



Mercy Celebrates Classes of 2020 and 2021

On May 19, due to COVID-19 safety guidelines, a virtual commencement ceremony was held to celebrate Mercy's 2021 graduates. Several in-person events were organized at the

College in the weeks leading up to commencement including individual academic processions on the Dobbs Ferry Campus where graduates walked across the stage, received a graduation certificate and had professional photos taken with President Tim Hall. The virtual ceremony included remarks from student speakers, acknowledgment of awards and the conferring of degrees. In keeping with tradition, the ceremonies of each of the five Schools at Mercy included remarks from five alumni speakers who have demonstrated leadership in the health, arts, business, education and civic fields, and who received Honorary Degrees: Rep. Jamaal Bowman, M.S. '06, Ed.D. (Social and Behavioral Sciences), Andrea S. Coddett '95, Ed.D. (Education), Michael Hayes '92 (Business), Paulette J. Oliva '81 (Liberal Arts) and Michele A. Quirolo '79, '82 (Health and Natural Sciences).

