

**College of Social Sciences Convocation**  
**Friday, May 29, 2017 @ 10:15 a.m.**  
**Save Mart Center**

**SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR GRADUATES**

There is no rehearsal for this event. PLEASE READ CAREFULLY  
Anyone is welcome to attend. NO REGISTRATION OR TICKETS ARE REQUIRED

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

- PARKING - Paid parking is not enforced on 5/19 and 5/20
- Follow directions of traffic personnel stationed at various lots throughout campus.
- Guests with mobility concerns may be dropped off at the circle drive in Lot P3 at the entrance to the Student Recreation Center.
- There are disabled parking spaces throughout campus. Save Mart Center Lot 5 has been reserved for those with a valid disabled placard.
- Parking at [Campus Pointe](#) is for customers and tenant/employees only, not for event parking for the Save Mart Center. Vehicles are subject to being towed if parking regulations are not followed.

**ACCESSIBILITY AND SPECIAL NEEDS**

Parking, seating and hearing accommodations for the Save Mart Center can be viewed on the attached documents for accessibility.

**SAVE MART CENTER EXPECTATIONS AND RESTRICTIONS**

Patrons are subject to security searches and other restrictions as deemed necessary and as required by the event. Management reserves the right to refuse admittance to anyone who refuses to allow inspection of their persons and any purse, bags or package carried with them when entering the arena. Violators of these regulations or anyone engaging in inappropriate conduct may be refused admission or directed to leave.

Do not bring:

- Beach balls, helium balloons, and projectiles
- Air horns
- Laser pointers
- Outside food, drinks, cans, bottles or containers of any kind
- Tobacco, drugs, alcohol
- Fireworks and weapons

Additional Save Mart Center Visitor Information can be found at <http://savemartcenter.com/visitor-information/>

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**Recommendations:**

- Pick a location to meet your guests outside the building after the ceremony.
- Guests are not permitted on the floor levels.
- Wear comfortable shoes suitable for walking down the loading dock.

**Arrival @ 9:15 a.m.**

- Assemble in the loading dock at the Save Mart Center (Northeast side of the building closest to Chestnut Ave.). Students who have mobility concerns may use the elevator inside the Northeast corner of the arena.
- Once admitted, you will put on your regalia; it must be worn throughout the procession and ceremony.
- Undergraduate candidates: The cap is worn on the head with the point in the middle of the forehead., tassel on the RIGHT side of the mortarboard.
- Graduate candidates: Position your tassel on the LEFT side of the mortarboard.

**Line-Up @ 9:50 a.m.**

- Last chance for restroom break prior to the ceremony.

**Processional @ 10:15 a.m.**

- At the proper signal, graduates will follow the Marshalls and process into the arena.

**Recessional @ 11:45 a.m.**

- Please stand for the recessional. The Dean's Party exits first, followed by the faculty.
- After faculty have exited, you are free to leave the building on your own. **YOU MUST EXIT UP THE STANDS.** Meet your guest outside the building.

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**Graduate Seating Area**



**NORTH**  
Criminology

**SOUTH**  
Africana Studies  
Anthropology  
Chicano and Latin American Studies  
Geography & City & Regional Planning  
History  
Political Science  
Sociology  
Women's Studies