

Spring 2021 Q&A Report

Q: What is the commencement date for Spring 2021, and where will it be?

A: The Commencement Committee has worked diligently to ensure that they commemorate our graduates with safety protocols in mind. Therefore, the ceremony will be hosted outdoors and in the latter of the Summer term. This will allow adequate time for you to prepare for the ceremony. Additional information regarding the structure of the ceremony and how you can better prepare will be provided to you soon. Be sure to check your student email regularly to stay up to date on Commencement and Graduation!

Q: Hello, when is the deadline for the tuition rebate form?

A: May 31, 2021. Here's a link to the form! [https://registrar.untDallas.edu/sites/default/files/1000\\_tuition\\_rebate.pdf](https://registrar.untDallas.edu/sites/default/files/1000_tuition_rebate.pdf)

Q: I am currently working and tuning in as I can listen, will you please be able to send this presentation and information to us?!

A: Absolutely! Here is a link to the recording on YouTube - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HZuhda-6xco>

Q: When can a senior apply for graduation?

A: Typically, you can begin applying for graduation at the start of your graduating semester. The Registrar's Office will communicate with you via your student email to let you know that you are eligible to apply, so be sure to check that regularly! Also visit the Graduation and Commencement webpage frequently for updates.

<https://registrar.untDallas.edu/graduation>

Q: If a senior is only taking two classes a semester and has 12 class left, does that senior still apply for graduation in the last year?

A: You would apply for graduation in your final semester, not your final year. So the semester that you are taking your final classes, that is when you should apply

Q: When is graduation date if you are a Summer grad?

A: Typically, students who complete their degree and graduate in the summer attend the commencement ceremony for the fall.

Q: How do we know if experiential learning hours are required for graduation?

A: You can check with your advisor to see if they are required for your specific degree. Sometimes experiential learning hours are required for certain courses on certain degree plans.

Q: For the graduate program, what do you have for the Master's program in Forensic Accounting?

A: We have a Masters of Business Administration among other programs within the Grad School. Check out our Grad School's webpage for the most up to date information on our available master's degrees.

<https://gradschool.untDallas.edu/graduate-school>

Q: Is the law school accredited

A: Information about the UNT Dallas College of Law accreditation can be found here on their website under "Our Beginnings": <https://tinyurl.com/4yvcuktr>

Q: If i have 6 hrs left to take in summer can i graduate in spring

A: Hello! If you have a max. of 6 hours (usually two courses) left and you decide to take them in the summer, you will notify the Registrar's Office that you would like to participate in the commencement ceremony in the Spring and then you will apply for graduation in the summer and officially graduate once you complete the final 6 hours.

Q: I am a Spring graduate and was wondering will both summer and spring graduates be attending the summer's ceremony in August?

A: Usually there isn't a commencement ceremony in August so if you are a Spring graduate, you'd be invited to participate in the Spring 2021 ceremony and summer graduates are usually invited to participate in Fall 2021 commencement.

Q: What can I expect from internship and capstone?

A: Usually in an internship, you are gaining practical experience in a job setting that covers the materials you have learned over time in your coursework. Capstone--on the other hand--is a research experience, and is suggested if you are expecting to pursue graduate studies.

Q: Is capstone optional? (What can I expect from internship and capstone?)

A: If capstone is a requirement for your degree, then it is not optional.

Q: Will we continue to be virtual this upcoming summer and fall semesters?

A: For the summer, we will be virtual however, a decision has not officially been made about how fall will be conducted.

Q: May I graduate without getting an internship? If it is a requirement before graduation.

A: Hi! If an internship is a requirement for your degree, then you cannot graduate until you complete that degree requirement.

Q: For majors as Finance, Is an internship requirement for graduation? If I have a job already, do I still need to do an internship?

A: If your major is Finance, it depends on what catalog year you are under. Reach out to your academic advisor via the chat box on our advising page for more information. <https://advising.untDallas.edu/>

Q: Are there any in person financial aid appointments done on campus at this time?

A: Not at this time, but please reach out to them at [studentsolutions@untDallas.edu](mailto:studentsolutions@untDallas.edu) or reach out to the Student Solution Center

Q: Who do we speak with if we are unsure of which honors cords to order??

A: You can reach out to the registrar's office at [graduation@untDallas.edu](mailto:graduation@untDallas.edu) for honors stoles.

Q: I was not able to do any internship, yet I was qualified enough with my classes that held enough internship hours. Will that affect my career path after I graduate UNT Dallas? I am trying to apply for jobs online before graduation but is that ok?

A: You may try reaching out to Career Services to see if that will affect your Career Path. Visit our Career Services webpage for more information and tons of resources! <https://sa.untDallas.edu/office-career-services>