

## Conferment of Degrees

In March 2020 Council agreed that in the event that neither the Chancellor nor the Vice-Chancellor are able to confer degrees at the University's graduation ceremonies, authority is delegated for this function to other Senior Executives. For the avoidance of doubt the chain of command for conferment of degrees, and otherwise, will be:

1. Chancellor
2. Vice-Chancellor
3. Provost
4. Pro Vice-Chancellor (Education and Students)
5. Pro Vice-Chancellor (Planning and Resources)
6. Chief Operating Officer / Director of Finance
7. Dean of USBS / MAH
8. Heads of Schools of Studies

N.B. In line with the University's Regulations the Chair of Council is not permitted to confer degrees.