

Academic Dress

The academic dress of graduates of the University is as follows:

Bachelors wear a black gown, similar to the Oxford BA, a hood of simple shape, black outside and fully lined with the University red taffeta, and a black mortar-board. Holders of diplomas and certificates wear the same dress as Bachelors except that the hood is of modified simple shape and edged with the University red.

Masters of Arts, Masters of Science and Masters of Environmental Studies wear a black gown, similar to the Oxford MA, a hood of full shape, black outside and fully lined with the University red and faced 1 in. inside with white, and a black mortar-board. Masters of Laws wear the same dress as other Masters, except that their hood is trimmed along the top inside edge with 1 in. white and 1 in. black. Masters of Philosophy wear the same dress as other Masters except that their hood is faced 3 in. inside with white. Holders of Postgraduate Diplomas and Certificates wear the same dress as Masters except that the hood is edged with the University red and white.

Doctors of Philosophy wear a gown of the same shape as Oxford Doctors with the body of the gown in black and the sleeves in maroon, a hood of full shape with the outside University red and fully lined with maroon taffeta, and a black cloth bonnet with maroon cord.

Honorary Doctors wear a gown of University red stuff material of the same shape as the PhD with 8 in. black cuffs with 2 in. white edging on the bottom of the cuffs and with facings of black edged with 2 in. of white. They wear hoods of full shape (as Cambridge) of University red silk outside and fully lined and edged with white, faced with 2 in. black ribbon on the inside ½ in. from the edge, and a black velvet bonnet with white cord.

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