

WELCOME BACK

## CONVOCATION

MAY 2022

## CONVOCATION ASSISTANCE FOR GRADUATES WITH DISABILITIES

Please return this completed form to convo@sfu.ca at least one week before your convocation ceremony in May 2022.

First name	Last name
Student number	Faculty
Email	Phone

## MY CONVOCATION CEREMONY

- ☐ **May 4**   ☐ morning   ☐ afternoon  
☐ **May 5**   ☐ morning   ☐ afternoon  
☐ **May 6**   ☐ morning   ☐ afternoon

## CONVOCATION PROCESS

The convocation process is as follows:

- graduates pick up their reserved regalia and degrees, and form the procession, usually in the North Concourse of the Academic Quadrangle.
- The procession climbs a flight of stairs up to the central garden of the Academic Quadrangle, pauses there to re-form the double lines, proceeds behind the pipers down the concrete stairs leading to Convocation Mall, climbing and descending the ramp of the central dais, and is seated in the front rows of the audience chairs.

## ASSISTANCE

The University will make every reasonable effort to meet your access needs. Access support can include, but is not limited to: ASL interpretation, captioning, seating for an attendant, modification of the procession route, provision of assistance to navigate traditional procession route. Please indicate your intentions regarding the various aspects of this process:

Details about the type of accommodation/support requested/required:

The following information will help us better assist you. Please check the type(s) of accommodation you will need:

- ☐ I will require my regalia ahead of time  
☐ I will be bringing attendants to the Concourse  
☐ I will be bringing an attendant to Convocation Mall  
☐ I will process through the central garden of the Academic Quadrangle  
☐ I will use an elevator to Convocation Mall to rejoin the procession to be seated  
☐ I will require specific seating arrangements (e.g. space for you/your wheelchair)  
☐ I will be crossing the stage (via ramps up and down) to be greeted by the President and Chancellor  
☐ I will need assistance to cross the stage

If you need assistance in determining what support might be required, please contact the Centre for Accessible Learning, Simon Fraser University, 778.782.3112.

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION/PROTECTION OF PRIVACY

The information on this form is collected under the authority of the University Act (RSBC 1996 c.468 s27[4a]) and University Policy GP-26 Accessibility for Students with Disabilities, and is needed to provide you with accommodation during your convocation ceremony. If you have any questions about the collection and use of this information, contact the Assistant Registrar, Senate and Academic Services, Simon Fraser University, 778.782.6883. All information is given in confidence. Senate and Academic Services, Student Services, MBC 3000 TEL 778.782.6930 June 2015 8888 University Drive, Burnaby BC Canada V5A 1S6. FAX 778.782.5732.