



Attention Doctoral Candidates:

May 2012 Doctoral Hooding Ceremony

Thursday, May 17th at 2:00 p.m.

Staller Center Main Stage

Ceremony Attendance Form: Form is available on SOLAR starting **March 20** closing on **May 1 (midnight)**. This step needs to be done in addition to filing for Graduation ("Application for Graduation" form). You will need to enter in your advisor's name and contact information, so confirm that they are available that day to hood you at the ceremony. If not, please provide another stand-in faculty member from your department.

Academic Attire: Contact the West Campus Bookstore (Jay Ahgharian) at 2-4890 or go to <http://www.herffjones.com/college> by April 13. Rental Cost: \$140.20+ tax– pickup begins on **May 14th**. Bookstore is located on the street level of Melville Library.

Ticket Distribution:

Doctoral Hooding Ceremony:

Distributed by your Department from May 8 - May 11. To find your [Department Representatives](#) who will be distributing your tickets visit the May Commencement Link located on the Commencement website. Up to four tickets per candidate will be distributed. Additional tickets may be available depending on responses.

Main Commencement:

Separate tickets are required if you choose to also attend the Main Commencement on Friday, May 18th, at the Main Arena, Sports Complex. Attendance should be indicated on the Ceremony Attendance Form. Tickets will be given with the Doctoral Hooding tickets. Maximum of three tickets per candidate.

Assembly:

Candidates should check in for lineup at 1:00 at Staller Lobby. Doors to Staller for guests will open at 1:30.

BY INVITATION ONLY--

Graduate Awards Ceremony: Wednesday, May 16 at 4:00 p.m. –SAC Ballroom B

LIVE Web Cast: The link for both ceremonies will be available on the Stony Brook home page on 5/17 and again on 5/18. The ceremonies will then be archived and available on-line for two weeks following the ceremonies at: tlt.stonybrook.edu/webcast



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