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Updates on COVID-19, Spring Break and Spring Term

Dean Livingston recently shared the latest COVID-19 testing data for campus, and information about accessing test kits before students depart campus for Spring Break. This email also shared that spring varsity sports would resume competition, albeit with significant restrictions. You can find all of Dean Livingston’s communications to the full campus on COVID-19 here, which have recently included information about the testing schedule for students returning to campus for Spring Term, as well as a revised schedule for class registration for Fall Term 2021.

For the most current campus testing data, as well as links to the Minnesota Department of Health and Rice County COVID-19 case data, please visit Carleton’s COVID-19 Dashboard.

Career Center: Employer Relations

It’s not what you know. It’s not even who you know. It’s who knows you! In other words, building personal relationships with alumni and employers is the best thing students can do for their careers. The Career Center shares some strategies that can help your student, and some suggestions on how you can help us, too.

Follow the Career Center on Instagram and see what other events are coming up.

Tips from a Carleton alum on leveling up your Zoom game

Are you ready for your closeup? No? Then spend an hour with a high-octane alumna and learn how to look your best online. Whether you’re applying for a job, working with colleagues, or hanging out with friends, Elisabeth Steele Hutchison ’96 will give you simple, economical, and effective strategies to share your best screen self as part of our regular Carleton Connects series.

Changes in how Carleton serves BIPOC and international students

Since the time the Office of Intercultural and International Life (OIIIL) was formed into a single office in 2008, the BIPOC population at Carleton has increased by 52%, while the international population has grown by 58%. This growth signals a need for more specialized resources focused on serving the direct needs of these groups. Carleton has reimagined this structure to be replaced with two distinct offices: the Office of Intercultural Life (OIL) and the Office of International Student Life (ISL).

Read more about this new structure and the programs that the two offices will lead.

Presidential search update

The Presidential Search Committee shared next steps after completing their first-round interviews of presidential candidates.

Upcoming virtual event

Join emerita professor Mary Easter for a conversation about poetry, ancestry, and a life inspired by performance. With readings from two brand-new books—From the Flutes of Our Bones and Free Papers: Poems Inspired by the Testimony of Eliza Winston, a Mississippi Slave Escaped to Freedom in Minnesota in 1860—Easter will weave together the threads of an endlessly creative career.

March 24, 12:00pm Central

Learn More and Register

USEFUL LINKS

- Parent/Family Gateway
- COVID-19 campus updates
- Weekly Convocations
- Campus Calendar
- 2020-2021 Academic Calendar
- Make a gift to the Parents Fund

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