January Update

A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Thank you for your continued support of LSU, and Geaux Tigers!

We are entering the spring semester with great optimism. It was such an amazing experience to welcome our first-year students back to campus for the spring semester and begin the year with a true sense of community and excitement. We are building upon the great progress we made in the fall semester despite unpreceded circumstances.

We continue to be inspired by the resilience and creativity of our students, faculty and staff. The future sounds bright, but we know there is much work ahead. I am so grateful to be working with such a talented group of people and to have the opportunity to serve as your student president.

In the last month, our team has focused on making sure student affairs programming and support were available for students by moving online as necessary. As a result, we have continued to see an increase in attendance and engagement across all of our virtual programs for the spring semester.

One area we are particularly proud of is our drive-in movie series, which has been a great way to stay connected to students and showcase the talents of our student organizations. We are also excited to transition to a virtual involvement fair this spring, which will connect students with student organizations in the comfort of their own homes.

The LSU Olinde Career Center has transitioned to using virtual career fairs to connect students with employers. We have also seen an increase in the number of LSU students participating in virtual job fairs and career development resources.

The LSU Los Angeles Office continues to partner with student organizations and LSU Alumni to host virtual events around the world.

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CAMPUS HIGHLIGHTS

- The LSU Parent & Family Programs hopes you have enjoyed reading the January Email Update and visiting our website.
- Visit our Virtual Involvement Fair - January 27, to meet our incredible student leaders as we continue to build a great campus community together.
- The LSU Interim President and Professor of Law, Thomas C. Galligan, Jr., has transitioned to a new role as President of Tulane University. We wish him all the best in his new position.
- Martin Luther King Jr. Day is Monday, January 18. It is a time for us to reflect on the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and to consider how we can continue to build a more just and inclusive society.
- Check out our January Newsletter here.
- Is your first-generation student receiving the support they need to succeed in school and motivated this semester? If so, let us know by filling out the survey at link1.
- The LSU Olinde Career Center is excited to announce virtual career fairs this spring semester. Applications for the 2021-2022 LSU Family Association Resident Assistant (RA) applications are due by January 13. View them if they need personalized help.
- Applications for the Spring Leadership Cohort are open through June 30. Applications are open for the Spring Leadership Cohort.
- The LSU Parent & Family Programs offers a variety of events and resources for parents and families of LSU students. Visit lsu.edu/family.
- Visit lsu.edu/campuslife/drivein to see our January Drive-In Movie Schedule.
- We are looking forward to seeing you at the Virtual Involvement Fair - January 27.
- The LSU Department of Residence Life has transitioned to using virtual meetings and events for families who want to congratulate their special graduate. For more information about the scholarship, please click here.
- We encourage you to stay up to date on the latest news and events at LSU by following us on social media: Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.
- To see the 2020-2021 Academic Calendar, please click here.