



UL's COVID-19 Academic Monitoring and Planning Group (CAMPG) explored a number of options in relation to holding physical conferring ceremonies in January 2021. However, the fundamental difficulty with all the considered options is that they do not conform to current public health guidelines under [Resilience and Recovery 2020-2021: Plan for Living with COVID-19](#). Our priority at all times must be the safety of students, staff and the wider community. When it is safe to do so and when Government guidelines permit, UL hopes to hold a celebratory event in 2021 for all 2020 graduates.

In the meantime, our most recent cohort of graduates were formally conferred in absentia on 16 December 2020. Access to your digital parchment will be facilitated on Digitary by mid-January 2021. (Information on Digitary is available [here](#).)

The UL Ceremonies Office expects hardcopy parchments to be posted to graduates before the end of January. If you wish to update your postal address, please do so on the student portal [here](#) by Friday 18 December.

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