From March 16 to March 30, students have been asked not to return to campus. UTC has suspended face-to-face instruction effective March 16. At this time, the University plans to resume normal operations on Monday, March 30.

Since this is an unanticipated situation and students are asked not to be present on campus for classes, the basic work requirements associated with graduate assistantships on campus are also suspended for this two-week period. Graduate assistants and graduate students should contact their faculty advisors for additional guidance. Online and remote work is encouraged during this time for those with critical University, research, teaching or clinical responsibilities or requirements.

Because this is an unscheduled disruption, graduate assistants will be paid their stipend for these two weeks and will not be required to make up any hours missed during these two weeks.

This email applies to graduate assistantships only; graduate students who are UTC employees should follow the campus guidelines for staff and should check with supervisors for additional guidance.

Moving forward, we will continue to monitor this dynamic situation. Additional updates will be provided as they are available to campus at www.utc.edu/coronavirus.

Please send this out to individuals as needed, and let us know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

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