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## Belmont Abbey College Announces New Online Undergraduate Degree Programs

**BELMONT, N.C.** (April 19, 2021) Today, Belmont Abbey College announces its first undergraduate online degrees in Business, Accounting, and Interdisciplinary Studies. These programs, already leading programs for the college for residential and commuter students, will now be fully accessible online. The Abbey Online program now brings an education in the Catholic liberal arts tradition to students seeking the greatest in flexibility without sacrificing quality.

"With Abbey Online we can now serve students who due to COVID or other challenges couldn't move to Belmont to experience the Abbey in person," said Dr. Feezell, provost of Belmont Abbey College. "We're excited to reach those students at a price, and a flexibility that meets their needs." The online degree programs are significantly less than in-person instruction at \$349 a credit hour, and the online aspect gives those students the ability to manage their degree and their studies as they wish.

Beginning Fall 2021, Abbey Online students can experience Belmont Abbey College's unique, personalized, experience to undergraduate students from the comfort of their home. Belmont Abbey College is seeking authorization to offer online programs to students in all U.S. states and territories. To see a full list of states Belmont Abbey College can offer online instruction visit bac.edu/abbeyonline.

The new undergraduate online degree programs will bring Belmont Abbey College's unique, personalized, experience to undergraduate students across the country. In addition, all Abbey Online instructors will receive training from Quality Matters, the gold standard for instructors to demonstrate their mastery of online teaching and learning.

For more information or to apply visit www.bac.edu/abbeyonline.

**About Belmont Abbey College**: Founded in 1876, Belmont Abbey College is a private, Catholic, baccalaureate and liberal arts institution. Our mission is to educate students in the liberal arts and sciences so that in all things God may be glorified. Guided by the Catholic intellectual tradition and the Benedictine spirit of prayer and learning, we welcome a diverse body of students and provide them with an education that will enable them to lead lives of integrity, to succeed professionally, to become responsible citizens, and to be a blessing to themselves and to others. Our beautiful and historic campus is conveniently located just 10 miles west of Charlotte, N.C., and is currently home to more than 1500 students.