

USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck

School of Social Work

Dear PhD Graduates,

The commencement ceremony for Class of 2026 for PhD graduates of the USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work will be held on **Friday, May 15, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. (PT)** at the [**Shrine Auditorium**](#). A light reception with refreshments will be held following the ceremony at the [**Davidson Center Lawn**](#).

This is the school's ceremony where all graduates will walk, be hooded and receive their diplomas. Each Graduate will get a student ticket plus 10 guest tickets, more tickets can be requested.

Please complete this [RSVP Form**](#) by February 27, 2026 - ONLY if you plan to attend the ceremony on May 15 at 9:00 a.m.**

Order your cap and gown, along with other graduation mementos, at [**USC Grad Fest**](#) on February 11 and February 12 from 10:00 am – 5:00 pm at the Ronald Tutor Campus Center Ballroom. For more details, contact the [**USC Bookstore**](#).

Please visit the Class of 2026 [**Commencement Page**](#), for additional information and updates.

If you have any questions or concerns about the USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work Commencement Ceremony visit [**SOWK Commencement Page**](#), or contact our events email at [**swevents@usc.edu**](mailto:swevents@usc.edu).

Sincerely,

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