

UP Diliman General Commencement Exercises | 28 April 2013

INSTRUCTIONS TO PhD CANDIDATES

**Assembly**

1. All PhD candidates will assemble at 3:30 p.m. near the back entrance of the Amphitheater for the processional.
2. Attendance will be taken by the PhD Marshal (name of PhD marshal – to be announced). Arrangement will be alphabetical; by college. Attendance sheets will be collected after the processional.

Important: ONLY those marked present in the attendance sheet will be included in the announcement of PhD graduates.

**Program Proper**

The PhD candidates shall be seated at the front center of the Amphitheater. Immediately after the candidates are conferred their degrees, the PhD graduates will be given Certificates of Recognition by the President, assisted by the Chancellor.

**PAGKILALA SA MGA NAGSIPAGTAPOS NG DOKTORADO**

After the graduates shift their *sablay* from the **right** to the **LEFT** shoulder, the PhD Marshal leads the PhD graduates from the **center** section of the Amphitheater to the top of the stairs of the stage on the System side (**right**, facing stage).

University Registrar Evangeline C. Amor will call the names of the PhD graduates by college; in alphabetical order. Once called, they approach the President and receive their certificate with their left hand so their right hand is free to shake the hand of the President. They exit at the **right** side of the stage (facing audience) and proceed to their seats.

They remain standing until the last PhD graduate has returned to his/her seat. UR Amor will give the signal for them to sit down.