

FACULTY – COMMENCEMENT INFORMATION

SUMMER 2019 COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Saturday, August 10, 10:00 A.M.

Flowers Hall

Commencement Speaker – Dr. Margaret “Peggy” Bergeron

Commencement ceremonies are held in Flowers Hall each fall, spring and summer semesters. The dates are published on the [Academic Calendar](#) for each semester. The summer commencement ceremony is **one ceremony at 10:00 a.m.** in Flowers Hall.

The President’s Platform party and faculty assemble by **9:45 a.m.** in the north hallway (right) of Flowers Hall. Two lines are formed: the left line led by **President Kitts** and the faculty of the **College of Education and Human Sciences, College of Business and College of Arts & Sciences**; the right line is led by **Dr. Ross Alexander** and the faculty of the **College of Education and Human Sciences**.

The Board of Trustees, President’s Executive Council, and officers of the Administration will be distributed evenly between the two lines immediately following the President or Provost.

The marshals will lead these lines through the appropriate doors onto the floor. The member of the **President’s Platform Party** will proceed directly to the stage. The marshals will direct faculty into the first four rows of chairs: right line into rows one and three and left line into rows two and four. *Faculty should respect the solemnity and dignity of the commencement ceremony and serve as examples of proper decorum.*

RECESSIONAL PROCESS

Following the Alma Mater, there will be a recessional led by the President’s Platform Party and Faculty.

As the recessional music begins, the President’s Platform Party will lead the recessional, followed by the faculty as directed by the marshals. Students should then process out as directed.

If you have any questions regarding commencement, please contact the **Office of the Registrar** at graduation@una.edu or 256-765-4316.