

From: The Committee on Ceremonial Occasions

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To our graduating seniors,

I am delighted to share with you the news that in light of the recent changes in the directives from the Governor's office, your graduation will be held in person!

We are now finalizing details for an outdoor venue in New York City on May 26, following all health and safety guidelines in consultation with our medical director.

As we have often repeated from the beginning of this journey, our values are our compass, and a ceremony that highlights our values and celebrates your achievements and resilience is best done in-person. And in a year likened to a dimmer switch, we adjust according to the changes of our circumstances. We will once again be able to celebrate together with family and friends.

Of course, we recognize that not everyone will be able to join the in-person event, so we will be livestreaming the ceremony as well providing opportunities for those joining remotely to participate in the celebration.

More details will be forthcoming in the next few days, but I wanted to share this exciting news with you personally for you to reserve the date.

I look forward to celebrating with you, our remarkable graduating class of 2021, on May 26.

My warmest wishes,  
Ari Berman