

EMERGENCY DECLARATIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS
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Bergen County Community College	Cancelling classes for the week of March 16, and resuming March 23, but staying open the remainder of this week.	Open source	3/11/2020
Fairleigh Dickinson University	Suspending face-to-face instruction on its New Jersey and Vancouver campuses and switching to remote learning for all classes, effective Monday, March 16.	Open source	3/11/2020
Kean University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Officials have canceled out-of-state travel for five athletic teams this week due to "an abundance of caution." (This includes the baseball, men's lacrosse, women's lacrosse, softball and men's volleyball teams, according to the university athletics website.) • Students should not return to campus following Spring Break and those students who are staying in the residence halls this week should return home if they are able to do so. • Students will begin remote instruction on Monday, March 16. All students will be contacted by faculty with assignments and other instructions by Monday, March 16. • Faculty will receive instructions from their college's dean about developing appropriate materials for their classes. Additional details will be forthcoming shortly. • University services and facilities will remain open and operating, and staff should continue to report to campus as usual. • The University currently plans to resume on-campus instruction on Monday, March 30 and will continue to update the campus community on this evolving situation. • No University-sponsored travel will be approved during this time. • Kean Online courses will continue as normal. • On-campus events should be rescheduled wherever possible. No campus event should occur during this time period without prior approval from the relevant Vice President. 	Open source	3/11/2020
Mercer County Community College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All College sponsored travels are suspended until further notice. • All face-to-face instruction will be moved to remote platforms on March 23. 	Open Source	3/09/20 3/11/20
Middlesex County College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advising faculty that the college is currently operating as normal. They are to begin preparing material for possible online courses. Faculty encourage to be lenient with those students who do not wish to come to campus. • All faculty / staff travel is suspended. • Facilities is putting extra custodial staff on day shift to focus / sanitize high traffic / touch areas • Outside use / rental of college facilities will remain at the discretion of the renter, allowing cancellation / reschedule without penalty 	Chief Neil Brosnan	3/10/2020
Monmouth University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All classes have been canceled for the remainder of this week (March 9, 2020). • The cancellation include "face-to-face, hybrid and online" classes, which will resume after spring break on March 23. 	Open source	3/10/2020

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Montclair State University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spring Break for students will be extended through Sunday, March 22. • Effective Monday, March 23, the majority of instruction will take place online for the rest of the semester. There will be some exceptions, for example, certain studio or laboratory courses that will remain face-to-face. • Courses that are already being offered fully online will continue in accordance with the original schedule. • School of Nursing courses will follow the School's own specific schedule. • University-sponsored travel outside of New Jersey will be limited to essential travel and will require approval. •The University is not closing. All functions will continue, and all services and facilities will remain open, including dining services, the health center, the library, computer centers, research support, recreational facilities, information technology, and so on. •Athletics contests will continue as scheduled. •The residence halls remain open during the break, and resident students are welcome to return at any time. 	Lt. Paul Giardino	3/10/2020
New Jersey City University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beginning March 16, all classes will be online. • Asking resident students to go home until normal operations resume. • Classes will resume face to face on March 30. • Campus will remain open. • Beginning March 14 all events and in-person meetings involving more than 15 people are canceled. • University students will remain available to faculty, staff and students. 	Open Source	3/12/2020
New Jersey Institute of Technology (NJIT)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •The university announced Tuesday (3/10) that all classes will go online the rest of the week and after spring break ends on March 23, until further notice. •School officials said they are asking students who are able to leave campus housing this week, to do so and remain away until the university resumes regular operations, according to the university's website. •Spectators will not be allowed at any athletic events held on-campus. 	Open source	3/10/2020
Ocean County College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •From March 23 through March 29, all classes will be online. Continuing education classes will be cancelled. •All events scheduled from March 14-29 will be canceled or rescheduled. •Essential personnel will continue to work on campus. •Employees who have the ability to work remotely will continue their responsibilities from home. 	Open Source	3/12/2020
Princeton University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •All lectures, seminars, and precepts will move to virtual instruction beginning Monday, March 23. Academic classes and mid-term exams will continue the week of March 9 as planned, following social distancing protocols. •In-person meetings are strongly discouraged. •The Ivy League decided March 10 to cancel the upcoming Ivy League Men's and Women's Basketball Tournaments •All University-sponsored international travel is prohibited, and all personal international travel is strongly discouraged. 	Open source	3/10/2020
Rider University	Extended its spring break an additional week to continue to plan for coronavirus.	Open source	3/11/2020

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Rowan University	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Extending Spring Break another week until March 27th.• Assignments for in-person courses due March 23rd now pushed back to March 29th• Class registration pushed back to the week of March 29th• Recommending students return home for Spring Break March 13th to March 27th• Faculty preparing for online courses, no decision on mandate as of today• All students abroad recalled, self-isolation process in place for those returning from high-risk areas• Cancelled all University related student & Faculty trips to high- risk areas• Reviewing all University events on and off campus including Athletic events.• Daily 4:30 pm Conference call updates	AVP Michael H. Kantner	3/10/2020
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Rutgers University	<p>Rutgers has stood up a website regarding preparedness and associated information, site is publically accessible at: https://coronavirus.rutgers.edu/.</p> <p><u>Classroom Instruction at Rutgers – Camden, Newark, and New Brunswick</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beginning Thursday, March 12, through the end of spring break on Sunday, March 22, all classes are canceled. • Beginning Monday, March 23, through at least Friday, April 3, all course instruction will be delivered remotely. All face-to-face instruction is suspended. This includes any class meetings. • Individual instructors are expected to be in contact with their students regarding their plans for remote instruction prior to March 23. <p><u>Instruction at Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Courses at RBHS will continue as scheduled. • Beginning Monday, March 16, all RBHS classes with more than 15 participants will be provided remotely. RBHS deans from the relevant schools will be in touch with students regarding more detailed plans for remote instruction. • Please note there will be no change to clinical rotations and clinical instruction. <p><u>Campus Activities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students living in residence halls should leave campus as soon as possible. Students are strongly encouraged to remain off campus through April 3. The University understands that leaving campus may not be possible or prudent for everyone, and we encourage anyone with concerns to contact the student housing office on your campus. • Beginning Thursday, March 12, Rutgers events and in-person meetings involving groups larger than 15 participants are cancelled through April 15. Guidance related to this policy will be reviewed again by April 1. • Groups with events scheduled after April 15 are urged to begin considering alternative plans in case future events will need to be cancelled or postponed. • No new non-essential events should be scheduled until further notice. • Athletic directors are instructed to follow the guidance of their respective athletic conferences. 	DC Mike Rein	3/10/2020
Rutgers University (continued)	<p><u>Travel</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We strongly suggest that all members of the Rutgers community reconsider any upcoming domestic travel, especially to areas where there has been a significant incidence of COVID-19. • All Rutgers-led international spring break programs are canceled. • All students in third-party study abroad programs are strongly encouraged to return. • All international travel sponsored by Rutgers is suspended. • Any member of our community returning from a country designated Level 3 by the CDC is required to self-isolate for 14 days before returning to campus. <p><u>Faculty and Staff</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • University offices, labs and services will remain open during this time period. • Employees are strongly encouraged to use teleconference services, such as Webex, in lieu of in-person meetings. • Guidance from University Human Resources will be forthcoming advising staff on appropriate telecommuting practices, employee leave management, and related workplace questions. • Specific guidance for healthcare workers who have direct contact with patients will be forthcoming from the Executive Vice President of Health Affairs. • Please take steps to protect your health and the health of your coworkers by following guidance on prevention and care. If you feel unwell, please stay home. 		

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Seton Hall University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Suspend all in-person classes beginning on Wednesday, March 11, through and including Friday, March 13, 2020. •On Monday (03/16), classes will resume in an online format for at least a week. •Residence Halls and Dining Services will continue to operate. •All non-faculty employees (including staff, administrators, union, temporary, part-time and non-benefit eligible employees) are expected to report to work as normal •Daily Masses are continuing as scheduled. •Reviewing all upcoming and planned University events and will announce decisions about individual events soon. 	Open source	3/11/2020
St. Peter's University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CBS sanitized all classrooms, offices and common areas. • Campus Safety sanitized all university shuttles. • Additional hand sanitizers have been installed around campus near elevators and common areas. • University released a plan in regard to Residential Students Potentially Exposed to Coronavirus which includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Requirement to leave campus and self-quarantine for 14 days. o Designated quarantine rooms for those exposed that cannot leave campus such as International Students, etc. o For those quarantined on campus food will be delivered to them. o (See attached policy) • Faculty has been advised to prepare to move courses to online should the need to close the University becomes a reality. • Faculty and Students have been advised to notify Health Services if they are sick or a student in their classroom is sick. Possible evaluation at the Medical Center. • All study abroad courses have been suspended. • Those returning from affected countries will return home for 14 day quarantine period. • No change in university events or athletics at this time. • HR developing policies to deal with work from home, social distancing, payroll, and leave if required due to exposure. • Depending on the duration of the virus, summer programs may be cancelled. We host Ardmore language school in the summer where high school age students come from over 25 foreign countries. This will be reevaluated as the weeks progress. 	Director Scott Torre	3/10/2020
Stevens Institute of Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Based on the requirements of their position and with the approval of their supervisor, certain employees will be permitted to work from home on a full or part-time basis until further notice. • Stevens cancelled classes Tuesday, March 10 in preparation to bring all courses online. • All classes will resume on their normal schedule on Wednesday, March 11 through Friday, March 13, but will be held completely online. However, all lab courses will be postponed. Exams will also be postponed, unless the faculty can offer them online. • During this period, the campus will remain open, but all classes will be held online. There will be no classes or exams held on campus. • All campus related events have been suspended • All study abroad programs for summer 2020 have been suspended. • Stevens-sponsored travel to conferences, meetings and events in the U.S. with large numbers of participants (100+) is prohibited until further notice. Stevens will permit individual Stevens-sponsored travel to smaller meetings in the U.S. when the travel is essential. 	DC Robert DiGenova	3/10/2020

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Stockton University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Extended spring break through Tuesday, March 24. •Beginning March 25 through April 5, all classes will be conducted online. 	Open source	3/11/2020
The College of New Jersey	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •All classes will be online for two weeks when spring break concludes March 23 	Open source	3/11/2020
Union County College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Beginning March 16 through March 22 all course instruction will be delivered remotely. 		
William Paterson University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Extended spring break through Tuesday, March 24. •Beginning March 25, at least through April 14, most classes will move online and most face-to-face instruction will be suspended. •Courses already online will continue in accordance with the original schedule. •Small labs and studio sections may still meet on campus in cases where access to the facilities are deemed essential. College Deans must review, approve and submit these exceptions to the Provost. •All University offices, labs and services will remain open •Employees are strongly encouraged to use teleconference services in lieu of in-person meetings of more than 20 people. •Guidance from HR will be forthcoming advising staff on employee leave management. Individuals with underlying health problems should contact HR to discuss potential accommodations. •Students in residence halls expected to leave as soon as classes are over this week at least through April 14 •Strongly encouraged to reconsider any upcoming travel. •All college led international spring break programs are canceled. •All students in third party study abroad programs are urged to return home •All international travel sponsored by WPU is suspended. •Anyone who is returning from a country designated Level 2 or 3 is required to self-isolate for 14 days. •Anyone taking a cruise is required to self-isolate for 14 days. 	Open source	