

UCLA School of Nursing



**Commencement 2023
Faculty Orientation**

Location: Royce Hall

Date: Saturday June 17th

Graduates: Approximately 216

Keynote: Dr. Kenneth White,
President of American Academy of Nursing (AAN) and
Dean of the School of Nursing at the MGH Institute of Health
Professions

Special Guest: Vice Chancellor Monroe Gordon

Regalia: Faculty will bring their own



Graduates 216 (approximately)



Doctorate

PhD: 9

DNP: 11

Master's

(En route to PhD): 1

APRN: 80

MECN: 68

Bachelor's

BS: 47

Upon Arrival

Royce Hall

7:30AM

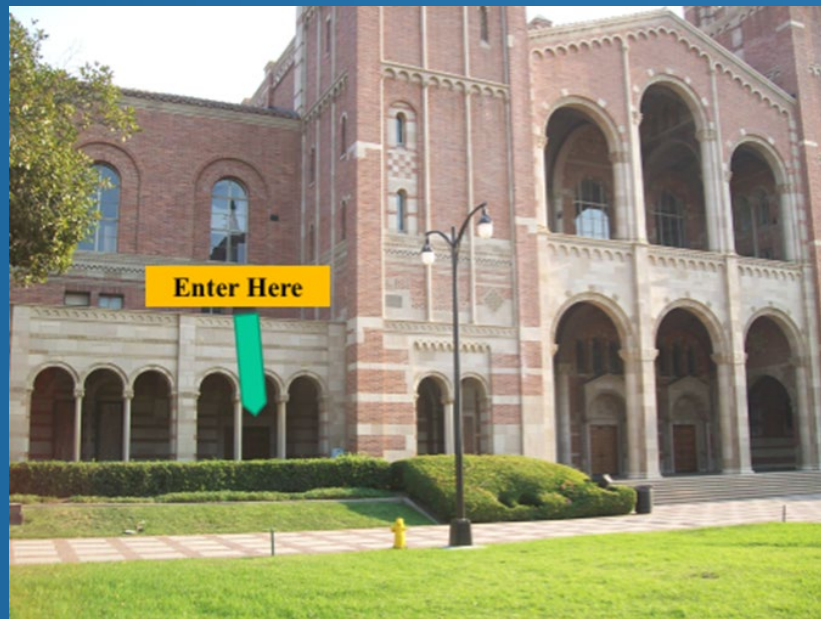
- ❖ Arrive to Royce
- ❖ Room for robbing in back of Royce Hall
- ❖ Breakfast available

8:00AM

- ❖ Faculty will line up, Dean will lead procession
- ❖ 2 lines, left aisle entry, right aisle entry

8:30AM

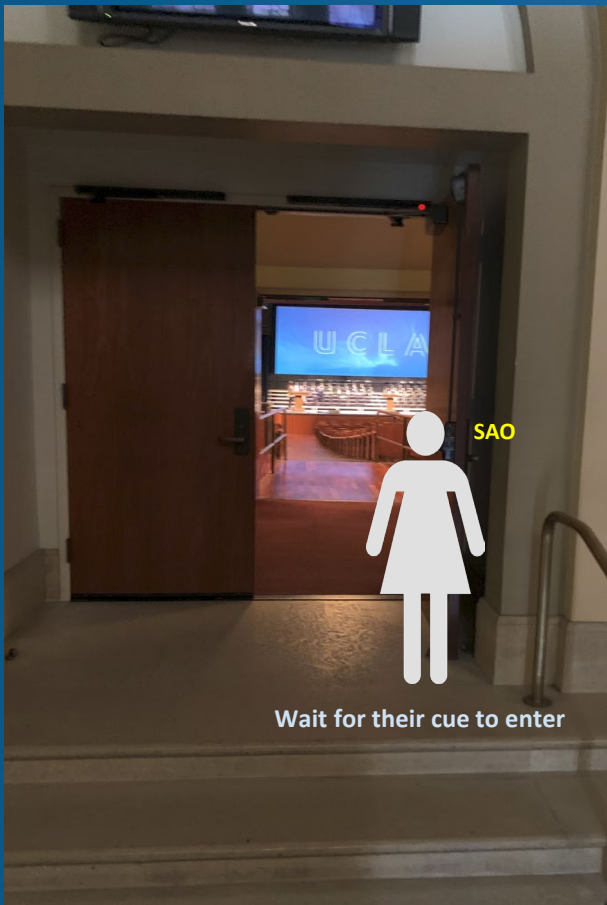
- ❖ Processional begins
- ❖ Follow cues from Student Affairs team to enter down aisles



PROCESSIONAL- Faculty and Students will enter through Left or Right Door



“LEFT Door”
(Audience Left)



“LEFT Door”
(Inside View)



Will be distributed in June for Faculty

Row 2 (L: →)	with Row 2 - after Row 1	Dottie Wiley	Lynn Brecht	Nancy Pike							Sarah Choi	Jian Li	Jan Mentes					Lead row EXIT	12
oo		(Last in row)	→		→		→		→		→		→		→	1st in row		STAFF down	
Row 1A & IB (enter opposite)	EXIT	Wendie Rabkin (PhD)	Barbara Batar-Jones [BS/MEC M]	Mela Hamilton [APRN]	Nancy Ja Burk (DNP Dir.)	Therese Braun (DNP-act)	Robert Lucero [AssocD]	Liz Tzquier [AssocD]	Dean Lin Zhou	Kayant White	Lauren Clark [AssocD]	Keron Grimley [AssocD]	Helli DeVos [AssocD]	Anita Bralock [ProlicD]	Jahn Lazer [APRN-Dir]	Emme Cuenco [Prolic-Asst]			48
							→	IB-lead	1A-lead	←									
		RECESSIONAL: Dean leads Row 1A off the stage FIRST - same way they came in																	

Seating on Stage



- Dean's Party (Dean, Keynote, Program Directors, Associate Deans, Name Readers)
- Assigned seating (Thank you Inese) Those hooding will be seated on end of row
- Preceptors were invited- 13 will be sitting on stage, 1 in audience
- Remain standing on stage until after the anthem has been sung
- Dr.Liz Yzquierdo will MC

Run of Show

Begins at 8:30am

1. Processional: Dean's Party, Faculty, Graduates: PhD, DNP, APRN, MECN, BS (in this order)
2. Welcome: Elizabeth Yzquierdo (MC)
3. National Anthem: Sung by Jocelyn Acosta
4. Opening Remarks: Dean Zhan
5. Keynote Speaker: Kenneth White
6. Special Guest: VC Student Affairs Monroe Gorden (requests to sit in audience)
7. PhD Program Introduction: Holli DeVon
8. PhD Graduate Speaker: Victoria Abatay
9. Hooding of PhD Candidates (names read): Holli DeVon
10. Presentation of PhD Dissertation Award: Holli DeVon
11. DNP Program Introduction: Nancy Jo Bush
12. DNP Graduate Speaker: Korie Bigbee
13. Hooding of DNP Candidates (names read): Nancy Jo Bush
14. Presentation of DNP Dissertation Award: Nancy Jo Bush
15. (En Route) MS Introduction and name reading: Wendie Robbins (1 graduate)

16. APRN Program Introduction: John Lazar
17. APRN Graduate Speaker: Shionta Jones
18. Presentation of MSN-APRN Candidates:
 - Raymond Hummel - AGAC
 - Nalo Hamilton – FNP & AGPC
 - Nancy Pike - Peds
19. MECN Program Introduction: Anita Bralock
20. MECN Graduate Speaker: Grace Nsavu
21. Presentation of MSN-MECN Candidates: Barbara Bates Jensen
22. BS Program Introduction: Anita Bralock
23. BS Graduate Speaker: Alexander Tchekanov
24. Presentation of BS Candidates: Barbara Bates Jensen
25. Conferral of all degrees: Dean Zhan
26. International Pledge for Nurses: Robert Lucero
27. UCLA 8 Clap: Emily Chirila
28. Closing Remarks: Elizabeth Yzquierdo
29. End of Ceremony 2 lines exit
30. Faculty Procession, followed by students
31. Faculty exit to courtyard in front of Royce. Rented regalia can be dropped off at table in front of Royce Hall or in the Donor room inside of Royce Hall

Faculty Hooding (PhD and DNP)



As the doctoral student is called, faculty who is hooding comes to the center of the stage

Hooding

Instructions for wearing the Academic Hood

Congratulations! You have earned your degree and the right to wear the academic hood.

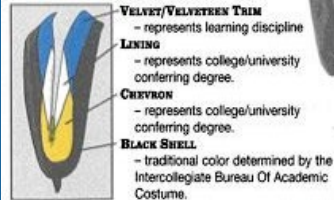
The academic hood is a visual representation of your level of academic achievement and the scholastic degree being conferred.



This hood has been designed within the guidelines established by the Intercollegiate Bureau Of Academic Costume.

The following instructions are designed to assist you in the proper way to wear the hood.

1. Put hood on over head with velvet side up and with small tapered end in front.
2. If hood has a cord and button, attach the hood neck cord over shirt button before closing gown, to prevent hood from riding against neck.
3. Obtain assistance to secure cord across the back to keep the back of hood together.
4. Obtain assistance to turn out lining colors as illustrated in picture.



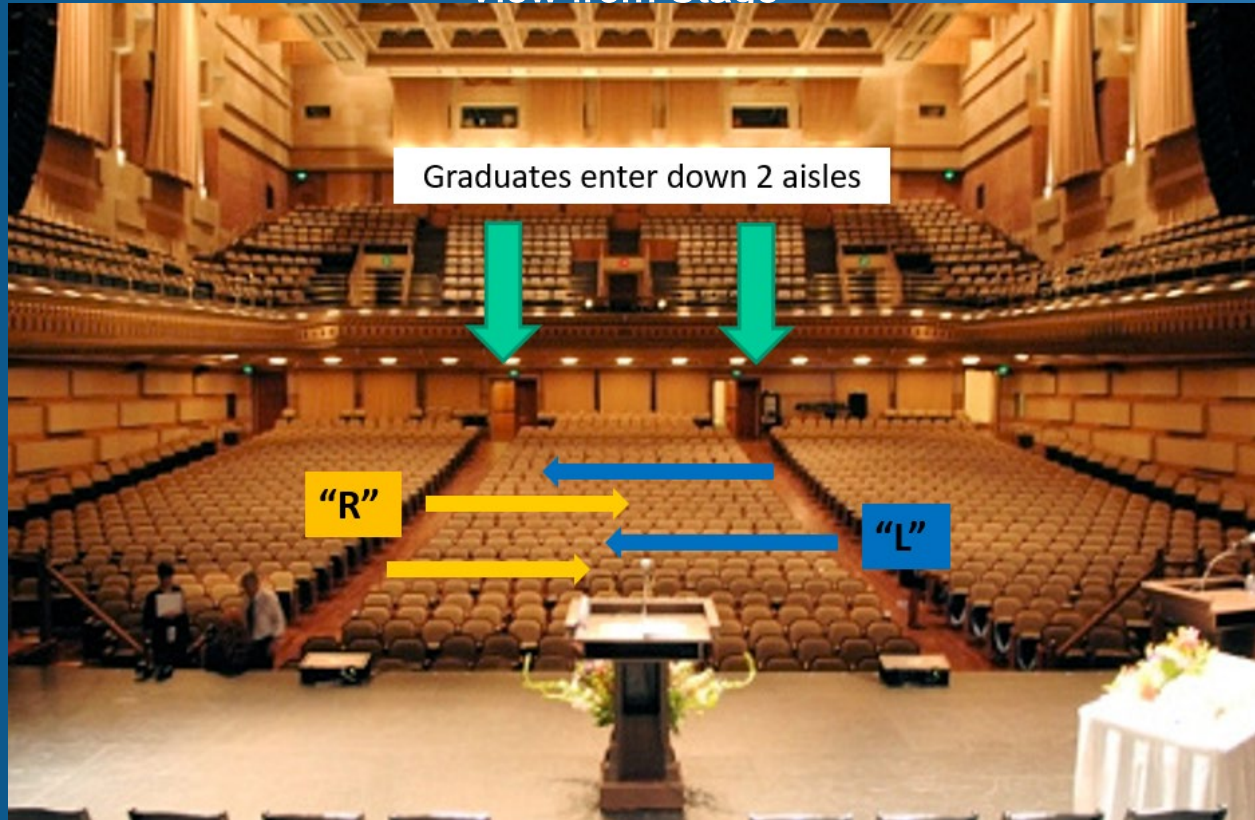
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During

- SAO pulls out speakers
- SAO pulls each row
- SAO controls flow
- SAO directs each student back to row



View from Stage







Student walking across stage

After Ceremony

- ❖ Follow instructions announced
 - Faculty will exit Royce first, two rows
 - Grads cued by SAOs to exit their rows in order
 - Place rented regalia in receptacles in greenroom

