

Distinguished doctor,

*Thank you for your registration for the Doctoral Conferral Ceremony!*

Åbo Akademi University's doctoral conferral ceremony will take place on **May 20 2022**. On that day 8 jubilee doctors and 13 honorary doctors will be conferred together with about 90 doctors, who have defended their theses at Åbo Akademi.

We hope that you have started preparing for the conferral ceremony.

Please see

<https://www.abo.fi/en/about-abo-akademi-university/academic-traditions/conferral-ceremony/in-preparation-for-the-conferral-ceremony/>

for useful information.

#### HAT AND SWORD

We hope that you already have ordered your hat as well as other possible insignia. Your name and the date of the doctoral conferral will be engraved on the sword you have ordered.

AU Holmberg, the company supplying the swords, will send you an invoice for 255 EUR. The swords will be delivered directly to us at Research Services at Åbo Akademi University.

Those already having a sword or intending to borrow one, should notice that swords as well as other insignia must be delivered to Åbo Akademi University, no later than May 2nd 2022.

Address:

Abo Akademi University, Research Services,  
Tavastgatan 13  
20500 Turku

#### INVITATION

Week 12 we will send you (via the database Lytyi) a solemn invitation to the doctoral conferral ceremony. The invitation for two persons is to the conferral ceremony at the Concert Hall and to the banquet at Logomo.

#### INFORMATION

The next information letter will be sent out at the end of April.

All insignia, hats and swords, must be delivered by mail to Åbo Akademi University, Research Services, Tavastgatan 13, 20500 Åbo/ or personally to Åbo Akademi, Kosmorama/ and in Vasa Academill, Teknisk service, Roland Nylund, [rolnylun@abo.fi](mailto:rolnylun@abo.fi), 0500-868623, no later than May 2nd 2022

Please note that there will be a **rehearsal on Thursday 19 May at 4.30 p.m.** in the Concert Hall. You are kindly requested to attend the rehearsal.

With best wishes from,

Pia-Maria Kallio, Master of Ceremonies