Please read through this information carefully!

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

1. Check the Commencement website for up-to-date information ([www.dts.edu/commencement](http://www.dts.edu/commencement) or [students.dts.edu/2019-commencement](http://students.dts.edu/2019-commencement)).

2. Please arrive promptly at the designated times for the Commencement Chapel at Scofield Church on Friday morning and for Commencement at Prestonwood Baptist Church on Saturday morning.

3. Nursery care is not provided at Scofield, but is available at Prestonwood. Check the commencement website for details. As a courtesy to others, please have family members take crying or disruptive children out of the services. A cry room is available at Scofield and Prestonwood has ample room and monitors in the entry areas of the church.

**COMMENCEMENT CHAPEL**

**Time:** Friday, May 10, 2019, 10:00–11:30 AM.  
**Location:** Scofield Church—7730 Abrams Road, Dallas, Texas 75231  
**Speaker:** Dr. David Lowery, Senior Professor of New Testament Studies  
**Arrive promptly! Meet in the Gymnasium at the North end of the facility by no later than 9:00 AM.**

1. Scofield Church is located on the east side of Abrams Road between Church and Royal in the Lake Highlands area of Dallas. Parking is available at the rear of the facility. Ushers and signs will be available to direct you to the gymnasium where graduates will meet for instructions and line-up.

2. Graduates wear caps and gowns at Commencement Chapel, but not hoods. Men should wear a dress shirt, dark pants (not jeans), dark socks, and dark dress shoes under their regalia. Ties are optional. Women should dress appropriate to the occasion (dresses, skirts and nice blouses, etc.). To maintain consistency and the proper decorum, graduates should not wear any external decoration on the outside of their regalia. International students are welcome to wear native attire under their regalia as appropriate and consistent with the regalia. Even so, dark clothing is preferred.

3. If possible, leave sport coats, jackets, purses, and other valuables with relatives, in your car, or at home. There will be no place to hang coats or leave belongings in the gym. Anything left in the gym will be moved to the Faculty Robing Rooms (114–116). Once the processional leaves the gym, we will not return.

4. Line-up at Commencement Chapel will begin PROMPTLY at 9:15. We will form two lines and number you off by rows (to accommodate seating). It is extremely important that you arrive on time for last-minute instructions and for line-up.

5. During the chapel, men should take off their caps for the invocation and put them back on for the recessional. Women leave their caps on for the entire service. Follow the faculty and do what they do. Cap tassels should be on the right side of the caps. If you lose your tassel, see the staff at the regalia station in the robing area. Again, please do not wear your hood to the chapel.

6. Several graduates will receive awards this year. Award recipients should come forward when their names are called and receive their award from Dr. Bailey; then move to his right. The first award recipient will move to the location marked on the floor nearest the piano. Each succeeding award recipient should line up to the left of the preceding award winner facing the audience. Remain standing facing the congregation while all the awards are presented. If you receive a second award, leave your place in line, receive your award from Dr. Bailey, and return to the end of the line.

**GROUNDBREAKING FOR NEW CHAPEL/STUDENT LIFE BUILDING—FRIDAY, MAY 10, 5:00–5:30 PM.**

The seminary has scheduled the groundbreaking for the new chapel/student-life building to coincide with the spring board meetings and commencement this spring. The groundbreaking will take place at 5:00 pm on the east side (Haskell Ave. side) of the big tent, in the middle parking lot. Graduates and their families are invited to attend. The BBQ will begin immediately after the groundbreaking program.
TEXAS-STYLE BBQ AND FACULTY RECEPTION—FRIDAY, MAY 10, 5:30–7:30 PM.

1. The come-and-go BBQ will be held on campus. No program is planned. The BBQ is designed to give graduates and their families an opportunity to visit with one another and meet the faculty. A petting zoo and other activities will be available for children.

2. Tickets will be required to eat, so remember to bring yours with you. This is a true Texas barbecue with all the fixin’s.

3. Because of the large number of graduates and families expected, it will be helpful and appreciated if you and your family could go through the serving lines according to the following schedule. This will help us accommodate everyone as quickly as possible through the serving lines. If you are unable go through the line at the suggested time, please come when you can.

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4. Dress is informal and western attire is encouraged. A picnic atmosphere is planned so feel free to bring blankets to sit on the lawn. Limited table seating will be provided under the “big top.” In the event of rain, we will open up Mitchell Ministry Center and other buildings as necessary.

COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Time: Saturday, May 11, 2019, 10:00 AM–12:30 PM.

Location: Prestonwood Baptist Church—6801 W. Park Blvd., Plano, Texas

Speaker: Dr. Jack Graham, Senior Pastor, Prestonwood Baptist Church

Arrive promptly! Meet in the choir loft for the class photo instructions at 8:15 AM!

1. Prestonwood Baptist Church is located at the NW corner of Midway and W. Park. The church is only a few blocks west of the Dallas North Tollway on W. Park (NOT Parker). The quickest way to the church is up the Dallas North Tollway from downtown or from I-635 if coming from the east or west. Allow at least 35 minutes to get to the church from the seminary. Prestonwood has ample parking for our event, but allow a few minutes to get from your car into the building. Graduates should plan to be in the choir loft by 8:15 a.m., so plan accordingly.

2. Graduates will NOT wear their regalia for the class photo and instructions. Leave your regalia with a family member or friend, or make note of where you put it. They all look alike and you want to make sure you get yours and not someone else’s. After the photo and brief instructions, graduates will reassemble promptly in the Choir Room (behind the Worship Center) for additional instructions, robing, and lineup.

3. Graduates should wear professional-casual clothing under the robe. Dark clothing and shoes are preferred. To maintain consistency and the proper decorum, graduates should not wear any external decoration on the outside of their regalia. International students are welcome to wear native attire under their regalia as appropriate and consistent with the regalia. Even so, dark clothing is preferred.

4. Master's hoods are distributed with the gowns and are to be worn to the Commencement ceremony only and not to the chapel. DEdMin, DMin, and PhD graduates will be hooded during the ceremony so they will not be given hoods to wear in either service. CBTS/CGS graduates do not wear hoods.

5. The actual line-of-march will form promptly at 9:15 AM. It is important that you line up as quickly as possible. The processional will begin promptly at 10:00 AM. The line-of-march is where you will be given your name card, which you will need as you cross the stage to receive your diploma.

6. In the processional, the tassels are to be kept to the right. The caps for all graduates (men and women) should be worn so that the mortarboards are level and not tilted.

7. In the Commencement service the men should remove their caps at the singing of the doxology and should not replace them until the academic dean presents the graduates for their degrees. Women keep their caps on for the entire ceremony. Watch when the faculty remove and replace their caps.

If you have questions about any of the graduation events, please contact Jim Thames (214–887–5013 or jthames@dts.edu) or the academic dean’s office (214-887-5010 or 5017). You can also contact the registrar’s office.

Last of all, CONGRATULATIONS! We all rejoice with you in God’s faithfulness in getting you to this point!
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Row 1—Sec. A (CGS)
MAN, CHIU
Drayton, Deborah
Row 2—Sec. A (CGS)
DU, CHANGBING
Hsu, Shu-Chu
Zhao, Miranda

Row 3—Sec. A (MBTS)
ABRAHAM, MATHEWS
Akpaffiong, Itoro
Berry, Terence
Brown, William

Row 4—Sec. A (MBTS)
BUTLER, WINTER
Carter, Karen
Collins, Jay
de Armas, Delton
Galbraith, Ann
Galbraith, James

Row 5—Sec. A (MBTS)
GARCIA, MISAEL
Guan, Mary
Guan, Shikang
Hammons, Christian
Jun, Joo-Hwan
Keeler, Erik

Row 6—Sec. A (MBTS)
LEY, VALERIA
Lu, Leon
Melendez, Daniluz
Lozano, Daniel
Moore, Dewey
O'Donnell, Lawrence
Perry, Abigail

Row 1—Sec. B (MBTS)
ROSE, JAMES
Rourke, Rebecca
Urquhart, Erica
Rozendaal, Pamela
Sumpter, Curtis
Tenney, Ashleigh
Terhune, Valeria

Row 2—Sec. B (MBTS)
FREEMAN, ANNA
Wallace, Timothy
Watson, Laura
Woods, Brenda
Wurzbach, Kaitlyn
Yates, Megan
Zou, Suwei
Zuniga, Tonya

Row 3—Sec. B (MABS)
DEWITT, JAMES
Dellille, Robert
Kwan, Kwongliem
Smissen, Lucas
Smith, Christopher
Steffens, Tracey
Webb, Sandra
White, Lisa

Row 4—Sec. B (MACS)
CHAN, GEORGE
Chang, Wenyi
Cheung, Fuk Shing
Chim-Lo, Eva
Choe, Chang Wan
Gao, Lina
Johnson, Tyrone

Row 5—Sec. B (MACS)
YU-LIEN, LEE
Liu, Huali
Liu, Yaoyong
Mathews, Mathew
McCandless, Donald
McLerran, Dongmei
Peng, Joseph

Row 6—Sec. B (MACS/MACE)
SUN, WILLIAM
Terrell, Nathaniel (Sean)
Thao-Houane, Jeannie
Wang, Aixiang
Wright, Alison
Yang, Chenguang
Zhang, Jin
Zhou, Meiyan
Akande, Oluwatoyin

Row 7—Sec. B (MACE)
BECKHAM, MARLENA
Bone, Keith
Bradberry, Emily
Edwards, Natalie
Foster, Justin
Frewatt, Edythe
Garcia, Shelly
Gemaehlich, Nancy
Gunning, Katherine
Hawkins, Gregory

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HOLLIS, TIMOTHY
Ingram, Jaclyn
Johnson, Donald
Kennedy, Anita
Kirby, Catherine
Kissentaner, Marilyn
MacDougal, Abigail
Mathew, Ligi
Mickle, Bernard
Miller, William

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MOCK, ALLISON
Morrocoima, Gabriel
Myrick, Candace
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Stevens, Ruth
Thatcher, Mary
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Williams, Rhonda
Winkler, Caroline
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Woods, Chris

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Harper, Justin
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Choi, Saerom
Collier, Stephanie

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Kratche, Alexis
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LEE, BRITTANY
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McWhorter, Wendy
Moses, Bethel
Morgan, Anna
Morrison, Alexander
Olguin, Vanessa
Opgenorth, Kelly
Otto, Lillian
Parish, Todd

Row 6—Sec. C (MAC, MABE)
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Reeves, Rachel
Shi, Jing
Shoemaker, Rachel
Solley, Kayla
Tan, Jian
Taylor, Ellen
Thomas, Ruth
Williams, Emmanuel
Bachmann, Timothy
Moss, Monica
Tipton, Jenna
Zender, Calvary

Row 7—Sec. C (MAMC/MAMW)
BROWN, ADAM
Ijeoma, Teri
VanGorden, Lindsay
Greiner, Kara
Howard, Wilton
Hwang Yu, Jee
Parker, Desiree
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