

FAQs Relating to Conferring Ceremonies and Covid-19

Please do not attend if you have ANY symptoms of Covid-19.

What proof of vaccine do I need?

In the interests of public safety and government guidelines, you must produce a Covid-19 vaccination certificate to gain admittance. You will also need to show photographic ID to confirm your digital Covid-19 certificate is accurate. Accepted types of photographic identity are:

- Current driving licence;
- Passport;
- UL Student ID card; or
- Garda age card.

What proof of vaccine do I need if visiting from outside Ireland?

If you are visiting from outside of Ireland, you can use the official vaccination record issued by the country where you were vaccinated, and you must provide proof of identification.

Do I need to wear a face mask to the ceremony?

You must wear a face mask at all times before, during and after the ceremony.

Can I bring guests?

Invitations to the January 2022 conferring ceremonies are restricted to graduands only. To safely host the event, families or friends will not be permitted to attend the ceremony.

However, the January 2022 conferring ceremonies will be livestreamed so that families, friends and staff may view the relevant ceremony. The link to watch the online ceremony is available at www.ul.ie/ceremonies

Will there be refreshments available after the ceremony?

Unfortunately, we will not be able to provide refreshments during the January 2022 conferring ceremonies. Government guidelines in relation to numbers attending and the short turnaround time between each ceremony for deep-cleaning mean that we cannot safely provide refreshments to graduates after their ceremonies.

We trust you can appreciate we are still in uncertain times and, as such, these in-person ceremonies are being planned with regard to the prevailing government and public health guidelines.

A final word

We wish to extend our congratulations to you on your graduation from UL and we hope you enjoy your conferring day!

Please note that if you have any questions relating to other aspects of the ceremony (i.e., other than Covid-19), refer to the Information for Graduands page on the Ceremonies website.