

Potential December 2024 Graduates Eligibility

Since the Graduate School is receiving many questions about participating in the December 2024 Commencement Ceremony, we are sending this information to help clarify the details.

You are eligible to participate in the December 2024 Commencement ceremony if you meet the following criteria:

NON-THESIS MASTER'S STUDENTS:

- Approved Program of Study on File with the Graduate School by **October 16, 2024**
- Graduated August 2024 **OR** have an approved Fall 2024 'Nomination for Graduation' form on file with the Graduate School by **October 16, 2024**

THESIS MASTER'S STUDENTS:

- Approved Program of Study on File with the Graduate School by **October 16, 2024**
- Graduated August 2024 **OR** have an approved Fall 2024 'Nomination for Graduation' form on file with the Graduate School by **October 16, 2024**
- 'Request to Schedule an Oral Defense' form approved by the Graduate School by **November 22, 2024**
(NO EXCEPTIONS)

DOCTORAL STUDENTS:

- Successfully completed both Written and Oral Comprehensive Exams
- Approved Program of Study on File with the Graduate School by **October 16, 2024**
- Graduated August 2024 **OR** have an approved Fall 2024 'Nomination for Graduation' form on file with the Graduate School by **October 16, 2024**
- 'Request to Schedule an Oral Defense' form approved by the Graduate School by **November 22, 2024**
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STUDENTS IN PROGRAMS WITH INTERNSHIPS

- Not eligible for December 2024 degree completion and commencement with outstanding internship requirements.

All degree requirements must be met for degree conferral. Attending December 2024 commencement based on the above requirements does not guarantee degree completion.

This web site will also provide details about the date and time of the ceremony as well as information on how to order your regalia.

If you have any question, contact the Graduate Enrollment Team at gradforms@etal.uri.edu or by phone at (401) 874-2262