Hosting a Hybrid Initiation Ceremony

KDP recognizes the need for versatility and flexibility when it comes to required events. Since each chapter is expected to have at least one initiation ceremony per year, we have worked diligently to make the ceremonies as accessible as possible. This page provides you with the necessary resources to successfully host a hybrid initiation ceremony.

Merging a Live and Virtual Initiation Ceremony

- Create a PowerPoint presentation (Tip: Check out our Customizable Template!). Be sure that this includes the names of both the in-person and virtual attendees.
- During the ceremony, present the PowerPoint over the platform of your choosing (e.g. Zoom) and, if possible, connect to a projector to present the PowerPoint and show your chapter’s in-person initiates their virtual peers.
- When sending the invitation to join KDP, let these candidates know that there is a virtual option for initiation.
- Consider having an administrative faculty member attend virtually and say a few words of encouragement to tie together the event.