GW COMMENCEMENT BY THE NUMBERS

- **6,000**: Number of graduated expected to attend the ceremony on the National Mall
- **20,000**: Number of guests expected to attend the ceremony on the National Mall
- **235**: Student Staff
- **75**: GW Staff working on the Mall
- **104**: Faculty participating
- **60**: Members of the Platform Party
- **15**: Alumni Emeriti
- **42**: Musicians
- **1**: George Washington Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps’ Ceremonial Color Guard
- **1**: GW Police Department Honor Guard
- **60**: Number of students who entered the Student Commencement Speaker Competition
- **45**: U.S. States represented by the Class of 2014
- **43**: Countries represented by the Class of 2014

**Youngest Graduate** is 17. A School Without Walls high school student earning an associate in arts degree from the Columbian College of Arts and Sciences.

**Youngest Bachelor Degree Recipient** is 19 years old.

**Oldest Graduate** is 87. He is earning a master’s of art and geography degree. He attended in the 1950s and came back to finish a few credits. **Not attending today’s ceremony.**

**The Site:**
- **9**: Number of years on the National Mall (since 2006)
- **1**: GW is the ONLY university to hold its Commencement on the National Mall
- **7**: Number of city blocks that the Commencement Site footprint covers
- **25,000**: Number of chairs
- **21**: Number of tents
- **10**: Number of golf carts
- **84**: Porta-johns
- **4**: Number of ambulances on stand by

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