INFORMATION FOR CONTINUING INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS RETURNING FROM OVERSEAS

Below is the list of countries/geographic areas in which travel restrictions are in place because of the COVID-19 global pandemic.

BRAZIL "...foreign nationals who were physically present in the Federative Republic of Brazil within 14 days preceding their entry or attempted entry into the United States ..."

CHINA "... aliens who were physically present in the People's Republic of China, excluding the Special Administrative Regions of Hong Kong and Macau, within the 14 days preceding entry or attempted entry into the United States..."

EUROPEAN SCHENGEN AREA PROCLAMATION "... all aliens who were physically present within the Schengen Area during the 14-day period preceding their entry or attempted entry into the United States..." Note: the European Schengen area includes Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, and Switzerland."

IRAN "...aliens who were physically present in Iran within the 14 days preceding entry or attempted entry into the United States ..."

UK AND IRELAND "... foreign nationals who were physically present in the United Kingdom and Ireland within the 14 days preceding their entry or attempted entry into the United States..."

All international students are advised to check their country's travel advisories on their department of state websites.

All international students must enter via a designated airport. Designated airports include JFK, Newark, and Boston Logan, which are nearest to us.

Some schools are recommending their students go first to another country that is not on a travel ban list and spend at least 14 days there before entering the U.S. That would, of course, depend if you have a visa to enter a country without travel restrictions, and that you abide by any quarantine rules that country has in place.

https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/traveladvisories/ea/covid-19-visa-services-and-restrictions. html

If students are unable to return to campus for the Fall 2020 semester, there are various online and remote options available to them so they can keep up with their coursework and rejoin their classmates for the Spring 2021 semester. Students should contact their academic adviser to make the appropriate course selections.