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IDM HOSTS ITS FIRST VIRTUAL GRADUATION

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THE Institute of Development Management (IDM) screened its 14th joint graduation in its three campuses Botswana, Lesotho and Eswatini at the same time last Friday.

This involved splitting the screenings to two seatings locally, the premiere being at 9am and the latter at 2 pm. Graduates from the three campuses were able to watch the virtual graduation, which was streamed live in their respective countries at home or on campus. This provided a great opportunity to have the BLE feeling although the three campuses couldn't be under the same roof as normally would be the case in former years. COVID-19 has beckoned the use of technology and given campuses the leeway to explore into virtual interaction and simultaneous streaming of activity between sister campuses. The guest of honour for this year's ceremony was Judge Sanji Mmasenong Monageng from Botswana. The valedictorian speech this year was rendered by a Swazi graduate Nomfundo Dlamini who studied Human Resources Management at the Eswatini campus.



MAIN DAY: The graduation was screened to allow for social distancing and minimal numbers in the auditorium. Graduate name calling was conducted virtually.



GRADUATION DAY: The auditorium where graduates gathered for the ceremony.



HAPPY DAY: Lucky Sibeko Bsc Occupational in Health and Safety.



EDUCATION IS KEY: Ntombi Gule BA in Human Resources Management.



IMPELA SIBILI: Mfanasibili Mazibuko BA in Human Resources Management.



BAGGED IT: Nomcebo Dlamini Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety.



I MADE IT: Sphamandla Tsabedze Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety.

ALL SMILES: Beverly Bennet Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety.