

President's Communiqué
Dr. Ken Kitts
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Colleagues: I hope this message finds you safe and well. See below for important updates from the University of North Alabama:

COVID-19 Response We hope and expect to be able to resume traditional classes and to provide a residential experience for our students in Fall 2020. With that expectation in mind, I have created a COVID-19 Recovery Task Force under the leadership of Vice President Kimberly Greenway for the purpose of evaluating what actions are needed as we prepare for the reopening of campus and the eventual restart of face-to-face classes. The group's work will revolve around safety and health considerations for students, faculty, and staff. The Shared Governance Executive Committee has endorsed the establishment of this group, and recommendations from the SGEC helped shape its composition. Dr. Greenway will share information soon regarding the task force's charge and final membership roster. In related news, Governor Kay Ivey announced today a plan for the staged relaxation of social distancing mandates that went into effect in Alabama on April 4. We are in discussions now to determine what that means for campus operations and employee work schedules. Until you are notified differently by University officials, please continue on the same work schedule/arrangement you have been using for the past month.

Summer Sessions Summer classes begin at UNA on May 11. With the support of leaders from

Administrative Reorganization / Diversity: As previously announced, Ms. Joan Williams will be