

ON COURSE

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A Newsletter of the
Dartmouth College
Registrar's Office

Welcome to the next edition of *On Course*, the Registrar Offices' newsletter to the Dartmouth community, where we share important information, reminders, and fun facts!

Commencement Bound!

Spring term is underway and for the class of 2024 the excitement is building as we approach commencement. This year's ceremony is scheduled for Sunday, June 9th. For more information on the ceremony, please visit the official [Commencement website](#). The Registrar's Office would like to share some important information in preparation for commencement, and after.

Your Degree Checklist:

Students expecting to graduate should verify that they will complete all degree requirements. To ensure your readiness for graduation, take advantage of DartWorks Degree Audit. Not all majors are viewable on the degree audit, so be sure to confirm with your department or program that you are fulfilling all major and/or minor requirements.

Latin Honors:

Latin Honors are bestowed upon students whose grade point averages fall into the top 5, 15, or 35 percent for their class, as detailed below for students graduating spring 2024:

- Summa cum laude: 3.96
- Magna cum laude: 3.90
- Cum laude: 3.79

Students who attain the first or second highest GPA standings are awarded valedictory and salutatory honors, respectively. For more information on Latin Honors and the process for selecting valedictory speaker, please visit the [ORC/Catalog](#).

New Degree, New Standing:

After your degree has been awarded, you become a Dartmouth alum. This change is important, as it impacts your access to Dartmouth systems, including DartHub and the process to order a [transcript](#). As an alum, you can no longer be employed as a student employee for a term post-graduation. Employers who wish to continue to employ recent graduates can do so, but they must follow the staff hiring process. For more information on this change, visit the [student employment](#) update page.



Did you know...

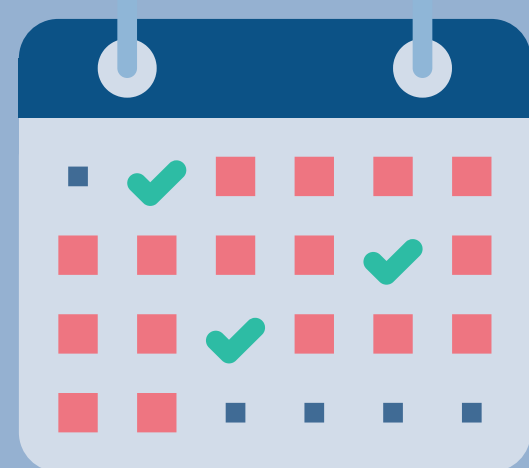
Dartmouth has invited a great range of speakers for the commencement ceremony. Can you pick out who has not spoken at Dartmouth?

- a) Fred Rogers
- b) Mindy Kaling
- c) David Harbour
- c) Yo-Yo Ma

(see end for answers)

Deadline: Summer Transfer Term Application

The deadline for summer term transfer applications is Wednesday, May 22nd. Visit the Registrar's [Transfer Terms](#) webpage for more information, including the application steps and requirements.



New Registration System

The Registrar's Office is pleased to announce a new project initiative as we look to improve the course registration system. We are in the early planning stages of the project and are looking at improving user interaction and functionality. The major purpose of the new registration project is to make course registration an easier, more streamlined process. Be on the look out for more updates as the project gets underway.

Course Election for Summer and Fall



Spring term is also busy for non-graduating students. Course election and course changes for summer and fall terms occur during spring term. The Timetable becomes available on April 19th for the summer term and May 3rd for the fall term.

Summer term course election starts at 7:00 AM on April 24th and ends on May 2nd.

Fall term course election starts at 7:00 AM on May 8th and ends on May 16th.

For more information on course registration visit the [Registration page](#) on the Registrar's website.

Did you know... answer

c) David Harbour, class of '97, has not given a commencement speech at Dartmouth (yet).

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