Def and Disability Accommodation Requests
Participants or guests with disabilities and those who are Visually Impaired, Deaf, Hard of Hearing or Deaf-Blind may make arrangements for accommodations for parking, seating, amplification, captioning, interpreters, large print or Braille programs, by completing the Online Def and Disability Accommodation Request Form (www.uvm.edu/commencement/specialneeds). If you need assistance completing this form or have any questions, please contact the Office of Conference and Event Services at (802) 656-5665 (voice) or by email at conferences@uvm.edu.

ASL Interpreters and Live Captioning
ASL interpreters and live captioning will be provided at all ceremonies on Saturday, May 17 and Sunday, May 18. Should you or your family have additional ASL interpreting or captioning requests, please complete the Online Def and Disability Accommodation Request Form (www.uvm.edu/commencement/specialneeds). If you need assistance completing this form or have any questions, please contact the Office of Conference and Event Services at (802) 656-5665 (voice) or by email at conferences@uvm.edu.

Seating Assistance
Please consider your mobility needs for the day. Ceremonies and receptions are generally a short walk or shuttle bus ride apart. UVM will have a limited number of wheelchairs available to transport guests needing assistance at each ceremony venue between the venue’s main entrance and their seat. Please note, guests will not be able to remain in the transport wheelchair during the ceremony, because UVM is unable to provide a wheelchair for all-day use. For assistance with a wheelchair at the end of the ceremony, please locate an usher wearing a yellow vest. If a wheelchair is needed for the full day, we recommend checking with local area vendors for availability.

Live Webcast and DVDs
A live webcast of the main ceremony and all college and school ceremonies will be available on the web at http://live.vpt.org/uvm/uvm.html. DVDs of each ceremony may be ordered from the University Bookstore.

College and School Contacts
- Main Ceremony: 802-656-3272, Academic_Ceremonies@uvm.edu
- College of Agriculture and Life Sciences: 802-656-0289, Rose.Laba@uvm.edu
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- School of Business Administration: 802-656-4015, studentservices@bsad.uvm.edu
- College of Education and Social Services: 802-656-3468, DelMethra.Bradley@uvm.edu
- College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences: 802-656-8857, Mamie.Owen@uvm.edu
- Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources: 802-656-3010, Marcia.Caldwell@uvm.edu
- Graduate College: 802-656-3160, gradcoll@uvm.edu
- Honors College: 802-656-0427, Patricia.Redmond@uvm.edu
- College of Medicine: 802-656-0757, Barbara.Brisson@uvm.edu
- College of Nursing and Health Sciences: 802-656-2216, Bethany.Wolfe@uvm.edu

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(800) 903-6601 or (802) 656-3309
Web: www.uvm.edu/commencement
Specific Questions:
Web: www.uvm.edu/commencement

Senior Week Activities:
http://alumni.uvm.edu/saa/
University Bookstore:
Web: http://uvmbookstore.uvm.edu
Phone: (802) 656-3290, toll-free: (800) 331-7305
Hours: Saturday, May 17, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, May 18, 7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Kiosk on the Green: Sunday, May 18, 7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
(Severe Weather Venue: 7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.)

Graduate College Commencement Ceremony
12:30 p.m., Patrick Gymnasium
Parking: Lot A (Gutterson Lot and Garage)
- Doors Open: 11:00 a.m. Academic Procession Line-up: 11:30 a.m., Multipurpose Facility, Athletic Complex, arrive wearing academic regalia Tickets: no Speaker: Otto Berkes, ’89 M.S. in Computer Science, Chief Technology Officer at Home Box Office Degrees Conferred: Yes Reception: 2:30 p.m., Harris-Millis Dining Hall, tickets are not required Live Webcast: http://live.vpt.org/uvm/uvm.html

Honors College Scholars Recognition Ceremony
3:30 p.m., Ira Allen Chapel
Parking: Lot B (Jeffords Lot)
- Doors Open: 3:00 p.m. Academic Procession Line-up: 3:30 p.m., Cook Commons, arrive wearing academic regalia Tickets: no Degrees Conferrered: no Overflow Seating: Billings–Ira Allen Lecture Hall Reception: 4:30 p.m., Grand Maple Ballroom, Davis Center, tickets are not required Live Webcast: http://live.vpt.org/uvm/uvm.html

The University Commencement Main Ceremony
8:20 a.m., University Green
Parking: Please park in your college/school designated parking area (Severe Weather Plan: Parking assignments remain the same even if the ceremony is moved indoors)

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**Severe Weather Plan.** Indoor Venue: Multipurpose Facility, Athletic Complex. 
Tickets: required. Guests without tickets may view the ceremony on large screen and closed-circuit TV in the Davis Center. Doors Open: 7:00 a.m. 
Academic Procession Line-up: 7:45 a.m. Students: Gardner-Collins Indoor Track; Faculty: Varsity Strength and Conditioning Center, Athletic Complex. Weather Call: 1:00 p.m., Saturday, May 17. Info at: www.uvm.edu or (802) 656-3309, toll free (800) 903-6601. Live Webcast: http://live.vpt.org/uvm/uvm.html

**College and School Ceremonies and Receptions**

**College of Agriculture and Life Sciences**

4:30 p.m., Multipurpose Facility, Athletic Complex. 
Parking: Lot A (Gutterson Lot and Garage) 

- Doors Open: 3:30 p.m. Academic Procession Line-up: 3:45 p.m., Gardner-Collins Indoor Track. Tickets: no, students are asked to RSVP for the reception. 
- Diplomas: awarded at ceremony. Reception: 2:30 p.m. (note, reception precedes ceremony). Redstone Dining in Simpson Hall. 

**College of Arts and Sciences**

12:30 p.m., University Green. 
Parking: Lots B and C (Jeffords and Given lots) 


**School of Business Administration**

12:00 noon, Flynn Center for the Performing Arts, 153 Main Street, Burlington. 
Parking: College Street Garage adjacent to the Hilton Hotel (free parking on Sunday) 

- Doors Open: 11:00 a.m. Academic Procession Line-up: 11:15 a.m., backstage, Flynn Theatre. Students should arrive wearing academic regalia and enter through the alley off lower Church Street. Tickets: no. Diplomas: awarded at ceremony. Reception: 2:00 p.m., Hilton Burlington Hotel. 

**College of Education and Social Services**

2:30 p.m., Patrick Gymnasium. 
Parking: Lot A (Gutterson Lot and Garage) 


**College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences**

3:30 p.m., Flynn Center for the Performing Arts, 153 Main Street, Burlington. 
Parking: College Street Garage adjacent to the Hilton Hotel (free parking on Sunday) 

- Doors Open: 2:30 p.m. Academic Procession Line-up: 2:45 p.m., backstage, Flynn Theatre. Students should arrive wearing academic regalia and enter through the alley off lower Church Street. Tickets: no. Diplomas: awarded at ceremony. Reception: 5:30 p.m., Hilton Burlington Hotel. 

**Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources**

1:30 p.m., Sheraton Burlington Hotel and Conference Center. 
Parking: Lot D (Sheraton Burlington Hotel and Conference Center) 

- Doors Open: 11:00 a.m., Lake Champlain Exposition Hall, Sheraton Conference Center. Academic Procession Line-up: 1:00 p.m., Diamond Ballroom Foyer. Tickets: no. Diplomas: awarded at ceremony. Reception: 11:00 a.m. (note, reception precedes ceremony). George D. Aiken Center. Guests planning to attend the reception should park at the Sheraton and take the shuttle bus to the Aiken Center. The shuttle will return you to the Sheraton in time for the ceremony. 

**College of Medicine Commencement Ceremony**

2:30 p.m., Ira Allen Chapel. 
Parking: Lot C (Given Lot) 

- Doors Open: 2:00 p.m. Academic Procession Line-up: 1:30 p.m., Cook Commons. Arrive wearing academic regalia. Tickets: required. Guests without tickets may view the ceremony on large screen display in the Billings-Ira Allen Lecture Hall. Speaker: Lewis First, M.D., Chairman and Professor of Pediatrics, University of Vermont College of Medicine, Chief of Pediatrics, Vermont Children’s Hospital at Fletcher Allen Health Care and Physician Leader, Children’s Health Care Service at Fletcher Allen Health Care. Degrees Conferred: yes. 
- Overflow Seating: Billings-Ira Allen Lecture Hall. Reception: 4:00 p.m. ECHO Lake Aquarium and Science Center, one College Street, Burlington, shuttle bus service from ceremony available. Live Webcast: http://live.vpt.org/uvm/uvm.html

**College of Nursing and Health Sciences**

11:45 a.m., Ira Allen Chapel. 
Parking: Lot E (UHC Parking Lot), enter on South Williams Street. 

- Doors Open: 10:30 a.m. Academic Procession Line-up: 11:00 a.m., Cook Commons. Arrive wearing academic regalia. Tickets: required. Diplomas: awarded at ceremony. Overflow Seating: Billings-Ira Allen Lecture Hall (on large screen display). Reception: 1:00 p.m., Billings Library. 
**Ticket Information**

Only the ceremonies listed below are ticketed. All other ceremonies do not require tickets. Tickets will be available to degree candidates only. Guests seeking tickets must connect with their degree candidate. **Tickets will be required for guests to attend each ceremony listed below.** Degree candidates do not need a ticket to participate in the commencement ceremonies. For more information, please visit the web at: www.uvm.edu/commencement.

Guests without tickets may view a **live broadcast** of these ceremonies at alternative locations on campus (details below). In addition, a **live webcast** of each ceremony will be available on the web at http://live.vpt.org/uvm/uvm.html. A DVD of the ceremony may be ordered from the University Bookstore (see “Commencement Contact Information” in this brochure).

When reserving tickets, please note all times are Eastern Daylight Time (EDT).

**University Commencement Main Ceremony (severe weather venue) – 8:20 a.m.**

In the event of severe weather, the University Commencement Main Ceremony will be moved indoors from the University Green to the Multipurpose Facility. Unfortunately, seating is limited at this indoor facility. In an effort to ease congestion and improve everyone’s experience at the ceremony, **tickets will be required**.

University degree candidates may request up to 2 tickets each on-line starting at 12:00 noon on Monday, May 5 until 12:00 noon on Thursday, May 15 for the main ceremony. **Tickets will be available on a first come, first served basis.** Beginning Friday, May 16, at 12:00 noon, any remaining tickets for the main ceremony will be released to degree candidates at a maximum of 2 additional tickets per candidate on a first come, first served basis.

Guests without tickets may view a live broadcast of the ceremony on large screen display and closed-circuit TV in the Davis Center.

Please note, a decision about whether or not to move this ceremony indoors will be made by 1:00 p.m., Saturday, May 17. Students planning to invite guests to the University Commencement Main Ceremony are strongly advised to request their tickets as early as possible, beginning May 5, as they are released on a first come, first served basis.

**College of Arts and Sciences Ceremony (severe weather venue) – 12:30 p.m.**

In the event of severe weather, the College of Arts and Sciences Ceremony will be moved indoors from the University Green to the Multipurpose Facility. Unfortunately, seating is limited at this indoor facility. In an effort to ease congestion and improve everyone’s experience at the ceremony, **tickets will be required**.

College of Arts and Sciences degree candidates may request up to 4 tickets each for the Arts and Sciences ceremony on-line starting at 12:00 noon on Monday, May 5 until 12:00 noon on Thursday, May 15. Beginning Friday, May 16, at 12:00 noon, any remaining tickets for the College of Arts and Sciences ceremony will be released to degree candidates at a maximum of 2 additional tickets per candidate on a first come, first served basis.

Guests without tickets may view a live broadcast of the ceremony on large screen display and closed-circuit TV in the Davis Center.

Please note, a decision about whether or not to move this ceremony indoors will be made by 1:00 p.m., Saturday, May 17. Students planning to invite guests to the College of Arts and Sciences Ceremony are strongly advised to request their tickets as early as possible, beginning May 5. **After May 15 tickets are no longer guaranteed.**

**College of Nursing and Health Sciences Ceremony – 11:45 a.m.**

The College of Nursing and Health Sciences ceremony in Ira Allen Chapel is a **ticketed event.** College of Nursing and Health Sciences degree candidates may request up to 4 tickets each for the College of Nursing and Health Sciences ceremony on-line, starting at 12:00 noon on Monday, May 5 until 12:00 noon on Thursday, May 15. Beginning on Friday, May 16 at 12:00 noon, any remaining tickets for the College of Nursing and Health Sciences ceremony will be released to degree candidates at a maximum of 2 additional tickets per candidate on a first come, first served basis.

Guests without tickets may view a live broadcast of the ceremony on large screen display and closed-circuit TV in the Billings-Ira Allen Lecture Hall.

**College of Medicine Commencement Ceremony – 2:30 p.m.**

The College of Medicine Commencement Ceremony in Ira Allen Chapel is a **ticketed event.** College of Medicine degree candidates are guaranteed up to 6 tickets each for the College of Medicine ceremony. Degree candidates may request tickets on-line starting at 12:00 noon on Tuesday, April 1 until 12:00 noon Friday, May 9.

Guests without tickets may view the ceremony on large screen display in the Billings-Ira Allen Lecture Hall.

**Parking at Commencement**

Please respect our neighbors. Parking on area residential streets is by city issued permit only. Violators will be subject to City of Burlington policy of ticketing and towing vehicles parked in these areas. Parking areas for each college or school are designated as follows. Shuttle buses will bring guests to and from the campus (see shuttle schedule below).

**Parking Assignments:**

- **Agriculture and Life Sciences:** Lot A
- **Arts and Sciences:** Lot B and Lot C
- **Business Administration:** College Street Garage adjacent to the Hilton Hotel (free on Sunday)
- **Education and Social Services:** Lot A
- **Engineering and Mathematical Sciences:** College Street Garage adjacent to the Hilton Hotel (free on Sunday)
- **Environment and Natural Resources:** Lot D
- **Medicine:** Lot C
- **Nursing and Health Sciences:** Lot E
- **Graduate College:** Saturday, Lot A. Sunday, please park in the lot designated for your school or college.
- **Honors College:** Saturday, Lot B. Sunday, please park in the lot designated for your school or college.
- **Honors Lot Key**
  - Lot A: Gutterson Garage and Parking Lot
  - Lot B: Jeffords Lot
  - Lot C: Given Lot
  - Lot D: Sheraton Hotel Conference Center Parking Lot
  - Lot E: UHC (University Health Center) Lot
- **Disabled parking and parking assistance** is available at the College Street (C7), Votey Lot (B6), and Gutterson Lot and Garage (F4).

**Street Closures**

Friday, May 16, 7:00 p.m. through Sunday, May 18, 8:00 p.m., University Place will be closed from Colchester Avenue to Main Street, and South Prospect Street will be closed from College Street to the University Health Center entrance. In addition, on Sunday, May 18, from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., South Prospect Street will be closed from Colchester Avenue to Main Street, and College Street will be closed from South Prospect Street to South Williams Street.

**Shuttle Bus Service**

**Saturday, May 17, 2014**

1:30 - 5:30 p.m. Shuttle bus service will be available between the Jeffords Lot (Lot B), Ira Allen Chapel and Davis Center Oval for the Honors College Scholars Ceremony and Reception.

**Sunday, May 18, 2014**

7:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Shuttle buses will run every 10 minutes from designated bus stops at Patrick Gym, Royall Tyler Theatre, Given Lot (Lot C), Jeffords Lot (Lot B), Davis Center Oval, and the Conference Center at the Sheraton (Lot D). If there is a change of venue due to severe weather, the shuttle route will include the UHC Lot (Lot E). For ceremonies at the Flynn Theatre, a dedicated shuttle will run between the Flynn Theatre, Hilton Hotel, and Allen House (C5) (or Patrick Gym (F4), the rain venue).

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Lot E: UHC (University Health Center) Lot