

Distance Learning Leads to Online Induction Ceremonies

What do you do when many of your students are online, stationed in places far from any of the eighty or so campuses? Webster University videotaped their induction ceremony and made it available online.



The student to be inducted long distance receives an email from Dr. Bellomo with the information needed to “attend” the video induction. During the presentation, the student makes the DMD pledge. Some comments to Dr. Bellomo from newly inducted virtual students follow.

Thank you for providing our distant inductees with this online presentation. I truly wish I could have been present for the ceremony; this presentation allowed me to feel like I was there. Todd Schwickerath

I've viewed the ceremony and have agreed to and taken the pledge. A very nice ceremony, by the way. Joseph Jensen

Thank you for sending the link to the online induction. While it would have been nice to attend a live ceremony; it was fun to have my husband and daughter be my witnesses as I recited the pledge with my virtual classmates. Erica Brown

