



ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY SERVICES, USA
Office of the Archbishop

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Dear Catholic Administrators, Educators, and Campus Ministers,

Word has reached me that this year the Duc In Altum (DIA) Schools Collaborative will host its 9th Annual DIA Schools Summit at my neighbor, The Catholic University of America. DIA Schools buttress the future of the Church through mission-focused Catholic school management and the formation of educators.

As you know, DIA Schools Collaborative is an association dedicated to promoting sound Catholic identity and a commitment to a robust catechetical approach meeting young people where they are, and sending them forth with the tools necessary to witness in the midst of a challenging contemporary culture. For the past nine years, the DIA Schools Summit has convened administrators, instructors, and campus ministers to exchange exciting ideas and best practices for fostering a dynamic environment of evangelization. As we are constantly reminded, the laity's primary ministry is to permeate the world with the Gospel.

I am happy to endorse this unique endeavor within the Church for the cultivation of academic and spiritual excellence, combined with fidelity to the Magisterium. It is my wish that this initiative might expand and grow so that many more young people in our Catholic schools can reap its benefits and renew our communities and the Church at large.

Sincerely in Christ,

(The Most Reverend) Timothy P. Broglio
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