

Doctoral Students - Preparing to Walk

Below is important information to help you prepare for graduation and, if you choose, to participate in Spring 2025 commencement.

1. **Check DegreeWorks.** Ensure that all requirements, including all dissertation forms, have been approved—except for the oral defense form. All forms must be approved (as reflected in DegreeWorks) before you are eligible to graduate AND eligible to walk in commencement.
2. **You have successfully defended your dissertation,** and the defense forms have been submitted to dissertationforms@kennesaw.edu by the deadlines listed below.
3. **Here is the timeline for permission to walk in commencement:**
 - **April 22, 2025** - To ensure that you can participate, receive guest tickets, and have your name in the commencement program.
 - **April 29, 2025** - To ensure that you can participate and receive guest tickets.

For more information, please contact: gradcollege@kennesaw.edu