

Petition for Participation in Commencement Ceremony  
without Completing Graduation Requirements  
(within 2 courses and/or 8 credits of degree completion)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PSU ID \_\_\_\_\_

I have not met the graduation requirements for the \_\_\_\_\_ major. I am petitioning to participate in the Fall/Spring 20 \_\_\_\_\_ commencement ceremony at Penn State Behrend.

Requirements Not Met:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Plan for Completion (list semester):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Reason for request (list why you should be given special consideration):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

- I agree to meet all of the remaining requirements for my degree(s) by the end of the semester indicated above.
- I understand that, if approved, I will not be able to participate in future commencement ceremonies.
- I understand that I will only be listed in one commencement program (which will depend on the time this request is made).
- I understand that, if approved, participating in the commencement ceremony does not mean I have completed graduation requirements or earned a degree.
- I understand that I must (re)apply for graduation for the semester or summer that I am completing my graduation requirements.
- I understand that I will not have a degree conferral date on my transcript, be reported to outside agencies as graduated, or receive a diploma until after the conclusion of the semester or summer that I complete my graduation requirements.
- I understand that degrees are conferred at the end of a semester or summer and that my degree conferral date cannot take place earlier even if graduation requirements are completed prior to the end of the semester or summer term.

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF STUDENT

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

I have read the above petition and I \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVE \_\_\_\_\_ DENY student's request to participate in the commencement ceremony.

\_\_\_\_\_  
REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

**DEADLINE FOR PERMISSION TO WALK IS LATE DROP DEADLINE.**