

April 16, 2020

Graduates-

With the unique circumstances we find ourselves in, due to COVID-19, we are finding a unique way to celebrate all the success and hard work of our students who will be completing their studies and graduating this spring. We want to honor you and celebrate your great achievements, even though we cannot do so in person. You have achieved great things by completing your studies at Minnesota West and we can't wait to see what the future has in store for you!

We will be compiling a video to be shared on our website and various social media platforms where we would love to showcase clips of each graduate and warm wishes of congratulations from our faculty and staff.

Inclusion in the video is voluntary but we hope to have contributions from a large number of our graduating class. You can submit a short video clip (5 seconds or less) of appropriate celebration, examples thumbs up, a fun celebration dance, clapping/cheering motions, fist bumps etc. or a still selfie that will be incorporated into the video. All submissions will be included at the discretion of college personnel and no audio will be included. There is also a space to include a brief message to your fellow graduates of 2020 or message of thanks to those who have influenced you, which will be overlaid in text format throughout the video.

Please complete the form at <https://bit.ly/2Xvt2wN> to include or video, selfie and congratulatory message by May 4, 2020. If you have any questions please contact Marie Johnson at marie.johnson@mnwest.edu.