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**From:** Jarvin, Linda  
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**Subject:** COVID-19 March 12th update

Dear Members of the PCA Community,

In his address to the nation tonight the French President announced that all educational institutions, from pre-k to university, should close to students effective Monday, and until further notice.

We will thus close PCA and move to 100% distance education. You will receive more detailed updates from your chairs over the next few days, but should already plan to come to campus tomorrow or Saturday to retrieve any personal belongings of work that you may be needing in the near future.

France is not taking any quarantine measures or putting restrictions on travel, so you are free to move about Paris, though it is strongly recommended that you avoid public transportation, especially at peak hours. We are maintaining Open House on Saturday and the building will be open from 9 am to 6 pm.

We will have another informal Q & A session in the gallery tomorrow, and I am available in my office on the 4th floor to answer questions in person, as well as by email.

Sincerely,

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