## **Graduation: Upcoming Deadlines**

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Hello SoN Faculty and Staff,

This is a friendly reminder of upcoming graduation-related deadlines. If you haven't already done so, please take action on the below (if applicable) as soon as possible!

# Friday, March 31, 11:59pm

- Deadline to submit <u>Faculty/Staff Nursing Graduation RSVP</u>
- Deadline to <u>rent academic attire</u> and receive your alma mater's academic hood (rentals requested after the deadline will be fulfilled with a UW hood)
- Deadline to submit NAO Pin nomination

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#### **DEADLINE DETAILS:**

#### **Graduation RSVP**

To plan for seating arrangements, we must receive an RSVP from each faculty member planning on participating in the School of Nursing Events (Nursing Doctoral Hooding Ceremony on 5/12, 1pm, Cooper Hall Auditorium & Nursing Baccalaureate Graduation Celebration on 5/13, 4pm, Memorial Union's Shannon Hall)

<u>Faculty</u>: As part of the platform party, faculty attending the Nursing Doctoral Hooding Ceremony and/or the Nursing Baccalaureate Graduation Celebration must wear academic attire. Faculty academic attire can be <u>rented through the UW Book Store</u>. Orders placed through March 31, 2023, will be fulfilled with your alma mater's academic hood. Expect fulfillment starting May 1, 2023. Orders placed after March 31, 2023, will be fulfilled with a University of Wisconsin hood.

<u>Staff</u>: We happily and gratefully welcome any staff who would like to help out with School of Nursing events. Staff may indicate their interest in volunteering via the RSVP form. We will email a task-specific volunteer sign up to all those who submit their information.

## **FACULTY/STAFF NURSING GRADUATION RSVP**

## **NAO Pin Nomination**

Each year, the UW–Madison Nurses Alumni Organization (UW NAO) honors outstanding graduating undergraduates by presenting them with pins donated by alumni of the School. Started in 1996, the pinning tradition illustrates the proud history of the UW–Madison School of Nursing and the strong connection alumni have to the School. More information regarding the pin tradition can be found <a href="here">here</a>. All UW–Madison School of Nursing students, faculty, and staff are welcome to nominate graduating undergraduate nursing students for consideration to receive a nursing pin that has been donated by an alum. Pin recipients will be selected by the NAO and will be honored during a virtual pinning ceremony in late-April.

CLICK HERE TO NOMINATE SOMEONE FOR AN NAO PIN

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Information on School of Nursing Graduation Events can be found on the student site <u>Graduation page</u>. Information regarding Campus Commencement can be found on the <u>Spring 2023 Commencement page</u>. If you have any questions after reading through this graduation update and checking the website(s), please let us know!

All the best, The Graduation Planning Committee

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