

Helen Way Klingler College of Arts and Sciences Graduation Information – May 2012

All graduates must apply for graduation in the Records Office, Marquette Hall 208. The [graduation application](#) is available on the Arts and Sciences webpage. The deadline to apply for May or August 2012 graduation was Friday, November 4, 2011.

April 16-20 ***Ticket Pick Up*** ***Brooks Lounge, AMU***
Tickets are required for all guests attending the **Klingler College of Arts and Sciences** graduation ceremony. Graduates do not need tickets. Graduates may pick up complimentary tickets with MUID at the Brooks Lounge, 1st floor AMU. The number of tickets to be issued and hours of pickup are forthcoming.

May 15-16 ***Cap and Gown Pick Up*** ***AMU 227***
Tuesday, May 15 **or** **Wednesday, May 16**
10 a.m. – 6 p.m. **10 a.m. – 4 p.m.**

Academic apparel is required at both the University and College of Arts and Sciences graduation ceremonies. Undergraduates may keep their apparel; master's candidates return apparel in designated locations at McGuire Center after College ceremony.

May 19 ***Baccalaureate Mass*** ***U.S. Cellular Arena (400 W. Kilbourn Ave.)***
4:30 p.m.
No tickets required. Seating is first-come, first-served. All are welcome to attend. No academic apparel will be worn.

May 20 ***University Commencement Ceremony*** ***Bradley Center (1001 N. 4th St.)***
9:30 – 11:30 a.m.
No tickets required. Seating is first-come, first-served. Graduates enter at west entrance of Bradley Center by 8:45 a.m. Assemble at Klingler College of Arts and Sciences banner. Graduation marshals will assist you in processing into the auditorium.

May 20 ***College of Arts & Sciences Graduation Ceremony***
Doors open at 1 p.m. ***TICKETS REQUIRED FOR ALL GUESTS; GRADUATES DO NOT NEED TICKETS***
Ceremony begins at 2 p.m. ***Al McGuire Center (770 N. 12th St.)***
Between W. Wisconsin Ave. and Wells St. on N. 12th Street

- **Attendance is required.** Students who have a cogent reason for not attending must present an email request to Interim Dean, Rev. Philip Rossi at philip.rossi@marquette.edu by **Friday, May 4th** to be excused.

- 1:00 p.m. McGuire Center doors open. Seats available on a first-come, first-served basis.
- 1:15 p.m. Graduates report to lower level Practice Court for announcement card and lineup by major department.
- 2:00 p.m. Procession begins
- 3:30 p.m. Ceremony is expected to conclude at 3:30 p.m.

Special Needs Seating (Arts and Sciences ceremony)

If anyone in your party requires special seating, please call **414-288-7059** to notify the college as soon as possible. Seats for guests needing special accommodations encircle the Level 2 main concourse of the McGuire Center. One guest may accompany those needing these seats. Wheelchairs or other prescriptive equipment are not provided by the university, college or venue.

McGuire Center Parking

Free parking is available in any of the Marquette parking lots. Lot F (on 12th Street between Wisconsin Ave. and Wells Street) and Structure 2, (located on W. Wells Street between 12th & 13th Streets), are the lots closest to the McGuire Center.

Photographer

A professional photographer from **GradImages**, the official photographer for the College of Arts and Sciences, will take individual pictures of the graduates as they receive their diploma cover on stage. A second photo will be taken just before he/she returns to the arena floor. To order photos you **must** pre-register at www.gradimages.com or call 800-261-2576.

Diplomas

MAY GRADUATES ONLY may obtain their diploma in the lower level Practice Court, immediately following the ceremony.

For information about the Arts and Sciences ceremony, visit

<http://www.marquette.edu/as> or contact the College directly by calling 414-288-7059.

For other information, contact:

University Special Events	(414) 288-7431	Commencement/apparel
Campus Ministry	(414) 288-6873	Baccalaureate Mass
Office of Student Development	(414) 288-7205	Senior Week
Office of the Registrar	(414) 288-4000	Diplomas
Marquette Spirit Shop	(414) 288-3050	Graduation Announcements
Marquette Information Center	(414) 288-7250	General questions