

## **Guidelines for Graduation Sessions in Protection**

The graduation ceremony is a special event. In order to spend this day in a peaceful and joyful way, final year students and their family must follow some guidelines.

1) A limited number of **guests per candidate** is allowed .

It is **MANDATORY** to be in possession of the entrance tickets in order to take part in the session of Graduation Exam. The withdrawal methods are as follows:

Reception, Palazzo Bellini, Via Solaroli 17

From 8.30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Starting from 15 July 2021

The candidates who can't collect them before the thesis session can do so in the morning of the graduation exam.

Accompanying persons per candidate: A maximum of 3 accompanying persons plus 1 photographer per candidate are allowed , if the capacity of the hall allows it.

Example: 1 candidate Mario Rossi + 2 accompanying persons+ 1 photographer (professional or not)

Extra tickets are not available, so do not invite extra guests. Latecomers will not be admitted, even if they are in possession of a ticket.



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The Università del Piemonte Orientale has recently published the “Notice of Interest for the accreditation of professional photographers wishing to attend degree sessions”

The notice is available at this link:

<https://www.uniupo.it/it/gare-appalti-e-patrimonio/patrimonio/manifestazioni-di-interesse>

**PHOTOGRAPHER BEHAVIOR:** The photographer must not disturb the Professors Board and the candidates during the exam. They must follow the instructions of the President of the final exam board, the disciplinary and safety rules of the University, the principles of public order and the current legislation also on the protection of privacy and image confidentiality. The President of the Exam Board may prohibit or suspend the service in case of an incorrect behavior.

2) Food and beverages are not allowed inside the Auditorium (Aula Magna), in the hall and in the corridor.

3) No whistles, firecrackers, confetti or any other instruments are allowed during and after the ceremony in the building.

4) No graduation posters, stickers and any other pictures must be hanged on walls, trees and poles.

### **GRADUATION SESSION PROCEDURE**

The candidate and the accompanying persons must deliver the self-certification of good health at the entrance to the reception staff. You and the accompanying persons must also register at the entrance of Bellini Building. Everyone will also have to take the temperature.



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Students, family / friends and the members of the Commission (if they are not at the Commission table) take a seat according to a checkerboard pattern.

During the examination, the minimum distance (radius) between each person in the hall must be 1 meter +/- 10 cm.

Once the dissertation is over, the Commission leaves the hall and meets in another place to evaluate the candidates.

At the end of the evaluation, the President proclaims the graduation rites.

Candidates attend all together. They shall keep the minimum distance of 1 meter and scrupulously avoid handshakes and the ritual academic hug/kiss.

Finally, the halls are aired and sanitized at the end of the day.

In case of several graduation sessions in the same hall, sanitation will be done at the end of each session.

**During the ceremony, security guards are in charge of monitoring and ensuring respect of the rules.**

All attendants' cooperation is appreciated. Please inform your guests accordingly.