## **REGISTRAR TIMELINE FOR COMMENCEMENT MAY 2024**

- February 12<sup>th</sup> Certifiers notified by the Office of the Registrar
  - List of May 2024 graduation candidates generated.
  - Pre-certification tutorial is available online and certifiers link provided.
  - Pre-certification process for certifiers begins...
- Once the academic record is reviewed and pre-certification is submitted, the student will receive an email with the Graduation Application/Commencement Participation instructions.
- Any major change, course substitutions and/or waivers MUST be submitted during the precertification period and BEFORE the final certification approval is submitted after grades have been posted to the students' record.
- February 12<sup>th</sup> Certifiers names/contact info added to the UB website.
- March 11<sup>th</sup> Pre-certification approval process by certifiers is due to allow for communication to potential graduates.
- Pre-certifiers must click on the "NONE" option for the student to receive a denial email and information on the participation petition process.
- Students are only eligible to participate if they fit the following criteria:
  - o Following the spring 2024 semester, they will have six (6) or fewer credits to complete.
  - The student will be registered for the summer 2024 term to complete those remaining credits within the end of the summer 2024 term.
- Commencement Participation Petition ONLY if:
  - A fall 2024 registration has been processed if the required course (s) are not offered during the summer 2024 term.
  - o submissions will begin on March 4, 2024, and are due by March 8, 2024. A decision will be emailed to the students UB email address by March 15, 2024.
- March 4<sup>th</sup> April 1<sup>st</sup> Email notification to approved eligible students begins and completion of the Commencement Participation form takes place.
- March 12<sup>th</sup> First Draft of Commencement Listing
- April 22<sup>nd</sup> Final grades due
- April 23<sup>rd</sup> Commencement Fair
- April 23<sup>rd</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> Final certification to deadline by the pre-certifier.
- April 26<sup>th</sup> Final Draft of Commencement Listing

\*\*\*COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY - SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024\*\*\*

**Undergraduate Ceremony @ 10:00 AM** 

**Graduate/Doctoral Ceremony @ 3:00 PM**