Hello BSN Students!

Please read the information below and take any action before the noted deadlines. View previous communications & Weekly Updates here.

Upcoming Deadlines
- **THIS THURSDAY, March 21, 2024 (11:59pm)** - Graduation RSVP Deadline REQUIRED
- **THIS THURSDAY, March 21, 2024 (11:59pm)** - Vote for your 2024 Graduation Speaker
- **NEXT WEEK MONDAY, March 25, 2024 (11:59pm)** - Last Day to rent Bachelor Hoods (2nd degree)
- **Friday, March 29, 2024** - Apply to Graduate REQUIRED
- **Friday, April 5, 2024** - Final day to rent academic attire and receive a discount

Graduation RSVP & Claiming Tickets - DUE 3/21
All graduating students must fill out the graduation RSVP, regardless of anticipated attendance at graduation events. If you indicate you will be attending the School of Nursing Baccalaureate Graduation Celebration on 5/11 at Memorial Union, you will be asked about your guest ticket needs and be able to claim your allocated tickets. All guest tickets unclaimed by end of day, Thursday, March 21, will be reallocated to the guest ticket lottery.

Vote for Your Graduation Speaker - DUE 3/21
TBSN & ABSN students - cast your vote for Graduation Speaker by end of day, Thursday, March 21. You should only be able to vote for the speaker in your own nursing program; you will only be able to vote once!

BSN@Home - your speaker has already been chosen and will be announced in early-April 😊

2nd Degree Bachelor Hoods - DUE 3/25
Next week Monday, March 25, is the final day to rent a 2nd degree bachelor hood! BSN students who have a previous bachelor's degree (before their BSN) are eligible to wear a bachelor's hood as part of their academic attire. The hood is $40 to rent (in addition to the price of your chosen academic attire package) and must be rented through this page on the UW Book Store website.

Apply to Graduate - DUE 3/29
All graduating students must apply to graduate through their Student Center. To have your name appear in the Spring 2024 Commencement program, you must apply to graduate by Friday, March 29 (THIS IS DURING SPRING BREAK). Visit the Office of the Registrar's page to view instructions on applying to graduate.
Other Campus Graduation Events

UW-Madison Latine Graduation Celebration
Saturday, May 4, 10:00am-1:00pm
Gordon Dining & Event Center, 2nd Floor
RSVP by Monday April 18

The Latinx Academic Staff Association (LASA) of UW-Madison and the Wisconsin Alumni Association: Latinx Affinity Group (LAG), will host an in-person, all-campus Latine graduation celebration for undergraduate, graduate, and professional Latine/x/o/a and Hispanic identifying students on Saturday, May 4th from 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM. It will be a time to acknowledge our students’ dedication, perseverance, and accomplishments.

This ceremony celebrates the 7.1% of UW-Madison’s student body that identifies as Latine, including both undergraduates, graduates, and professionals. Graduates will have an opportunity to receive a graduation medal, take pictures, and celebrate in community over brunch. If you would like to attend, please complete the registration survey [here](#) by no later than Monday, April 18th.

**If you know of other graduation events that may apply to nursing students and you would like us to share, please let us know!**

Not seeing something in these graduation updates that you wish you had information on? Reply to this update and let us know! We will include answers to frequently asked questions in weekly updates as questions come in.

All the best,
The Graduation Planning Committee