Dear recent and expected SESP graduates,

With the arrival of spring quarter, we are excited to share more details and next steps for SESP Convocation (our school’s graduation ceremony) on **Monday, June 13, 2022**. The SESP community is excited to welcome you and your guests and celebrate your achievements!

SESP convocation is the ceremony at which your name is read and you will cross the stage to be recognized. PhD candidates will be hooded at the SESP ceremony.

Please bookmark and regularly refer to the SESP Convocation web page for additional details: [https://www.sesp.northwestern.edu/convocation.html](https://www.sesp.northwestern.edu/convocation.html) You may also wish to share the page link with family and friends who will be attending. You can learn more about our amazing 2022 SESP Convocation keynote speaker [here](https://www.sesp.northwestern.edu/convocation.html).

SESP Convocation will be on Monday, June 13 from 1-3pm CT in **Ryan Fieldhouse** (not the football stadium). A reception for the entire SESP community will be held immediately following the ceremony.

Please read the following information carefully regarding tickets and regalia.

**Participation and Ticketing**

To get tickets for both Northwestern commencement and SESP graduation, you must visit the website provided below twice and enter two different promotion codes.

For the **SESP graduation ceremony**, please indicate your plan to participate and secure tickets for your guests using the form below. All graduates can request and will receive the maximum of 10 tickets). Orders must be placed by May 20. **Gradsuates do not need a ticket for themselves.**

- Go to [https://nusports.evenue.net/cgi-bin/ncommerce3/EVExecMacro?linkID=nwu&evm=prmo&RSRC=&RDAT=&caller=PR](https://nusports.evenue.net/cgi-bin/ncommerce3/EVExecMacro?linkID=nwu&evm=prmo&RSRC=&RDAT=&caller=PR)
• Enter the promotion code: **SESP22 + your 7-digit student ID number** *(For example, SESP22+1234567) Be sure to type the +*

• Be sure to note any wheelchair or mobility accommodations needed.

• Tickets will be sent to you about two weeks before graduation. You will be able to share tickets electronically with guests. Looking for more than 10 tickets or won’t need all 10? You’ll be able to share unneeded tickets with other graduates. So, check with a classmate to ensure you have all the tickets for your guests.

• For log-in issues or questions about your ticketing account, please contact the Athletics Department at cat-tix@northwestern.edu or 847-491-2287 or 888-GO-PURPLE (467-8775)

For Northwestern commencement at Ryan Field a maximum of 10 tickets may be reserved. **Orders must be placed by May 20.**

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• Enter the promotion code: **COMM22 + 7-digit student ID number** *(For example, SESP22+1234567) Be sure to type the +*

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**Regalia (cap and gown) – orders due by May 4 at 11:59pm**
All undergraduate and masters-level graduates may keep their regalia. There is an option for doctoral regalia to be purchased. You can find all information and the link to the ordering form here.

You can find even more details about ticketing and regalia here.

**Share your memories with us to feature at SESP graduation!**

We're collecting your four favorite memories, well wishes to fellow SESP/NU graduates or expressions of excitement about graduation. We will share these as Instagram stories ahead of graduation. Please use this link: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSflA40diVWBse8fchgVnBPHW0etd vSK3jRexdMsQ6kQwSLpTw/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSflA40diVWBse8fchgVnBPHW0etd vSK3jRexdMsQ6kQwSLpTw/viewform)

**SESP Alumni Leadership Awards – application to open soon**

The SESP Alumni Leadership Award is a SESP graduation tradition. Details will be posted soon to the SESP Convocation website with how to apply for this award (which features a $1,000 prize), given to one undergraduate and one graduate student at the SESP ceremony.

For all matters and updates related to Northwestern commencement, please check out the commencement website: [https://www.northwestern.edu/commencement/](https://www.northwestern.edu/commencement/)

Questions about SESP graduation? Reply to this message or email sesp2022convocation@northwestern.edu. If you are not participating in SESP graduation, please let us know. We can remove you from future emails.
The SESP graduation planning team looks forward to celebrating with you in June. The spirit that bonds us as a community in SESP will be alive and well as we recognize all you have accomplished.