2022 Commencement

Celebrate!

Congratulations to all degree candidates! Saint Louis University — Madrid Campus is thrilled to honor the students graduating in May 2022 Commencement.

Thursday, May 12

Annual Awards Ceremony

We will recognize the outstanding achievements of SLU-Madrid’s students, faculty and staff at the Annual Awards Ceremony.

Friday, May 13

Baccalaureate Mass

The Baccalaureate Mass for the Class of 2022 will be at 10.30 a.m. at Real Monasterio de Santa Isabel, Calle Santa Isabel 48 within walking distance to the Auditorium where Commencement will take place.

The Ceremony

The ceremony will take place at 12 p.m. in the auditorium of Edificio Nouvel in the Reina Sofia Museum. Each degree candidate may invite up to five guests to the ceremony. If a graduate wishes to request additional invitations, they must email the Director of Student Life, Ms. Marta Maruri (marta.maruri@slu.edu), no later than April 22, explaining the reasons for the request. After April 22, any spare invitations will be distributed among those who contacted Ms. Maruri.

Guests will be asked to present their invitations and will be walked to take their seats directly upon arrival. Degree candidates (students) and faculty, dressed in caps and gowns, will meet at the back patio of the museum at 11:45 a.m. Please don’t be late. The procession into the auditorium will begin at 11:50 a.m. The ceremony lasts approximately one hour.

Caps and Gowns

Degree candidates must be attired in caps and gowns, which may be purchased at the SLU-Madrid bookstore prior to the date of graduation. For more information about caps and gowns, contact Ms. Marta Sánchez-Paulete (marta.sanchezpaulete@slu.edu) at the bookstore. Gowns will be available for purchase in the SLU-Madrid bookstore until Friday, May 6.
COVID-19 Safety Measures

Degree candidates and their guests are required to follow campus safety protocols, which include the use of face masks and social distancing. There will be opportunities to take photographs of families/graduates without face masks outdoors after the ceremony.

Diplomas

Diplomas are not distributed at the ceremony. Saint Louis University will send diplomas to the contact address degree candidates provide in their Degree Application Form. For further information about diplomas, contact the Office of the Registrar (e-mail: registrar-madrid@slu.edu).

Reina Sofia Museum

Public Transportation to the Ceremony at the Reina Sofia Museum

The Reina Sofia Museum is located near the Ronda de Atocha on the corner of the Plaza del Emperador Carlos V, close to the Atocha train station. The closest metro station is Atocha (line 1/light blue). See the map above.
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SLU-Madrid Campus Map

Public Transportation to the SLU-Madrid Campus

The closest Metro station is Guzmán el Bueno (lines 6/grey and 7/orange). Follow the signs to the exit marked Calle General Rodrigo. See the map above. From Barajas airport, take Metro line 8 (pink) to Nuevos Ministerios; connect to Metro line 6/grey (the circular line) to Guzmán el Bueno.

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