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Due to safety concerns, Wiley College will cancel all on campus activities. Marshall, Texas (March 11, 2020)

Due to the increasing concerns of the Coronavirus epidemic, after thoughtful consideration, we have thought it in the best interest of the Wiley Community to cancel all on campus activities.

As recently as today, there have been reported cases as nearby as Longview, TX and two reported cases in Louisiana. As this situation rapidly unfolds, we want to ensure that we keep the safety of our students, faculty, staff, alumni, and friends at the forefront of our decision making.

Albeit an unfortunate circumstance, precaution is our first priority.

We have worked with our health and wellness department to communicate tips and provide a "stage chart" that offers context to the messaging we may be receiving from the media.

We will continue to update the campus community as more definitive information becomes available.

As many of you know, Founders Week is one of the largest annual events for Wiley College. We are currently working through the ramifications this unrepresented situation created and we share in your disappointment.

For more information, visit the Centers for Disease Control website at www.cdc.gov/coronavirus