

### Thursday, May 21

7 p.m.

#### Master of Arts in Interactive Media Commencement Ceremony

*Whitley Auditorium*

Reception to follow on Long Patio for graduates, families and guests (rain location: Studio B, McEwen Communications Building).

### Friday, May 22

11 a.m.

#### ROTC Commissioning Ceremony

*Holt Chapel, South Campus*

1:30–2:30 p.m.

#### Receptions for Graduates and Their Families

Hosted by the faculty in Elon College and the schools of Business, Communications and Education

\* *Elon College, the College of Arts and Sciences*  
Lindner Hall Patio  
(rain location: Lindner Foyer)

\* *Martha and Spencer Love School of Business*  
Chandler Fountain/Plaza  
(rain location: First Floor, Koury Business Center)

\* *School of Communications*  
Manfuso Plaza  
(rain location: Studio B, McEwen Communications Building)

\* *School of Education*  
Mooney Building and Lawn  
(rain location: Curriculum Resource Center, Mooney 111)

3 p.m.

#### Baccalaureate

*Alumni Gym, Koury Athletic Center*

THE REV. LUKE A. POWERY, dean of Duke Chapel at Duke University, was ordained by the Progressive National Baptist Convention and has served at churches in Switzerland, Canada and the United States. Powery also serves as secretary of the Academy of

Homiletics and is a member of both the American Academy of Religion and the Society for the Study of Black Religion. A member of the executive lectionary team for The African American Lectionary, an online ecumenical project funded by the Lilly Endowment, Inc., Powery is the recipient of numerous scholastic fellowships and awards from organizations. In recognition for his work, Powery was named one of “20 to Watch” by the African American Pulpit in 2008.

5 p.m.

#### Celebration of Leaders of the Twenty-First Century

*Great Hall/Global Commons*

Graduating Business Fellows, Communications Fellows, Elon College Fellows, Honors Fellows, Isabella Cannon Leadership Fellows, Lumen Scholars, Teaching Fellows and Periclean Scholars will be recognized at a ceremony that highlights their talents and accomplishments. A reception will follow.

7 p.m.

#### Master of Business Administration Commencement Ceremony

*Whitley Auditorium*

Reception to follow on Long Patio for graduates, families and guests (rain location: Studio B, McEwen Communications Building).

### Saturday, May 23

7:30–8:45 a.m.

#### Continental Breakfast

*Scott Plaza/Fonville Fountain*

Faculty host graduating students and their families at a continental breakfast around Fonville Fountain.

8 a.m.

#### Graduate Assembly

*Jordan Gym, Koury Athletic Center*

Graduates must be in caps and gowns in Jordan Gym promptly at 8 a.m.

9:15 a.m.

#### The 125th Commencement Exercises

*Under the Oaks*

The Commencement procession will begin the formal ceremony. Family and guests should be seated by 9 a.m.

CHARLIE COOK P'15, editor and publisher of the *Cook Political Report* and a columnist for the *National Journal*, is considered one of the nation's leading authorities on American politics and U.S. elections. He was a co-recipient in 2010 of the American Political Science Association's prestigious Carey McWilliams award to honor “a major journalistic contribution to our understanding of politics.” In the spring of 2013, he served as a Resident Fellow at the Institute of Politics at the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University. Cook founded the *Cook Political Report* in 1984 and became a columnist for *Roll Call*, the newspaper of Capitol Hill, in 1986. In 1998 he moved his column to *National Journal*. He has served as a political analyst or election night analyst for CBS, CNN and NBC News and has been a frequent political analyst for all three major broadcast news networks. He also has appeared on NBC's “Meet the Press” and ABC's “This Week.”

#### Reception for Graduates

*Scott Plaza/Fonville Fountain*

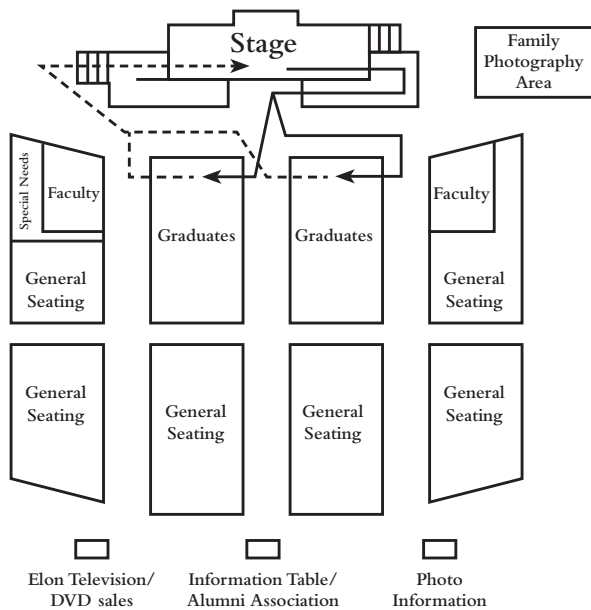
The Elon Alumni Association invites graduates, families and guests to a reception hosted by academic departments around Fonville Fountain immediately following Commencement. Elon oak saplings and alumni association information packets will be given to graduates in front of Powell Building. A special reception for international graduates and their families will be held immediately following Commencement in the Isabella Cannon Global Education Center (Global Commons, 3rd Floor).

6 p.m.

#### Elon University School of Law Commencement

*Under the Oaks*

Reception to follow around Fonville Fountain for graduates, families and guests.



## Under the Oaks

Commencement is staged at the area Under the Oaks. Special needs seating is located audience left (see seating diagram). A live broadcast for guests with special needs will also be available inside the McEwen Communications Building. Due to the large number of guests in attendance, family pets are discouraged.

## Photography during Commencement

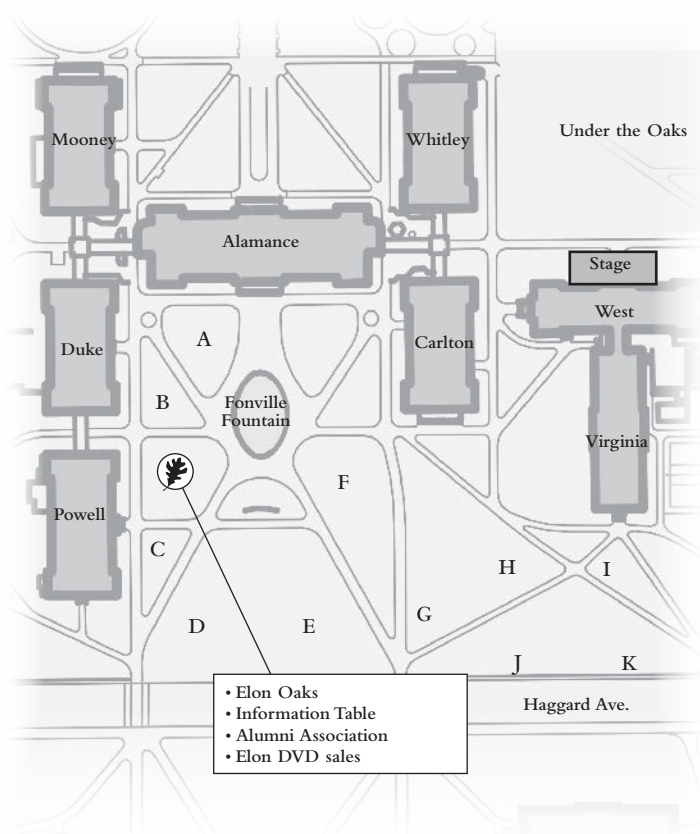
A professional photographer will take photos of each graduate receiving his or her diploma. Photo proofs will be available online through Grad Images a few days after the ceremony. Visit [elon.edu/commencement](http://elon.edu/commencement) for more information.

## Commencement DVDs

Elon University will produce DVDs of the undergraduate and School of Law Commencement exercises, including awarding of degrees. Staff at the DVD sales tables will provide information and accept orders.

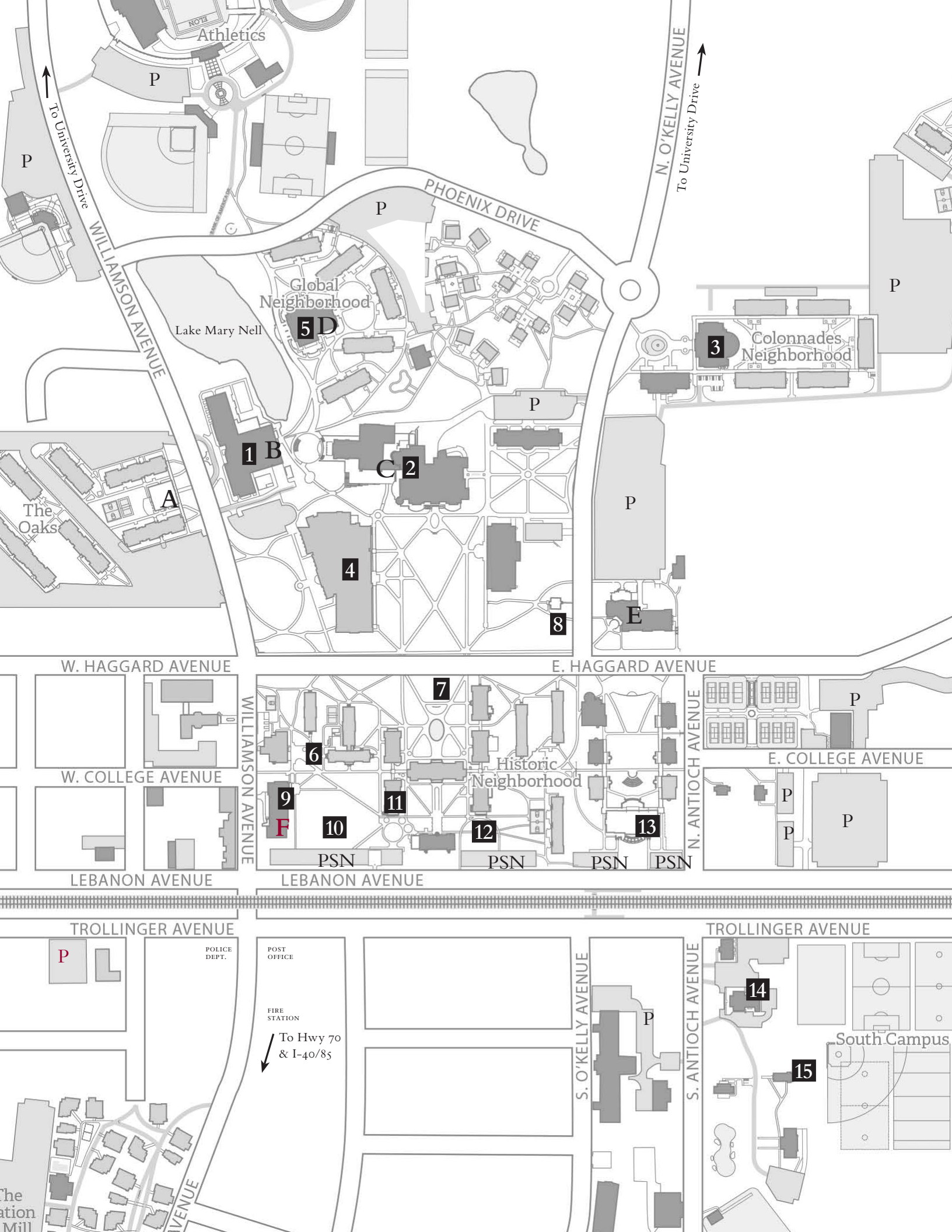


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## Post-Commencement Reception Locations

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| <p><b>A</b> » Mathematics and Statistics<br/>           » Computer Science<br/>           » Computer Information Systems<br/>           » Information Science</p> <p><b>B</b> » Religious Studies<br/>           » Philosophy<br/>           » World Languages &amp; Cultures<br/>           » English</p> <p><b>C</b> » Biology<br/>           » Chemistry<br/>           » Biochemistry<br/>           » Physics<br/>           » Engineering<br/>           » Exercise Science<br/>           » Environmental Studies<br/>           » Science Education</p> <p><b>D</b> » Economics<br/>           » Accounting</p> <p><b>E</b> » Marketing and Entrepreneurship<br/>           » Management<br/>           » Finance<br/>           » International Business</p> | <p><b>F</b> » School of Communications<br/>           » Sport and Event Management</p> <p><b>G</b> » Education</p> <p><b>H</b> » Physical Education and Health</p> <p><b>I</b> » Art<br/>           » Art History<br/>           » Arts Administration<br/>           » Music<br/>           » Dance<br/>           » Dance Science<br/>           » Music Theatre<br/>           » Theatre</p> <p><b>J</b> » Psychology<br/>           » Human Service Studies<br/>           » Public Health Studies<br/>           » Independent Major</p> <p><b>K</b> » Political Science<br/>           » Sociology<br/>           » Anthropology<br/>           » Policy Studies<br/>           » History<br/>           » International Studies</p> |
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Athletics

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To University Drive  
WILLIAMSON AVENUE

PHOENIX DRIVE

N. O'KELLY AVENUE  
To University Drive

Global Neighborhood

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The Oaks

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W. HAGGARD AVENUE

E. HAGGARD AVENUE

WILLIAMSON AVENUE

N. ANTIOCH AVENUE

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Historic Neighborhood

W. COLLEGE AVENUE

E. COLLEGE AVENUE

LEBANON AVENUE

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TROLLINGER AVENUE

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POLICE DEPT.

POST OFFICE

FIRE STATION

To Hwy 70 & I-40/85

S. O'KELLY AVENUE

S. ANTIOCH AVENUE

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South Campus

The Station Mill

# ELON *Campus Map Legend*

## Important locations

- |   |                                   |                                 |
|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1) Center for the Arts                  | 8) Martin Alumni Center           | (P) Parking                     |
| 2) Moseley Center/Lakeside              | 9) McEwen Communications Building | (PSN) Parking for special needs |
| 3) Koury Business Center/Chandler Plaza | 10) Under the Oaks                |                                 |
| 4) Koury Athletic Center/Alumni Gym     | 11) Whitley Auditorium            |                                 |
| 5) Great Hall/Global Commons            | 12) Mooney Building and Lawn      |                                 |
| 6) Manfuso Plaza                        | 13) Lindner Hall                  |                                 |
| 7) Scott Plaza/Fonville Fountain        | 14) Johnston Hall                 |                                 |
|   | 15) Holt Chapel                   |                                 |

## RAIN LOCATIONS FOR CLOSED-CIRCUIT VIEWING

### 9:15 A.M. CEREMONIES

- A) MCCOY COMMONS, THE OAKS  
*Education/Science Education*
- B) CENTER FOR THE ARTS  
*Art/Art History/Arts Administration/Music/Theatre Studies/Theatre Design & Production*
- C) MOSELEY CENTER/LAKESIDE  
*International Economics/Economics/Human Service Studies/Public Health Studies/Independent Major/Religious Studies/Philosophy/English/World Languages & Cultures/Psychology/Anthropology/Sociology/History/International Studies/Political Science/Policy Studies*
- D) GREAT HALL, GLOBAL COMMONS  
*Communications/Strategic Communications/Journalism/Communications Design/Cinema & Television Arts/Media Arts & Entertainment/Sport & Event Management/Media Analytics*
- E) MCMICHAEL SCIENCE CENTER  
*Biology/Chemistry/Statistics/Environmental Studies/Physics/Computer Science/Computer Science-Engineering/Mathematics*

### 1:15 P.M. CEREMONIES

- A) MCCOY COMMONS, THE OAKS  
*Physical Education/Health/Music Education/Exercise Science*
- B) CENTER FOR THE ARTS  
*Music Theatre/Dance/Dance Science/Art/Theatre Arts/Music Production & Recording Arts/Music Technology*
- C) MOSELEY CENTER/LAKESIDE  
*Management/Finance/Accounting*
- D) GREAT HALL, GLOBAL NEIGHBORHOOD  
*Marketing/Entrepreneurship/International Business*
- E) MCMICHAEL SCIENCE CENTER  
*Biology/Biochemistry/Chemistry-Chemical Engineering/Engineering/Environmental Studies-Engineering/Physics/Biophysics-Biomedical Engineering/Environmental and Ecological Science/Computer Information Systems/Applied Mathematics/Information Science/Computer Science/Engineering Mathematics-Physics/Mathematics and Statistics*
- F) MCEWEN COMMUNICATIONS  
*Sport and Event Management/Cinema & Television Arts*

## RAIN PLAN

If rain forces Elon to move Commencement from Under the Oaks into Alumni Gym, the Class of 2015 will be divided in two groups and identical ceremonies will be held at separate times:

- 9:15 a.m. - Bachelor of Arts
- 1:15 p.m. - Bachelor of Fine Arts  
Bachelor of Science  
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Graduates may pick up two rain tickets in Alamance 109 (Office of Student Life) beginning May 4. It is the responsibility of each graduate to give the tickets to those who will use them on May 23.

Commencement exercises also will be streamed live online and broadcast via closed-circuit television at several locations.

## Updated weather information

phone: 336-278-rain (7246)  
web: [elon.edu/e-net](http://elon.edu/e-net)

## Barnes & Noble at Elon University hours

Thursday, May 21 and Friday, May 22  
8:30 a.m.–7 p.m.

Saturday, May 23  
8:30 a.m.–3 p.m.

Sunday, May 24  
10 a.m.–2 p.m.

## Campus Dining hours

Thursday, May 21 and Friday, May 22  
Acorn Coffee Shop: 7 a.m.–2 p.m.

Winter Garden Café in Lakeside: 8 a.m.–2 p.m.

Saturday, May 23  
Acorn Coffee Shop: 7 a.m.–2 p.m.



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