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## REGULATION 4.1-ACADEMIC DRESS

### Interpretation

1. In this Regulation the “colour of the discipline” means-
  - (a) for the disciplines of Science, Applied Science (including Agriculture and Horticulture), Sports Science (including Human Movement), Mathematical Science and Information Technology - the colour of oyster;
  - (b) for the discipline of Arts (including Psychology, Information Management/Librarianship, Social Sciences and Community Services) - the colour magenta;
  - (c) for the discipline of Business (including Hospitality and Tourism) - the colour heliotrope;
  - (d) for the disciplines of Education and Children’s Services - the colour spectrum green;
  - (e) for the discipline of Engineering (including Manufacturing Services) - the colour spectrum blue;
  - (f) for the disciplines of Nursing and Health Science - the colour apricot.

### **Academic dress for the higher education and technical and further education (TAFE) divisions**

2. The academic dress for undergraduates is a black trencher cap and a black Oxford gown.
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  - (1) The academic dress for bachelors (including for applied degree recipients) is a black trencher cap and a black Oxford gown, together with a black hood edged with white binding and lined with the colour of the discipline to which the studies undertaken for the degree relates.
  - (2) The academic dress for bachelors who have undertaken a joint degree is a black trencher cap and a black Oxford gown, together with a black hood lined with the colour purple.
4. The academic dress for masters is a black trencher cap and a black Oxford gown, together with a black hood lined with the colour of the discipline to which the studies undertaken for the degree relates.
5. For a professional doctorate the academic dress shall be a black bonnet with a gold silk cord and tassel and an Oxford style gown of black, together with a hood in the colour of the discipline to which the studies undertaken for the doctorate relates, lined with black wool cloth.
6. For a doctor of philosophy the academic dress shall be a blue bonnet with a maroon silk cord and tassel and an Oxford style gown of blue polyester and wool cloth with a facing of maroon satin and a blue polyester and wool cloth hood lined with maroon satin.

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7. Academic dress for higher doctorates and honorary doctorates is a maroon bonnet with gold silk cord and tassel and an Oxford style gown of maroon light weight woollen cloth with gold satin facing and sleeves and a maroon wool cloth hood lined with gold satin.
  8. Academic dress for graduand diplomates and graduand certificants is a black trencher cap and a black Oxford gown together with a stole in the colour of the discipline to which the studies undertaken for the graduate diploma or graduate certificate relate, lined with black cloth.
  9. Academic dress for associate degree recipients, advanced diplomates and diplomates is a black trencher cap and a black Oxford gown together with a black stole with a stripe in the colour of the discipline to which the studies undertaken for the associate degree, advanced diploma or diploma relate.
  10. The academic dress for:
    - (a) certificants I and II is a black Oxford gown together with a gold woollen stole with two stripes of blue and maroon satin;
    - (b) certificants III and IV is a black trencher cap and a black Oxford gown together with a gold woollen stole with two stripes of blue and maroon satin;together with a badge which identifies the School to which the studies undertaken for the award relates.
  11. In addition to the academic dress requirements listed in paragraphs 2 to 10 (inclusive) of this Regulation, undergraduates, bachelors, masters, professional doctorates, doctors of philosophy, higher doctorates, graduand diplomates, graduand certificants, associate degree recipients, advanced diplomates, diplomates and certificants I, II, III and IV of the University, who are:
    - (a) Aboriginal Australians may wear the approved University stole which depicts the colours of the Aboriginal Australian flag over their left shoulder. The stole has one yellow, one red and one black stripe running the length of the stole;
    - (b) Torres Strait Islander Australians may wear the approved University stole which depicts the colours of the Torres Strait Islander flag over their left shoulder. The stole has one green, one blue and one black stripe running the length of the stole.

#### **Other academic dress**

12. The academic dress of the Chancellor is a black velvet mortar board trencher with gold metallic dome button and tassel and gold metallic braid to the skull or a blue woollen bonnet with gold metallic cord and tassels. The gown is of blue light weight woollen cloth trimmed with gold oak-leaf braid on the facings, yoke and bottom hem; and sleeves with one gold embroidered frog at the shoulder and four chevrons of gold oak-leaf braid below the arm hole. A gold embroidered button and gold tassel are centred on each chevron.

13. The academic dress of the Deputy-Chancellors is a black velvet mortar board trencher with gold metallic dome button and tassel and gold metallic braid to the skull or a blue woollen bonnet with gold metallic cord and tassels. The gown is of blue light weight woollen cloth trimmed with gold oak-leaf braid on the facings, yoke and bottom hem; and sleeves with five chevrons of gold oak-leaf braid, one at the shoulder and four below the arm hole. A gold embroidered button and gold tassel are centred on each chevron.
14. The academic dress of the Vice-Chancellor is a black velvet mortar board trencher with gold metallic dome button and tassel and gold metallic braid to the skull or a blue woollen bonnet with gold metallic cord and tassels. The gown is of blue light weight woollen cloth trimmed with gold oak-leaf braid on the facings, yoke and bottom hem; and sleeves with one gold embroidered button and gold tassel at the shoulder and four chevrons of gold oak-leaf braid below the arm hole. A gold embroidered button and gold tassel are centred on each chevron.
15. The academic dress of members of the Council is the habit of their degrees or a black light weight woollen gown and a stole of gold.
16. For every other member of the academic or general staff of the University, being a graduate of the University or of another university, the academic dress shall be the habit of that member's degree.
17. The academic dress of members of the technical and further education teaching staff is the habit of their degrees or a black trencher cap and a black Oxford gown, together with a gold woollen stole with two stripes of blue and maroon satin.
18. The colour of the discipline and the colours for diplomates and certificants shall be identified according to the British Standard Colour Code.

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