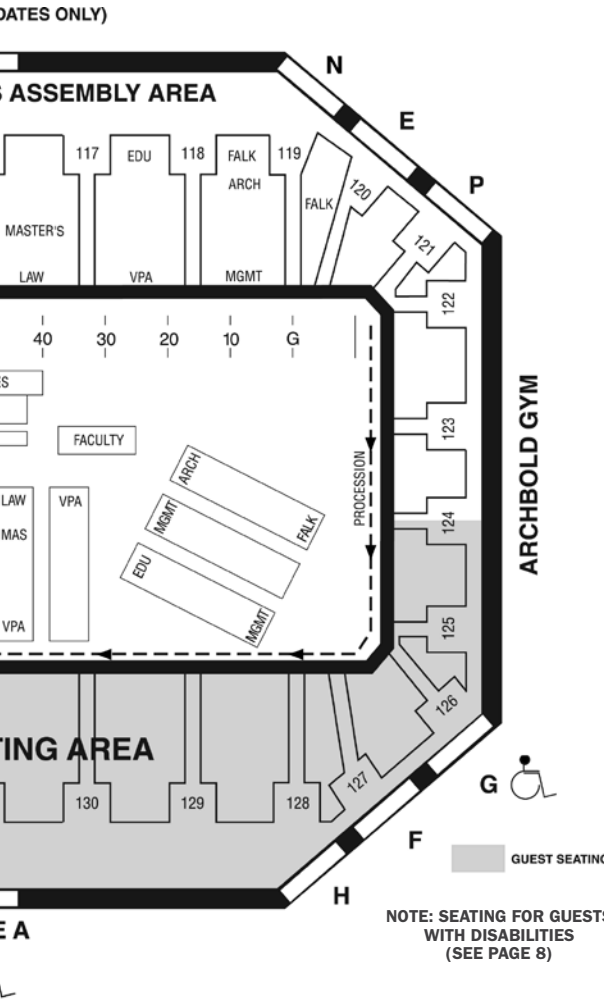


NOTE: SEATING FOR GUESTS WITH DISABILITIES (SEE PAGE 8)

## s Assembly Seating

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nent procession as follows:

| | BETWEEN AISLES | ROWS |
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| IST | 113-114 | A-E |
| MGMT | 118-119 | A-T |
| FALK | 118-119 | Y-ZZ |
| FALK | 119-120 | A-ZZ |
| PUB COM | 113-114 | F-ZZ |
| *UC/BPS | 112-113 | A-B |
| VPA | 117-118 | A-T |
| SUNY ESF | 112-113 | C-ZZ |

* Bachelor of Professional Studies degree candidates

## Sunday, May 14

# The 163rd Commencement of Syracuse University

Carrier Dome

**7 a.m.** **Gates open at the Carrier Dome**
See map (pages 12-13) for guest gates A, B, C, F, G, J, K, L, M, N, and P. Degree candidates only enter at Gate D or E.

**Driving time** to campus may be longer than usual due to large attendance.

**Guests should plan to leave in ample time to be seated before 9:30 a.m. Allow additional driving time during inclement weather.**

**7-11:30 a.m.** **Food concessions** open, Carrier Dome. Available for sale: beverages, doughnuts, bagels, and breakfast sandwiches.

**9 a.m.** **Degree candidates must be in place**
Use **Gates D and E** and assemble in the north stands for the procession: bachelor's degree by college; master's degree as a group; doctoral degree as a group. (See Assembly Area on pages 12-13.)

Graduates will not be allowed to bring bags larger than 10 inches by 10 inches into the Carrier Dome. Degree candidates and guests will go through security screening upon entry.

**9:30 a.m.** **Ceremony begins**

Guests wishing to see the student procession should be in their seats by this time. Parents and friends may take photographs from their seats but are not permitted on the floor. Binoculars are recommended.

**Noon** **Ceremony ends**

**Noon–2 p.m.** **Multicultural Graduation Reception**

Panasci Lounge, Schine Student Center. Reservations required.
**Questions, call 315.443.9676 or email *mlwill07@syr.edu*.**

**Noon–2 p.m.** **Commencement Brunch Buffet**

Goldstein Auditorium, Schine Student Center
Adults, $26/person; children 12 and under, $15.50; children under 5, free.

**Seating times: Noon, 1:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m. Reservations required. See website *commencement.syr.edu/preparing/dining-options***

**Questions, call Lisa Garvey, 315.443.3770.**

# Marshals

Senior class marshals—among the most prestigious honors at SU—serve as the all-University student representatives for graduation. They are distinguished individuals who have excelled during their time at SU and who exemplify the academic excellence, campus and community commitment and Orange spirit of their entire class. The class marshals carry the Class of 2017 banner to open Syracuse University's 163rd Commencement ceremony.

Marshals for each of the University's schools and colleges lead the procession of graduates from each school or college into the Commencement ceremony. They are selected for their distinguished achievement in scholarship, academic honors, student organization involvement, leadership, collegiality as well as campus and community engagement and service.

**Class Marshals of 2017**
Rachel Brown-Weinstock
Nedda Sarshar

**College of Arts and Sciences**
Lily Q. Sarkisian
Soleil E. Young
Brandon H. Wilson

**College of Engineering and Computer Science**
JiaJin Lei
Kayla Powell

**School of Information Studies**
Megan Minier
Kwabena T. Tettey

**College of Law**
Colleen M. Gibbons

**College of Visual and Performing Arts**
Ryan Gibson
Jamie Estevon Raines

**Falk College of Sport and Human Dynamics**
Nicole Laura Autino
Arielle J. Hall

**Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs**
Katrina Lacey Springer

**S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications**
Jessica M. Dunne
Kelly J. Sheptock

**School of Architecture**
Jon Anthony
Angela Copes

**School of Education**
E. Maria Sabik
Erica Wong

**The Graduate School**
Carly Jo Hosbach-Cannon

**University College**
Kofi Karikari

**Whitman School of Management**
Lauren B. Knafo
Xinye (Cindy) Zou

# Remembering SU

## SU Yearbook

Since 1886, the Syracuse University Yearbook has documented the annual history of SU as perceived and expressed by students. The words and images of the yearbook capture the life of the campus and preserve special moments of SU students. Filled with senior portraits, academics, sports and much more, the yearbook is a memento that is due each graduating senior.

**Questions, call 315.443.2718 or email *stactivities@syr. edu*. Order online at *www.jostenyearbooks.com.***

## The Orange Grove

Commemorate your years at Syracuse University by having your name etched in granite and placed on the Shaw Quad at the heart of campus. Be a part of an SU tradition—the Orange Grove.

**For more information, contact Monique Frost at the Office of Alumni Engagement at 800.SUALUMS (782.5867) or *www.syr.edu/alumni/services/orange-grove.html.***

## Senior Class Giving

Support the part of SU you love most by making a gift of $20.17 to the 2017 Senior Class Giving campaign. Your gift will help future SU students enjoy the same opportunities you've had here. **Give today at *classact.syr.edu.***

## Syracuse University Official Class Ring

Celebrate your achievements with the Syracuse University official class ring. Designed exclusively for Syracuse University, the ring captures the proud achievement of graduating and forever symbolizes the history and pride of Syracuse University. For more information, visit ***bookweb.syr.edu.***

## Dining Options

University Food Services residential dining meal plans for non-graduating students officially end on Thursday, May 11. Brockway and Shaw Dining Centers close after breakfast. Sadler and Graham close at 3 p.m. Ernie Davis Dining Center will remain open for Commencement Weekend, with seniors able to use their Spring 2017 meal plans through lunch on Sunday, May 14. The SUpercard portion of meal plans will be available for students to use at Goldstein Dining in the Goldstein Student Center (South Campus) through Friday, May 12, and both Ernie Davis Dining and Schine Student Center through Sunday, May 14.

**These locations will also serve the public on a cash basis. Hours of operation will be as follows:**

**Schine Student Center**

| | |
|---|---|
| Friday | 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m. |
| Saturday | 7:30 a.m.-7 p.m. |
| Sunday | 7:30 a.m.-3 p.m. |

**Concession locations, Carrier Dome**

| | |
|---|---|
| Saturday | During Convocations |
| Sunday | 7-11:30 a.m. |

**Continental breakfast foods** (beverages, doughnuts, bagels, breakfast sandwiches, and yogurt) will be available on a cash basis during the 8:30 a.m. Convocation in the Carrier Dome.

Starting at 10:30 a.m., hot dogs, pizza, nachos, jumbo pretzels, and candy will also be available during Carrier Dome Convocations.

Spring 2017 SUpercard Food dollars will not be honored after Sunday, May 14.

**Commencement Brunch Buffet**

See page 15 or ***commencement.syr.edu/preparing/dining-options.***

**Pascale's Catering at Drumlins Country Club**

800 Nottingham Road, Syracuse

**Saturday, May 13**

Buffet dinner from 5-9 p.m., featuring carved roast tenderloin, stuffed chicken breast, Atlantic salmon, smoked tortellini alfredo, mashed potato bar, an assortment of salads and vegetables, and Pascale Bakehouse's homemade desserts and coffee.

Reservations are required.

- Cost is $38 per person, $20 for children 3-12 years old, plus 8 percent sales tax and 19 percent gratuity
- Cash bar
- Deposit of $50 required to hold a reservation
- Free parking at Drumlins

**Contact Laura Massa at Drumlins for reservations, 315.446.8511, ext. 209, or *banquets@pascaledrumlins.com*.**

**For area restaurant options, visit the Syracuse Convention and Visitors Bureau website, *www.visitsyracuse.org***

## Religious Services

### Winnick Hillel Center for Jewish Life

**Friday, May 12**

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| 11:30 a.m. | Bagel brunch at Hillel (102 Walnut Place) **Questions, call 315.422.5082 or email *hillel@suhillel.org*.** |

### Catholic Center

**Sunday, May 14**

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| 2:30 p.m. | Baccalaureate Mass at the Catholic Center (110 Walnut Place) Reception with light fare to follow |

## Decorum

The 2017 Commencement in the Carrier Dome will accommodate all guests comfortably. While a spirit of joy and enthusiasm is encouraged, the dignity of this important occasion should not be devalued. Please be courteous to all speakers. Candidates and guests may not carry into the Dome bottles of champagne, sparklers, firecrackers, balloons, inflatable objects, or any objects that might present danger or disrupt the ceremony. Smoking is not permitted in the Dome.

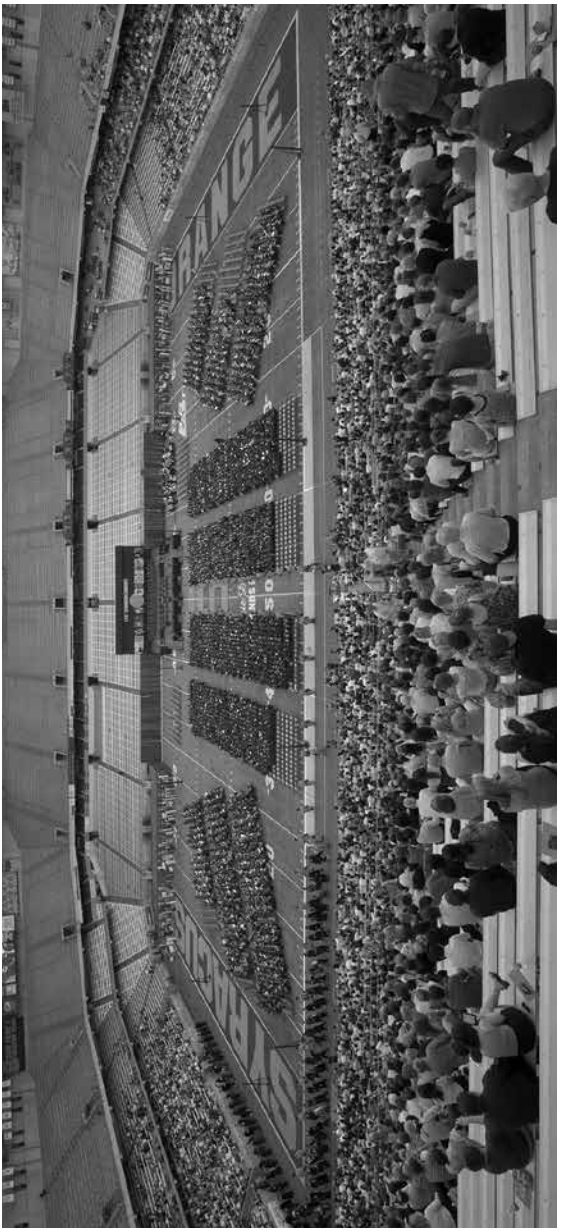
We ask you to help make Commencement at Syracuse University a proud moment in your lives.

## Security

Increased security will be in place for all Convocations and Commencement. Degree candidates and guests may not bring bags larger than 10 inches by 10 inches into any venue. Purses, bags, and binocular and camera cases will be opened and inspected. There will be no holding areas at any venue. Please arrive early for security screening to avoid delays.

## Convocations

Syracuse University's schools and colleges hold celebratory Convocations at various locations on campus to individually recognize each degree candidate on stage and to present special awards. Tickets are not required. Convocations are followed by light receptions, where students and families have the opportunity to mingle with faculty.



## Commencement

Commencement for all graduates will be held in the Carrier Dome on **Sunday, May 14, 2017, at 9:30 a.m.**, beginning with student and academic processions, followed by keynote speakers and the ceremonial conferring of degrees. The ceremony concludes by noon. Diplomas are mailed to students after the certification process.

# Frequently Asked Questions

## Do we need tickets?

Tickets are not required for Commencement or Convocations.

## How do the degree candidates obtain caps and gowns?

The SU Bookstore coordinates distribution for both SU and ESF. No pre-ordering is necessary. See pages 10-11.

Students are placed on the graduation list by having fulfilled the qualifications for participation or successfully petitioning. See page 8.

Avoid delays at the distribution location, gowns will not be issued without valid SU and ESF I.D.

## Where can we park?

Weekend free parking is available in campus lots and garages shown on the parking map inside the back cover. On Sunday, regular and fully handicap-accessible shuttle buses run between Manley Field House and the Carrier Dome. See page 24.

## Is there seating for guests in wheelchairs or with mobility limitations?

Accessible seating for guests with mobility limitations and wheelchairs is available in the Carrier Dome for Commencement on Sunday. Accessible seating passes are required for these sections and can be obtained by submitting an online request form. See page 8.

At all Saturday Convocations, ushers will assist.

## What time should candidates arrive for Commencement and where do we go?

On Sunday, students should arrive before 9 a.m. and enter at (student only) Gate D or Gate E and prepare to go through security screening.

Reduce gate delays and congestion by arriving before 9 a.m. without bags larger than 10 inches by 10 inches or prohibited items. See page 19.

The student and guest seating diagram will show you where to sit. See pages 12-13.

## What is the difference between a Convocation and Commencement?

Convocations are ceremonies for each individual school and college. The dean of each school or college presides, and each graduate is individually recognized.

Commencement is an all-University ceremony with the University's Chancellor and the Provost presiding. Commencement features a full academic procession of all schools and colleges, a keynote speaker, and the conferring of all candidates' degrees. See pages 20 and 21.

## When are diplomas given out?

Diplomas are mailed after the certification process is complete. See page 9.

## What guest housing and dining options are available?

Weekend package reservations for campus residence halls can be made online. See page 9.

For dining options, including Dome concession menus, see page 18.

For the Sunday brunch buffet, see page 15.
For the Drumlins buffet dinner, see page 18.

For area hotel and dining options, visit ***www.VisitSyracuse.org*** or call **800.234.4797**.

## Where can I order Commencement announcements?

Order announcements online or at the SU Bookstore. See page 11.

## Is there an app?

Commencement Weekend has gone mobile. Available on Apple, Android, and Web. Download the Syracuse University Guides from the app store to access **Commencement 2017** guide for schedules, campus map, and to receive important updates.

## Parking and Buses

**Parking is free Saturday and Sunday and is available in the parking lots and garages shown on the map (inside back cover).** For hours and details, see ***commmencement.syr.edu/getting-to-campus/parking-buses***.

South Campus buses will run throughout the weekend.

## Saturday, May 13

**Manley Field House Convocations:** Use lots adjacent to the building.

**Main Campus Convocations:** (Carrier Dome, Hendricks Chapel, Schine Student Center, Setnor Auditorium): Use campus lots and garages between 6 a.m. and 10:30 p.m.

**University Avenue Garage** (enter East Adams Street or Harrison Street) is open from 6 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. with wheelchair-accessible shuttle service to the Schine Student Center on University Place and the Carrier Dome, Gate A.

In addition, Convocation shuttle service from the Carrier Dome Gate A to receptions will be available from 10:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. to assist those with limited mobility.

There will be no shuttles from Manley to Main campus on Friday. Please park in the designated lots listed above for your student's convocation.

## Sunday, May 14

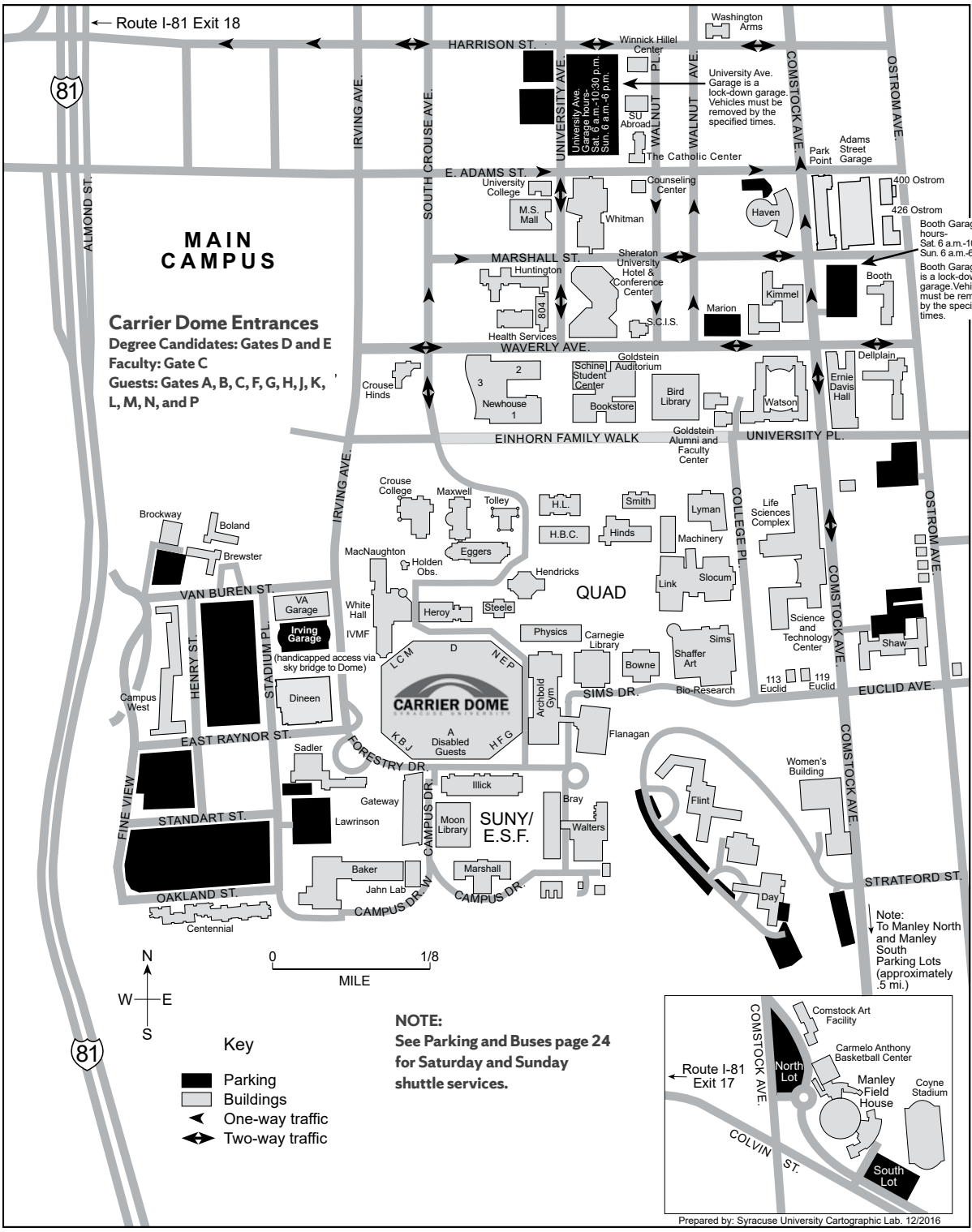
**Parking is free at campus open lots, Manley Field House, and other lots and garages shown on the parking map.**

**University Avenue Garage** is open from 6 a.m. until 6 p.m. with free shuttle service from the garage to College Place on Main Campus.

Free shuttle service will also be available to and from the **Manley Field House** parking lot to College Place from 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Free shuttles will also run from the South Campus bus shelters. See ***parking.syr.edu*** for public transportation.

**Wheelchair-accessible buses** (marked Call-A-Bus) are the best option for guests with wheelchairs or mobility limitations. These buses will shuttle between the Manley Field House North parking lot and University Avenue Garage with direct route to and from Gate A of the Carrier Dome (an accessible entrance). Attendants will be on hand to assist guests on and off the buses. For accessible parking instructions, see Accessible Accommodations, page 8.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Goldstein Alumni and Faculty Center
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Maxwell
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(handicapped access via sky bridge to Dome)
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NOTE:
See Parking and Buses page 24 for Saturday and Sunday shuttle services.
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Route I-81 Exit 17
North Lot
Manley Field House
Coyne Stadium
COLVIN ST.
South Lot
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## Directions to Syracuse University

The most direct route to the SU campus is from Interstate 81 (I-81), which runs north-south through central and northern New York State. The east-west New York State Thruway, Interstate 90, crosses I-81 just north of Syracuse. Interstate 690 (I-690), another major east-west highway, crosses I-81 in the downtown area.

From I-81 South: Take Exit 17, East Brighton Avenue. Turn right onto South Salina Street. Turn right onto East Colvin Street heading east toward Manley Field House. Turn left onto Comstock Avenue to the east side of campus.

Alternate route from I-81: take Exit 18, Adams Street. Follow Adams Street eastbound up the hill to *University Avenue. A right turn onto University Avenue leads to the center of campus.

From New York State Thruway, take Exit 36 for I-81 and downtown Syracuse. Head south on I-81 to the Adams Street exit (Exit 18). Continue directions from * above.

From the east on I-690, take Exit 14, Teall Avenue, and turn left onto Teall Avenue. Turn right onto Erie Boulevard East. **Go approximately one-half mile and turn left onto University Avenue, which leads to the center of campus. Turn left onto Harrison Street. University Avenue Garage is on the right.

From the west on I-690, take Exit 14, Teall Avenue. Bear right off the exit onto Teall Avenue. Turn right onto Erie Boulevard East. Continue directions from ** above.

From Hancock Airport north of the city, proceed to the ramp for I-81 south to Syracuse, head south on I-81 to the Adams Street exit (Exit 18). Continue directions from * above.

## Inclement Weather

In cases of severe weather, schedules and locations of events may be affected. Please consult ***commencement.syr.edu*** and ***news.syr.edu*** throughout Commencement weekend for any updates.

(Open for parking map.)

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