



Arden University Graduation

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Welcome from the Vice Chancellor

Professor Carl Lygo

Vice Chancellor and Chief Executive Officer

**On behalf of everyone
here at Arden University,
congratulations on
your success.**



It is a great honour to welcome you and your supporters to Spreespeicher to celebrate your success today.

This graduation day is the culmination of many hours, days, and years of hard work and determination from you. It takes a very special kind of person to rise to all the challenges and overcome the obstacles of studying at the highest level. You have proved yourself to be worthy of the highest awards available in UK education. This is your success, so please enjoy every moment of today's celebration. Well done! One of our core values at Arden is to support people in reaching their full potential. We're passionate about making a positive difference in people's lives and I hope, as you sit here today, you feel we have made an impact on yours.

And let's not forget your family and friends who have supported you on your journey, some of whom may be here to celebrate with you today.

With a wealth of opportunity ahead of you, I'm confident that your qualification will help you reach your full potential in absolutely anything you want to do. You now join a select group of people who have the honour of becoming an alumnus of Arden University. You can stay connected with us and watch the further progress of the university through our alumni association. If there is anything the team at Arden University can do to help you further, then please do not hesitate to contact us. You will always be part of the Arden University family.

Professor Carl Lygo

Vice-Chancellor & CEO

Chair's introduction

Introduction from Professor Ann Tate CBE
Chair of the Board

You have now joined a growing community of Arden University alumni, a community which I hope you will take great pride in being a part of.



On behalf of the Board of Directors of Arden University I would like to welcome you all – graduands, staff, and guests – to today's graduation ceremony, and congratulate all our graduands on their success.

A graduation ceremony is a rite of passage which marks a significant milestone in your life. It celebrates the hard work and dedication you have invested in your programme of study and allows you to feel great pride in your achievements. I hope that you will enjoy your day and remember it for many years to come. You have now joined a growing community of Arden University alumni, a community which I hope you will take great pride in being a part of. I am proud to be associated with Arden University and the values it stands for.

We believe there is no single right path to a university education. Rather, there are many available routes for access, whatever your background or circumstances may be. Where you finish is much more important than where you start, and Arden University is here to support you on your journey.

I hope that today marks the beginning of a new phase in your life and career, and I look forward to hearing about all your successes in the future. But for now, my warmest congratulations to you all.

Professor Ann Tate CBE
Chair of the Board

Welcome from the Head of the Berlin Campus

Professor Serkan Ceylan

Dean of the Faculty of Business & Innovation
and Interim Head of Berlin Campus

Today, on behalf of everybody here at Arden University's Berlin Campus, it is my honour to congratulate you on your major achievement. Well Done!



Studying for a university degree is never an easy journey. You have worked incredibly hard for your degree, and we appreciate all the challenges you have had to overcome, both, inside and outside the classroom. Many of you have moved to Germany from afar. You had to cope with so many challenging hurdles along the way but today is a day to celebrate and have fun. **Today, is your graduation day.**

I would like you to take a moment and reflect on how much you have achieved! You have every reason to be proud of yourself and really celebrate your accomplishments. The Arden University team is thrilled for you and incredibly proud to have been part of your journey, and as you are now opening the next chapter of your incredible journey, we would love for you to stay

connected with us. Please do keep us updated on your progress, engage with our alumni events, or simply drop in when you are in the area – we look forward to seeing you.

I hope that you, your family, and guests enjoy this day as much as our Arden University team, and we hope that your celebration with us creates memories you will cherish forever.

Professor Serkan Ceylan

Dean and Interim Head of Berlin Campus

About Arden University

At Arden, we passionately believe that everyone, everywhere has an equal right to education. We strive to remove the barriers created by location, cost, time, and other life commitments, to give ambitious people like you the opportunity to access the life-changing rewards of a university degree.



Since the granting of our university status in 2015, we've worked hard to do things differently. We recognise that your degree needs to fully prepare you for current and future workplace developments and the expectations of employers, to create a better world for everyone.

With campuses across the UK and Germany, as well as our provision of online degree courses studied by students across five continents, we've made it possible for people from all backgrounds to take control of their futures.

As active champions of equality, diversity, and inclusion, we believe that higher education is a force for both social and economic change. We are proud that you have chosen Arden University to be a part of your life journey.

Ceremonial order

Procession of the Platform Party

Music – 'Trumpet Voluntary' Clarke

Welcome Address - Professor Ann Tate CBE - Chair of the Board of Directors

Congratulations message from the Berlin Campus

Noemi Castellanos-Kuter, Deputy Head of Berlin Campus

Presentation of Graduates

A message from the Student Association President – Jay Agbaje

Closing of the Ceremony – Professor Brian Smith, Deputy Provost

Recession of the Platform Party

Music – 'We are the Champions' Queen

*The duration of the ceremony will be approximately 45 minutes
Early exit is prohibited and you must remain seated until the end of the ceremony*

Alumni Reception

Graduates and guests are invited to attend a drinks reception in the Medio Room to celebrate your success.

The Alumni reception will last 45 minutes.

Please ensure all hired graduation gowns and hoods are returned at the specified area in the Ultimo Room, prior to the end of the Alumni reception.

Refreshments – Please do not eat or drink during the ceremony and please take litter with you.

Photography and mobile telephones - Please do not move from your seats to take photographs or video recordings during the ceremony. Please also ensure that your mobile telephones are switched off for the duration of the ceremony.

Applause – You are invited to applaud the presentation of the graduates to recognise their hard work and achievement and to celebrate their success.

Health and Safety – In the event of an emergency, please remain seated until directed otherwise.



About today's venue

It is our pleasure to extend a warm welcome to all of you who have come to participate in Arden University's 2025 Berlin graduation ceremony. Congratulations on reaching this significant milestone in your academic journey!

Berlin is renowned for its rich history, diverse culture, and innovation. Today's graduation venue, the Spreespeicher, is a unique location with a view of the Oberbaumbrücke at Berlin's Eastern Harbour. Located not far from the East Side Gallery, the longest remaining part of the Berlin Wall and within the former border between East and West Berlin, the Spreespeicher is the perfect setting in which to celebrate your achievements.

As you gather with family, friends, and fellow graduates, take a moment to reflect on the hard work, dedication, and perseverance that brought you to this day. We hope you feel proud of your accomplishments and excited about the opportunities that lie ahead.

We are certain that today's ceremony will mark the beginning of a successful and fulfilling future.

Our Academic procession

Your graduation is a celebration of your hard work and achievement and we all look forward to celebrating with you at the Alumni reception



**Professor
Carl Lygo**

Vice Chancellor &
Chief Executive Officer



Steve Clayton

Pro Vice Chancellor
(Effectiveness, Quality
and Compliance)



**Professor
Ann Tate CBE**

Chair of the Board &
Non Executive Director



**Professor
Dr Mary Bishop**

Deputy Chair of the Board &
Non Executive Director



Timo Hannay

Non Executive Director
& Board Member



**Professor
Serkan Ceylan**

Dean of the Faculty of Business
& Innovation and Interim Head
of Berlin Campus



**Noemi
Castellanos-Kuter**

Deputy Head of
Berlin Campus



**Professor
Brian Smith**

Deputy Provost



Jay Agbaje

Student Association
President



Scan the QR code to see
your special message of
congratulations from the
Arden University Berlin
academic team.

List of graduates:

- 10am Ceremony -

Faculty of Business

School of Health and Care Management

Bachelor of Arts with Honours Healthcare Management

Simranjit Kaur
Harmanjot Loi

Bachelor of Science with Honours Health and Care Management

Arpandee Kaur Kaler
**Arden Achiever - School of Health and Care Management*
Kirandeep Kaur
Ramandeep Kaur

Master of Public Health

Daniella Amoah Amponsem
Enid Orishaba
Mariam Ossama Ezzat Hanna Attiyahallah
**Arden Achiever - School of Health and Care Management*
Edwina Nana Esi Sey

School of Digital Finance

Bachelor of Science with Honours Accounting and Finance

Anchal Kaur
Hardeep Kaur
Damanpreet Singh
Gurpreet Singh

School of Digital Marketing and Sales

Master of Science Strategic Digital Marketing

Santiago Baca Weitzner
Karan Bareja
Vasu Chopra
Benson Danthy
Martina Fucili
Mahfan Hasan
Muhammad Usaid Hussain
Harmanpreet Kaur
Sukhdeep Kaur
Milena Klimenko
Natasha Melecio Mendonca

Ambreen Nawab
Shodiyakhon Pulatova
Jatin Seth
Elaheh Sharifi
Anu Sharma
Amrit Pal Singh
Maria Juliana Velasquez Afanador
Zohaib Muhammad Yaseen

School of Leadership and Management

Bachelor of Arts with Honours Business

Manvir
**Arden Achiever - School of Leadership and Management*
Kuljeet Singh

Bachelor of Arts with Honours Business (Human Resource Management)

Konica
Ujjwal Gurung
Harmanpreet Kaur
Gursharn Singh
Parminder Singh
Vijay Singh

Bachelor of Arts with Honours Business (Marketing)

Foram Rajesh Bhatt
Prashant Budhathoki
**Best Performing Undergraduate Student*
Tawsif Ahmad Imon
Grishma Joshi
Rakesh Kumar
Sahib Malik
**Winner of the Dean's Prize from the Faculty of Business*
Amrinder Singh
Gurwinder Singh

Bachelor of Arts with Honours Business (Tourism)

Arshdeep
Happy
Monu
Naveen
Rohan Kumar Chalotra
Diwas Goel
Iqbal Kaur Grewal
Nour El Houda Magdoui
Michael Asrom Makombe
Julius Ngunyi Nkeangafack
Sandeep Singh Sidhu
Devender Singh
Harjinder Singh
Jaskarandeep Singh
Liya Sara Stanly

Master of Business Administration

Saurabh Vinod Alhat
Rohit Goyal
Aiman Imtiyaz
Vaibhav Kashyap
Ali Mustafa Khan
Erfan Mohseninejad
Muhammed Shaheen Keelath Puthiyapurayil
Vivek Vivek

Executive Master of Business Administration

Renu
Gasser Mohamed Harraz
Krizl Mae Casiano Valenton
**Arden Achiever - School of Leadership and Management*
Paolo Ivan Zagami

- 1pm Ceremony -

Faculty of Business

School of Human Resource Management

Master of Science Strategic Human Resource Management

Believe Agbogah
Shivani Bobal
Renzo Herrera
Harmandeep Kaur
Jatinder Kumar
Gowtham Raj Kumarasamy
Agnes Marfo
Sarah Marfo
Lilya Ouarab
** Arden Achiever - School of Human Resource Management*
Sonia Procha
Noraihan Shatilah Binti Rahmat
Saif Ullah Shah

School of Supply Chain, Logistics and Project Management

Master of Science Engineering Management

Anand
Shubham
Adewale Emmanuel Aderemi
Mojoyinoluwa Emmanuella Akerele
Midhun Angels
Alisher Argynbekov
Vishal Bhardwaj
Hazim Ali Channa
Sumiran Chhetri
Prathamesh Ghatol
Kevin Jose
Anand Kondakathvalappil Lakshmanan
Nihal Ahammed Kuluppa Vayal
Ravi Kumar
Deepa Manoharan
Diego Andres Marino Caballero
Ehsan Movahedian Attar
Raphael Owusu-Ansah
Jay Govindbhai Panchal
Dimantha Sanjula Pannilage
Pannilage

Arun Pavithran
Manish Ranga
Ashokkumar Senthilkumar
Jatinder Singh
Shamsher Singh
Ashish Thankachan
Lijo Tharayil Jollichan

Faculty of STEM

School of Computing

Master of Science Data Analytics and Information Systems Management

Kanchan
Vishnuvarthan Adhimoolam
Prejitha Ajith
Lubaba Al Laham
Clamencia Anthony Swamy
Raghavendra Bachigondannahalli
Rudrappa
Muhammad Zubair Baig
Nandakishore Devarakonda
Surya Elayidath Sudarsanan
Roofin George
Steven Rocky Gopuran
Nasrin Hajiesmaeili
** Winner of the Vice Chancellor's Prize*
Pardis Hosseinpouraghdam
Senthilnathan Kannan
Muhammad Sadiq Anwer Khan
Salman Mohammed
Kwame Amponsah Mpare
Naufel Nassehudeen Sulfath
Soodeh Raghighi
Saravana Perumal Ramasamy
** Winner of the Dean's Prize from the Faculty of STEM and Arden Achiever - School of Computing*
Lincy Rachel Remo Sagaya Philomin Raj
Ashiqu Saji
Niloufar Shahverdishahraki
Sonia Sharma
Bhupinder Singh
Gurinder Singh

Manpreet Singh
Dev Prakash Thapliyal
Kesiena Kessington Uvetaire

Master of Science Data Analytics and Marketing

Shally Bansal
Sanjita Chauhan
Denny Paul
Isha Sharma

Master of Science IT Security Management

Emmanuel Adjah Ankora
Yeabsera Genene Bune
Sachiv Dhiman
Karamjit Kaur Gill
Matilda Konotey
Ahmed Hayder Ahmed Salman
Sanjay Sathyan
Abbay Fikru Yirga

List of graduates:

- 4pm Ceremony -

Faculty of Business

School of Supply Chain, Logistics and Project Management Master of Science Project Management

Harjot
Pretty
Vikramjeet
Ebenezer Banasco Yaw Aidoo
Abiodun Emmanuel Ajibade
Faiz Naji Saleh Al-Darwish
Aleena Ann Siby
Abrham Temesgen Arkae
Makeda Berhane Asfaw
Firas Bachnak
Waad Qasim Badal
Sobia Bibi
Rabah Bouchoucha
Luisa Fernanda Márquez Londoño
Swithin Ghils
Salman Hassan
Jacob Basil Jeevan
Gagandip Kaur
Navjot Kaur
Simarjeet Kaur
Simranjeet Kaur
Mohammed Jalal Farid Magor
Pushap Mahey
Minu Michael
Mahmoud Adamu Modi
Aparna Mohan
Jayakrishnan Nanthakumar
Ugochukwu Samuel Nwangwu
Salome Oghenerukewe Ogbijoko
Minder Pal
Abhishek Patial
Nikoloz Perkin
Annet Rose
Shiwani Saini
Divya Sakundarwar
** Winner of the Katie Aubrey Prize*
Shibin Mathew Shibu
Bibek Shrestha
Baljit Singh
Gurpreet Singh

Jaswinder Singh
Jograj Singh
Sradha Sreekumar
Sabreen Sultana
Jitin Tilak
Manoj Kumar Venkatesan
Khushal Hari Vijay

Master of Science Supply Chain Management and Logistics

Shubham Anant Agasti
Tinu Baiju
Aditya Maruti Chingale
Girish Ravikant Dhanavade
** Best Performing Postgraduate Student*
Amit Dubey
Charles Eld Alphonse
Sofia Gordina
Abbas Haider
Rabeek Raja Jalaludeen
Sanjo Joseph
Rahma Kaithavelikakath Saleem
Freda Yaa Krah
Haran Kugan
Ajmal Muhammed
Sajjan Muttathuparambil Sivadasan
Akhil Nair
Ayobami Thomas Ogunleye
Badusha Olikkudiyil Basheer
Prarthee Chetan Patel
Piyush Pramod Purohit
Ragaventhara Rajasekaran
Muhammed Raseel Chak Karadan
Dhineshraj Ravichandran
Luvdeep Singh Saroya
Shefin Sidheek
Navdeep Singh
Saniya Tabassum
Zainul Abhideen Tharikapeedikayil Muhammed Harif
Christin Varghese
Wajid Yousaf

Prize winners

Vice Chancellor's prize

The Vice-Chancellor presents this prize to a student who had to overcome significant challenges to pursue higher education.

Nasrin Hajiesmaeili

Dean's Prize

Arden University presents this prize to a student who achieved the greatest academic success within the faculty, while demonstrating the values of Arden University

Sahib Malik - Faculty of Business

Saravana Perumal Ramasamy - Faculty of STEM

Katie Aubrey Prize

This prize is in memory of Katie Aubrey, a much loved and missed Arden University colleague who passed away following a short illness. Arden University presents this prize to a student who has overcome a personal challenge and achieved success.

Divya Sakundarwar

Best Performing Undergraduate Student

Awarded to the undergraduate student with the highest classification mark across the university.

Prashant Budhathoki

Best Performing Postgraduate Student

Awarded to the postgraduate student with the highest classification mark across the university.

Girish Dhanavade

Arden Achiever Undergraduate Student

Awarded to the undergraduate student with the highest classification mark across a School.

School of Digital Finance

Ravi Singh

School of Health and Care Management

Arpandeeep Kaler

School of Leadership and Management

Manvir

Arden Achiever Postgraduate Student

Awarded to the postgraduate student with the highest classification mark across a School.

School of Computing

Saravana Perumal Ramasamy

School of Digital Marketing and Sales

Cristian Alejandro Henríquez Nolasco

School of Health and Care Management

Mariam Ossama Ezzat Hanna Attiyahallah

School of Human Resource Management

Lilya Ouarab

School of Leadership and Management

Krizl Mae Valenton



The Arden Graduate Grove

In partnership with



Arden University has committed to plant a tree for each of our graduates. Since launching the Graduate Grove in 2021, Arden University has planted more than 3,300 trees on behalf of our graduates.

We believe that education should be long-lasting, providing huge benefits for our students and their families long after they graduate. As a result, we hope that, just like the trees in our Graduate Grove, the knowledge and skills you have gained through your education with us continue to grow long after you have completed your studies.

Arden University Graduate Gowns



Arden University HNC, HND, UG Certificate & UG Diploma Gown

Gown: Black bachelor shape.

Hood: CNAA (Council for National Academic Awards) shape hood in navy lined teal.

Hat: Black mortarboard with black button & tassels.



Arden University Bachelor Gown

Gown: Black bachelor shape.

Hood: Cambridge full shape hood, navy lined and the cowl bound 1" teal, the neckband is faced teal.

Hat: Black mortarboard with black button & tassels.



Arden University Postgraduate Gown

Gown: Black masters shape.

Hood: CNAA (Council for National Academic Awards) shape hood, navy lined teal, the inside of the cowl is bordered 1" silver.

Hat: Black mortarboard with black button & tassels.



Arden University Master Gown

Gown: Black masters shape.

Hood: Cambridge full shape hood, navy lined and the cape bound 1" teal, the neckband is faced teal, the cowl is bound 1" silver.

Hat: Black mortarboard with black button & tassels.

Taking Arden with you after graduation

We asked some of our alumni to reflect on their time at Arden University and tell us about their visions for the future.

Prachi

Arden University Alumni



I highly recommend Arden in Berlin, especially if you want to explore opportunities beyond your studies and cultivate your passion, abilities, and expertise.

My experience was simply amazing. I wanted to do something that combined engineering and management, and my course fulfilled that goal perfectly. The staff, including our professors and especially the career support, were fantastic. They were always there whenever I needed help with questions or anything related to interviews.

Neha

Arden University Alumni



Arden University Berlin provided me with exactly what I was looking for – they offer data analytics modules alongside valuable systems knowledge. It was the complete package for me. Through the programme, I honed my presentation and deadline management skills, but I would say my communication and collaboration skills improved the most, and my research skills are now very strong.

In my company now, when I present, my colleagues all say, “You are doing great work.”



Welcome to the Always Arden Alumni Community

We are excited to have recently launched our Alumni Community. This initiative has been established to keep graduates like you involved, informed, and engaged in all things Arden, even long after you've finished your studies.

By joining the Arden Alumni Community you can gain access to:

- **Career development advice and guidance from the Arden Alumni Careers Team.**
- **Opportunities to volunteer your time to give back to the University and to other students and graduates, through sharing your own experiences, valuable career insights and provide referrals. This could include guest webinars, speaker sessions, mentoring and work experience opportunities.**

We look forward to growing and building our community with you, and for you.

You can read more about getting involved with the community by visiting our dedicated Arden Alumni webpage. Simply scan the QR code.





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Supporting Talent, Shaping Futures

Now that you've become one of Arden University's valued alumni, you can access support from Alumni Careers. Wherever you are in your career, making continued use of the careers support provided by Arden University could help you to feel more equipped and confident in your career development. You may not be ready now, but at some point in the future, you might feel you could benefit from some career advice and guidance.

Maybe you are keen to explore career options, find great opportunities, or want to feel prepared to navigate employer applications, interviews, and selection processes. Alumni Careers can support you step-by-step, helping you feel more prepared and confident in your career development and transitions.

Accessing Alumni Careers

When you complete your course, you will receive an email welcoming you to the Alumni Community, and providing you access to the Arden Futures careers platform for continued careers support.

Visit Arden Futures futures.arden.ac.uk

 alumniCareers@arden.ac.uk







Share our livestream



10am Ceremony Livestream

To share our livestream of today's morning graduation ceremony with your friends and family, please scan the QR code.



1pm Ceremony Livestream

To share our livestream of today's afternoon graduation ceremony with your friends and family, please scan the QR code.



4pm Ceremony Livestream

To share our livestream of today's afternoon graduation ceremony with your friends and family, please scan the QR code.

