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### MEDIA ADVISORY

## **Chief Justice Bridget M. McCormack to swear in bar exam graduates in historic virtual ceremony**

- Who:** Chief Justice Bridget M. McCormack, Michigan Supreme Court  
Dennis Barnes, President, State Bar of Michigan
- What:** Anyone who has been notified by the Board of Law Examiners that they are eligible to be sworn in is invited to be sworn in at this virtual ceremony by Chief Justice Bridget M. McCormack, upon a motion presented by the State Bar of Michigan President Dennis Barnes.
- When:** Friday, May 15, 2020 – 2:00 p.m.
- Where:** Ceremony will be conducted via Zoom and live-streamed on YouTube for friends and family members at:  
<https://www.youtube.com/MichiganCourts>
- Why:** To become a licensed attorney in Michigan, certified bar passers must be sworn in by the court upon a motion of a licensed attorney. Since current conditions do not allow this ceremony to be held in person, this virtual ceremony is being held for the first time.

For additional information, visit the State Bar of Michigan's information page at: <https://www.michbar.org/generalinfo/swearing-in>