

J. Reuben Clark Law School: Graduation Information



Frequently Asked Questions

Information is subject to change, please check back frequently

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Are tickets needed?

Tickets are not needed for either the University Commencement at the Marriott Center on campus or the Law School Convocation at the Provo Tabernacle. (100 S University Avenue Provo, Utah)

Class Photo (Subject to change, please check back)

A class group photo of both the J.D. and LL.M. graduating students will be taken at 2:00 p.m. on April 22 in room 303. Please gather for the photo no later than 1:50 p.m. Dressed with Regalia robes and hoods but no caps. We strongly encourage you to be in your class photo. This is a momentous day for you, your family and friends. A proof of the class photo will be sent to the email address you put on the reader card that you filled out during your graduation interview.

Professional Photos

Professional photos of each graduate will be taken as they cross the stage and receive the mock diploma cover. Individual photos will be emailed to the address provided on the reader card filled out during the graduation interview. (Gammell Photography - 801-550-8218)

Commencement/Convocation Speaker

TBD

Disability Access

Anyone needing special assistance while attending the University Commencement Ceremony should contact Justin Durfey at the Marriott Center, 801-422-6022 prior to April 10.

Anyone needing disability access while attending the Law School Convocation is asked to contact Nancy Hamberlin, 801-422-4275 prior to April 10. Disability access to the Provo Tabernacle is on the north side of the building. There are only two spaces for disability parking at the Provo Tabernacle, so some attendees may need to be dropped off with an attendant while the rest of the family or friends find parking.

*Special arrangements must be made if an American Sign Language interpreter is needed.

Eligibility to Participate in Ceremonies

The prior December graduates to the April graduation and the April graduates are invited and strongly encouraged to participate in both the University and the Law School Ceremonies.

Graduation Announcements

Graduation announcements can be ordered online: WWW.CBGrad.Com or you may order by phone at 1-800-433-0296. A representative from CB Announcements also comes to the Law School each year in January.

Law School Guests

Your guest(s) should arrive at least 30 minutes prior to each ceremony. Ushers will assist your guest(s) with seating for the Law School Convocation. The Provo Tabernacle is a dedicated church building and your guest(s) are expected to act and dress accordingly. Please let them know.

Law School Reception

The Law School reception for graduates, their families, and guest(s) will begin at the conclusion of the Law School Convocation. The reception will be held out on the lawn of the north side of the Tabernacle.

Parking

Parking is always difficult due to the large number of visitors to campus. Therefore, please allow extra time for parking and access to the campus. Campus parking will open up after 2:00 p.m. for visitors on the day of Commencement. Visitors may park in any area of the University parking lots except for those designated as service vehicle, disabled or loading zones.

On the day of Convocation parking at the Provo Tabernacle your guests will need to park on surrounding streets. The county building on 100 S has some terraced parking, and on 100 S around 300 W there is a church parking lot.

* Please tell your guest(s) to **NOT** park in the lots for the Post Office or NuSkin. They will be ticketed.

Rainy Weather Plan

In the event of rainy or bad weather graduating students will go directly to graduate seating areas marked accordingly for both buildings. In the Marriott Center the Law School graduates are seated on the playing floor. At the Provo Tabernacle graduates will be seated in Alpha order on the upper level East end of the building.

Recommended Attire for Graduation

It is recommended that students wear Professional/Sunday clothing under their gowns and professional looking shoes.

Regalia Ordering

Regalia is ordered in the first two weeks of March through Herff-Jones www.herffjones.com/byu

Regalia Pick up

Regalia can be picked up Tuesday-Thursday of graduation week at the Hinckley Center from 9:00 a.m. through 4:00 p.m..

Regalia Return

Rental regalia **MUST** be returned to the Hinckley Center on Friday by 7:00 p.m.

Schedule of Events for Graduation (Subject to change, please check back)

TH 1:50 p.m. Law Students arrive for class group photo

TH 2:00 p.m Graduating class group photo (room 303 JRCB)

TH 3:10 p.m. Line up on the North side of the ASB for Commencement procession

TH 3:30 p.m. The graduation procession starts

TH 4:00 p.m. Commencement Ceremony begins Marriott Center

FRI 1:15 p.m. Students arrive at the Provo Tabernacle to line up in Alpha order for procession

FRI 1:50 p.m. Convocation procession takes place

FRI 2:00 p.m. Convocation begins Provo Tabernacle

FRI 3:30 - 3:45 p.m. Reception begins on North lawn area of the Tabernacle

FRI 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. Return rented regalia to the Hinckley Center

3L Graduation Meeting

This meeting is to provide the graduating student with helpful instructions, reminders, loan information, Alumni and JRCLS membership information. It is held in March

Time and Place of Ceremonies

Commencement: Thursday, April 22, 2010 at 4:00 p.m. at the Marriott Center

Convocation: Friday, April 23 2010 at 2:00 p.m. at the Provo Tabernacle, 100 S University Ave.

Where to line up for University Commencement

Graduates will line up on the Northwest side of the ASB at 3:15. Graduates will wear their hoods

Where to line up for Law School Convocation

Graduates will line up on the North side of the Provo Tabernacle at 1:15. Graduates will fold hood over the right arm with the hood back button undone.

Who Mails Out Diplomas

The diplomas are mailed out by the University Records Office the end of June. The phone number to contact if you have questions is 801-422-6571.

Make sure you have left your correct mailing address on Route Y. That address is not connected to the Law School.

Questions

Please contact the Law School Registrar at 801-422-4275 or the Registrar's Assistant at 801-422-1761.