



May 13, 2020

To All Faculty and Staff:

As a reminder, all faculty and staff are encouraged to join me for another *Conversation with the President* on Thursday, **May 14, 2020 from 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.**

During the April 22nd *Conversation with the President*, I reviewed recent accomplishments and shared an overview of the efforts the university is undertaking to address the challenges presented by COVID-19. At tomorrow's meeting, I will provide updates on the current admissions cycle and review the planning process we have undertaken to prepare for the Fall 2020 semester, including our plans for a safe, healthy, and flexible campus.

The meeting will be held as a Zoom webinar, and participants may submit questions at any time during the webinar using the Zoom Q&A option. I will pause periodically to address questions and may also invite the Vice Presidents to respond. Vice President and Chief of Staff Beth McGrath will compile and synthesize similar questions and ask them on behalf of colleagues. I will try to answer as many questions as possible. Please note that the Chat and Raise Hand functions of Zoom will not be available during this webinar nor will the session be recorded.

I look forward to your participation tomorrow.

Date: Thursday, May 14, 2020

Time: 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

[Link to May 14th Zoom Webinar](#)

Per aspera ad astra,

Nariman Farvardin
President