

REGULATION 27: ACADEMICAL DRESS

For all occasions where academical dress is to be worn, the Full Dress robes as prescribed are to be used unless otherwise stated.

1. Undergraduate Certificate, Undergraduate Diploma, Foundation Degree, Graduate Certificate, Graduate Diploma

Full Dress

Gown: of black cloth, with a cut-away collar and a yoke rounded at the bottom, the gown being pleated round this yoke. The sleeves to be bell-sleeves of moderate length with very sharply pointed ends, with a wide but not long vertical opening halfway down their length for the passage of the arms.

Hood: black outer self lined and cowl edge bound 75mm (3") in scarlet satin. Plain black neck band that is self lined black.

Hat: a black square cap (mortarboard).

2. Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Engineering, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Laws, Master of Computing, Master of Chemistry, Master of Engineering, Master of Mathematics and Master of Physics

Full Dress

Gown: of black cloth, with a cut-away collar and a yoke rounded at the bottom, the gown being pleated round this yoke. The sleeves to be bell-sleeves of moderate length with very sharply pointed ends, with a wide but not long vertical opening halfway down their length for the passage of the arms.

Hood: black outer self lined and face inside fully lined in scarlet satin. Plain black neck band that is self lined black.

Hat: a black square cap (mortarboard).

- 2.1. Validated courses (Bachelor awards)

Full Dress

Gown: of black cloth, with a cut-away collar and a yoke rounded at the bottom, the gown being pleated round this yoke. The sleeves to be bell-sleeves of moderate length with very sharply pointed ends, with a wide but not long vertical opening halfway down their length for the passage of the arms.

Hood: black outer self lined and face inside fully lined in scarlet satin. Plain black

Full Dress

Gown: of black cloth, with a cut-away collar and a yoke rounded at the bottom, the gown being pleated round this yoke. The sleeves to be bell-sleeves of moderate length with very sharply pointed ends, with a wide but not long vertical opening halfway down their length for the passage of the arms.

Hood: black outer self lined and cowl edge bound 75mm (3") in scarlet satin. Plain black neck band that is self lined black.

Hat: a black square cap (mortarboard).

- 2.3. Validated courses (Master of Arts, Master of Business Administration, Master of Laws, Master of Music, Master of Research, Master of Science)

Full Dress

Gown: of black cloth, with cut-away collar and yoke in the form of a double bracket, gathered below and at the shoulders. Black grosgrain facings in front. The gown length to be below the knee. Sleeves to be as long as the gown, panelled (i.e. square and sewn up below the arms), with broad square flat ends, with a broad but not long vertical opening halfway down for the passage of the arms.

Hood: black outer fully lined in dove grey. Plain black neck band that is self lined black.

Hat: a black square cap (mortarboard).

3. Bachelor of Medicine Bachelor of Surgery (BMBS) in the Brighton and Sussex Medical School

Full Dress

Gown: of black cloth, with a cut-away collar and a yoke rounded at the bottom, the gown being pleated round this yoke. The sleeves to be bell-sleeves of moderate length with very sharply pointed ends, with a wide but not long vertical opening halfway down their length for the passage of the arms.

Hood: black outer self lined and face inside lined in 125 mm (5") Chalky Blue and 25 mm (1") Moss Green satin. Plain black neck band that is self lined black.

Hat: a black square cap (mortarboard).

4. Bache

Doctor of Music:
Doctor of Science:

Oyster White

Gown: the gown to be the same shape as the honorary Doctor of Philosophy full dress gown but purple in colour. Shoulder ribbons to be gamboge colour.

Hood: no hood is worn.

Hat: a black velvet pileus with a purple button.

16. The Chancellor

Gown: of black silk, like that of the honorary Doctors' gowns, with a half train. Decorated round the lower edge of the yoke, on the sleeves above the arm-holes (where the decoration is to consist of three horizontal strips of gold silk each with three buttons and three tassels), below the arm-holes, and at the bottom of the sleeves, and the facings, and the hem, with gold braid.

Hat: a black square cap (mortarboard) with a band of gold braiding, and a button and gold tassel.

17. The Vice-Chancellor

Gown: of black brocade silk, with square yoke at the back into which are gathered the folds of the gown and sleeves; the sleeves being of cape shape with wide openings tapering to points and faced at cuff and round the edge with gold braid. The collar to be high and upstanding at the back as in the honorary Doctors' gowns. The front of the gown turned back and edged with gold braid.

Hat: a black square cap (mortarboard) with a band of gold braiding and a gold button and tassel.

18. The Pro-Chancellor

Gown: of black brocade silk, with square yoke at the back into which are gathered the folds of the gown and sleeves; the sleeves being of cape shape with wide openings tapering to points and faced at cuff and round the edge with gold braid. The collar to be high and upstanding at the back as in the honorary Doctors' gowns. The front of the gown turned back and edged with gold braid.

Hat: a black velvet pileus with a thick band of gold braiding surrounding its base, with a gold button.

19. The Vice Chair

Gown: of black brocade silk, with square yoke at the back into which are gathered the folds of the gown and sleeves; the sleeves being of cape shape with wide openings tapering to points and faced at cuff and round the edge with silver braid. The front of the gown turned back and edged with silver braid.

Hat: a black velvet pileus with a silver button.

20. The Deputy Vice-Chancellor

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The front of the gown turned back and edged with silver braid.

Hat: a black square cap (mortarboard) with silver button and tassel.

21. The Pro-Vice-Chancellors

Gown: a silk damask robe of exactly the same shape as the Masters' gown but the whole to be black in colour, and a cut-away collar coming down to join the facings in front and faced at cuff and round the edge with silver braid.

Hat: a black square cap (mortarboard) with silver button and tassel.

22. The Heads of Schools

The Heads of Schools wear their own academic gown and hood.

23. The Chief Operating Officer and the Academic Registrar

Gown: a silk damask robe of exactly the same shape as the Masters' gown but the whole to be black in colour, and instead of a cut-away collar to have a collar high and upstanding at the back coming down to join the facings in front and faced at cuff and round the edge with silver braid.

Hat: black velvet pileus, with silver button.

24. The Mace Bearer