Subject: Your upcoming UTA virtual commencement

Dear Maverick,

You are just days away from celebrating your graduation from UTA through our virtual commencement ceremony, which will be available to stream via go.uta.edu/virtual-commencement starting Saturday, May 14.

To put you in the driver's seat of your commencement, there's no live premiere. You'll be able to access the ceremony through our <u>commencement website</u> anytime you like beginning Saturday, May 14. We encourage you to set a time for you and your guests to tune in to celebrate your accomplishments.

The virtual ceremony boasts pre-recorded signature elements of our in-person ceremonies and traditions for you and your guests to enjoy from wherever you are, and you will get to hear your name called and celebrated among your fellow new Maverick alumni.

Don't forget to tag your memories on social media with #ForeverMaverick.

First-destination survey

As one final step before you celebrate your graduation from UTA, graduating students are urged to complete the <u>First-Destination Survey on Handshake</u> to let us know your next steps as a new member as the Maverick alumni family. Respondents will be entered to win one of five \$100 Visa gift cards.

Cap and gown donation

If you're able, graduating students are encouraged to make plans to donate their cap and gown to the <u>Maverick Pantry</u> to help future graduates who may not be able to afford regalia gain the complete commencement experience. Contact eaf@uta.edu to make donation plans.

Virtual graduate gift packages

If you let us know your plans to participate in virtual commencement by April 15, you will receive a gift package, complete with items to make the most of your virtual celebration, the week of commencement.

Diplomas

Your diploma will be mailed to your mailing address listed in MyMav six to eight weeks after your degree is conferred at commencement.