



# Your big day!

# University of Iceland Graduation Ceremony 27 June 2020

#### Dear Candidate,

The University of Iceland Graduation Ceremony is fast approaching, and I would like to take the opportunity to congratulate you on your achievement. We are extremely proud of you and your fellow students and wish you the very best for the future.

We know that the last few months have been challenging, so we truly hope that you are able to attend the Graduation Ceremony in Laugardalshöll to celebrate all your hard work with your fellow students. We will take steps to prevent against infection at the ceremony, as detailed below.

We would also love to maintain a connection with you in the future and draw your attention to the University's alumni work, https://english.hi.is/university/university\_alumni. We use this platform to share information about the diverse work happening at the University which could be of interest to you, but we also want to hear about how you get on in the future.

Best regards,

Jón Atli Benediktsson Rector of the University of Iceland

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## **Useful information for the Graduation Ceremony**

Time and place: 27 June, 10 am in Laugardalshöll

Arrival: No later than 9 am

## Health and safety is a priority

Emphasis is placed on health and safety at the Graduation Ceremony with regard to infection prevention.

- Laugardalshöll will be divided into two areas marked A and B. Staff will direct candidates to their designated seats.
- Candidates from the School of Health Sciences will use entrance A.
- Candidates from the School of Engineering and Natural Sciences will use entrance B.
- Keeping a two metre distance is optional and there will be a special area with two metres between seats for those who wish to do so.
- Only candidates will be able to attend the ceremony in person this year, but it will be live streamed here: https://livestream.com/hi/brautskraning2020

Seating arrangements:

You will have a designated seat; your seat number can be found on the list of candidates by

the entrance to Laugardalshöll.

The Ceremony: When your group (i.e. departm

When your group (i.e. department/programme) is called up, candidates walk onto the stage from the left to a mark on the floor. Once you have received your diploma from the Head of Faculty and been congratulated by the Rector, walk across to the right of the stage and return directly to your seat.

University staff will be on site to assist and provide further instructions.

N.B. If you are unable to attend the ceremony, please inform your Faculty Office by 3 pm, Monday 22 June.

Please also inform your Faculty Office if you wish to maintain two metres distance from others.