Dear Colleagues,
Dear Students,

the Decree of the President of the Council of Ministers published on March 8, 2020 establishes new measures for the containment of the COVID-19 virus on the whole national territory and provides specific measures for our Region.

The Decree extends the suspension of all teaching and curricular activities in presence until April 3, 2020, without jeopardizing the possibility of providing them in a distance learning mode.

All events are still suspended.

On the other hand, research, technical and administrative activities are not suspended.

The Decree does not provide for the suspension of work activities: it is possible to travel in case of proven work needs, as defined by the Minister of the Interior in the directive to the Prefects published at this page: https://www.interno.gov.it/it/sala-stampa/comunicati-stampa/direttiva-prefetti-lattuazione-dei-controlli-nelle-aree-contenimento-rafforzato

The University in particular intends to:

- guarantee all the services that ensure the functioning of the distance teaching and research activities
- guarantee all services to the general public, online or by appointment
- hold meetings of collegiate bodies exclusively in distance mode

and undertakes to:

- further promote the use of agile work, compatibly with service needs;
- encourage the use of holiday periods, as recommended by the Decree of March 8, 2020;
- further enhance the use of telematic tools for all compatible activities;
- limit the use of services to the general public only to urgent situations.
To this end, the monitoring unit will continue to provide specific daily indications. It is our responsibility to ensure the training of our students, taking all the necessary actions to reduce travel and limit contagion. Once again, I thank everyone for the commitment and collaboration.

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