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NewSchool Update: COVID-19 (Coronavirus Disease 2019) Information

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We appreciate the challenges this unprecedented COVID-19 situation has posed for our NewSchool community. We greatly value the sustained commitment our students, faculty, and staff have demonstrated. We are in this together.

As announced previously, to ensure the continued health and safety of NewSchool students, faculty, and staff, all Fall 2020 courses will be delivered online for the duration of the Fall 2020 Quarter.

Fall Quarter has begun as scheduled in the <u>Academic Catalog</u> and the <u>Academic Calendar</u>. We are embracing the challenge of maintaining instruction in the online environment, as we have done for the Spring and Summer Quarters. While students are expected to attend classes synchronous to the schedule, a broad look at accommodations is necessary to assist students who may require asynchronous learning. Students must complete and submit the <u>Asynchronous Learning Form – Fall</u> <u>2020</u> to their course instructor <u>at least one week in advance</u> if it is due to a scheduled event (i.e. surgery) or because of a drastic time zone difference to allow faculty to meet with the student to come up with a plan of action for the quarter. In the event of an emergency, then the faculty will make that consideration on a case by case basis.

Students, faculty, and staff should continue checking their NewSchool email accounts regularly. This will be our primary means of communication for all campus updates.

Questions? These email accounts are monitored daily:

- Students: studentquestions@newschoolarch.edu
- Prospective students: <u>enrollment@newschoolarch.edu</u>
- Faculty/staff:
 - Operational questions: please email your supervisor
 - All other questions: <u>employeequestions@newschoolarch.edu</u>

Information About COVID-19:

Detailed information about the Coronavirus, how it is transmitted, how to protect against it, and areas to avoid travel is available at the following websites:

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Coronavirus Disease 2019
- <u>World Health Organization: Coronavirus Disease Outbreak</u>
- <u>San Diego County: Coronavirus Information</u>
- <u>California Department of Public Health Guidance for Colleges and Universities</u>
- <u>CDC: Resources for Institutes of Higher Education</u>

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- CDC Travel Health Notices
- World Health Organization Website
- <u>California Department of Public Health Website</u>
- International SOS Pandemic Information
- ISOS COVID-19 PDF