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2022



ROSS UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

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CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2022!

We are incredibly proud of the Class of 2022 and look forward to celebrating such a milestone achievement and your entry into the veterinary profession!

ROSS UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

2022 COMMENCEMENT

FRIDAY, MAY 20, 2022 AT 1:00 PM EST
WATSCO CENTER, CORAL GABLES, FL

This is a special moment for you – along with your family, friends, and the entire Ross Vet community! Our in-person commencement ceremony will also be broadcast live on our [Facebook](#) page and [YouTube](#) channel for those who cannot be in attendance on site.

This guide includes all the instructions and resources you will need to get ready for and participate in commencement.



If you have any questions leading up to the event, please reach out to the Commencement Planning Team at RUSVMGraduation@rossu.edu



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HOW TO TUNE INTO OUR LIVESTREAM

Our goal is to bring all of the excitement and energy of the event to those who are unable to attend in person! Our 2022 ceremony will include:

Dr. José V. Arce, AVMA President, is your Keynote Speaker and he will share remarks about his career pathway, community involvement, and the importance of diversity in an ever changing profession. We know that he will inspire you to think BIG, and you won't want to miss it!

Dr. Sean Callanan, Dean of RUSVM, will give opening remarks and facilitate the recitation of the Veterinarian's Oath with the class.

Individual recognition will be included for each graduate during the **Conferral of Degrees** for our DVM graduates along with our Graduate programs.

Also look out for appearances from **William Guntrum**, University Registrar, and **Dr. Robert Gilbert**, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, who will perform the Phi Zeta Honors Introduction.



LIVESTREAM FOR FRIENDS & FAMILY

Friends and family who cannot attend in person will join in the celebration by tuning into the event Livestream on our Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine Facebook and YouTube pages at **1 PM EST on Friday, May 20, 2022**. We encourage all Rossie fans to use the comments area to cheer on the Class of 2022 throughout the ceremony!



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INVITE YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS

You can choose one of our invitations below to download and send to those you want to share in your special day. We also recommend that you encourage your guests to check out our [Facebook](#) page and [YouTube](#) channel in advance of the event.



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OTHER WAYS TO CELEBRATE

Along with attending the event, your loved ones can celebrate your achievement by:

1

Cheering you on in the comments area on our Ross Vet [Facebook](#) page and [YouTube](#) channel

2

Congratulating you and the Class of 2022 by sharing celebratory photos using our Commencement Day hashtags [#Rossies2022](#) [#WeAreRossVet](#)

3

Taking advantage of the social graphics, printables, and other fun items in this guide!



Show your Rossie Spirit! Tag us on social leading up to and the day of Commencement! We'd love to see photos of:

- You holding one of our printable spirit signs
- You in your commencement regalia
- Your proud furbabies or family members sharing in the fun leading up to commencement



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SOCIAL?**

No problem. Send your photos to News@rossvet.edu.kn.

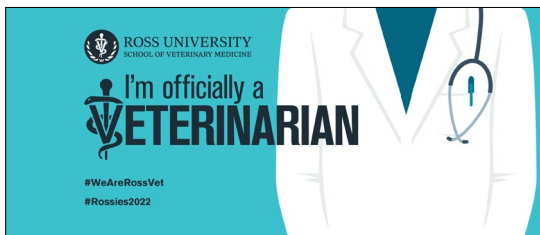


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Facebook Covers

Select a cover to add to your Facebook profile page.



Instagram Stories

Select an Instagram template to create and personalize your own Instagram story.



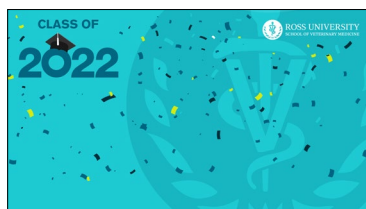
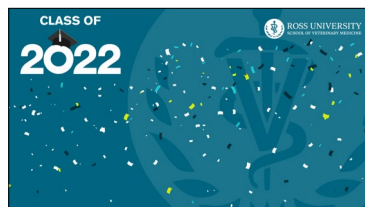


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Virtual Backgrounds

Looking for a fun background for the Class of 2022? Click on a virtual background to download and add a little pizzazz to any group video chat.





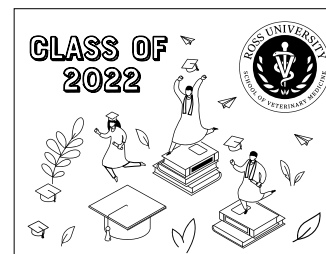
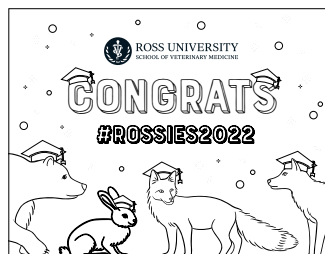
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Yard Signs

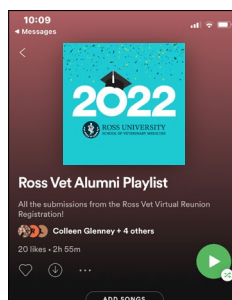


Coloring Pages



Commencement Playlist

Get in the party mood with our #Rossies2022 playlist.





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KILLER BEE RUM PUNCH

Here's a familiar recipe to many of you from Sunshine's Beach Bar—the Killer Bee Rum Punch! To make it a “virgin” drink, just make without the rum!

INGREDIENTS

Rum Mixture:

1/3 part over-proof rum
(151° or higher)

2/3 part “normal” rum
(not spiced)

passion fruit juice

club soda

honey

lemon juice
(fresh squeezed, of course)

INSTRUCTIONS

Mix together:

1/3 rum mixture, 1/3 passion fruit juice,
1/3 club soda, honey to taste, and lemon juice

