

## Guide for the graduation walk of celebration events 28 – 31 March 2022

Congratulations and welcome!

As this is not a traditional graduation ceremony, you may find it useful to know what awaits at your 'walk of celebration'.

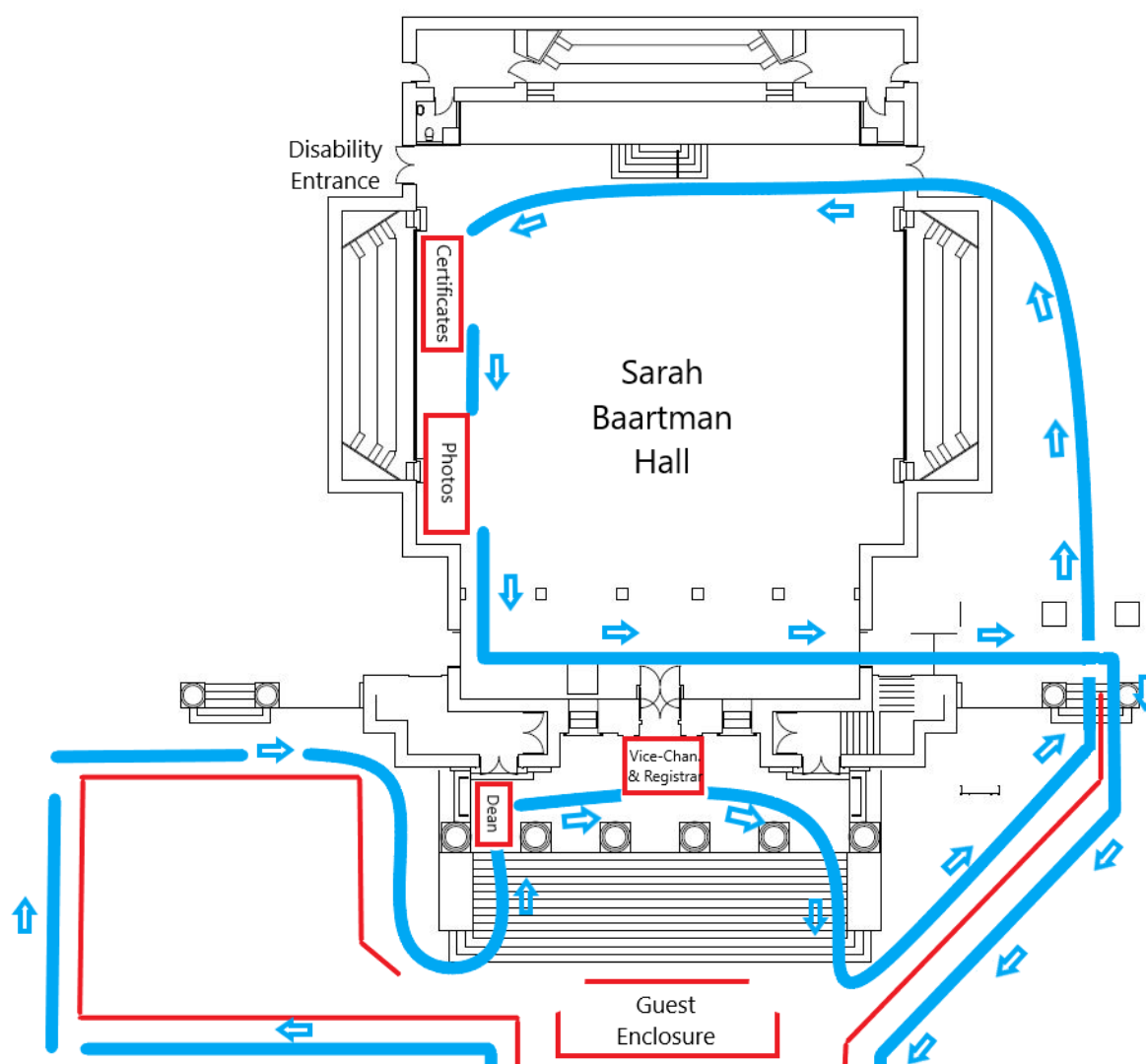
You may arrive at anytime during the session allocated. This is because you are not going to be seated for the duration of the event. In good weather the 'walk of celebration' will be outside, on the steps of the Sarah Baartman Hall. If there is a risk of rain, we will use the platform inside the Sarah Baartman Hall.

Graduands and their guests will stay together throughout. You and your guests should queue on the plaza as indicated overleaf. Only when you reach the steps will you and your guests be separated. You will proceed up the steps and your guests will be admitted to the guests' enclosure in front of the steps. Your guests will have an unobstructed view of you as you move up the steps, your name is called out by the Dean, the VC congratulates you and the Registrar hoods you. When you come down the steps, your guests will leave the enclosure and can join you again.

You will then collect your degree certificate and pose for photos. Optional family photos can also be taken in the Maths building.

Please follow the ushers' directions and stay within the demarcated areas once you line up. The Alumni Office will have a desk on the plaza and we hope you visit them before you leave.

[Sarah Baartman Hall outside celebration:](#)



Sarah Baartman Hall inside celebration (if it rains):

