As a preventive measure and based on the guidance of health officials, Cal State LA is temporarily suspending face-to-face, in-person classroom instruction due to COVID-19.

**Classes**

Summer and Fall 2020 classes will be using means of instruction that do not involve face-to-face gatherings. Students should watch for communications from their instructors and follow their guidance and directives. Remote instruction will continue to maintain the safety of everyone. This plan may be subject to re-evaluation if conditions change and per guidance from LA County Public Health.

**Departmental Office**

The Biological Sciences staff will remain active to respond to the needs of students. However, to promote social distancing as advised by the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, department staff will service students electronically. To contact our department staff, please use the following:

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We thank you for your patience, flexibility, and understanding during this unprecedented time.

Sincerely,

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