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Dear School of Business Alumni,

On behalf of everyone at the School of Business, we send our thoughts to our UCR Business family amidst this time of uncertainty. Recent events have deeply impacted us all, and our hearts are with our alumni here and everywhere around the world. The School of Business remains, as always, your home.

There are still many unknowns regarding the COVID-19 pandemic and how it will impact us all. We deeply appreciate your many expressions of care and concern. Thank you for all that you are doing to keep this special community strong and resilient. Through these challenges our commitment to remain connected and supportive will galvanize our community.

We realize you may have some questions regarding future School of Business activities. We will remain diligent in our communication to provide current information regarding planned activities and to answer your questions.

Many of you have asked what you can do to help, and have proposed wonderful and creative ideas for the School of Business to consider. Thank you! Please know that we read every single email and message we receive. Stay engaged! Send us your ideas on creating community in this time of heightened anxiety. Let us know how we can help reach out to members of your class, region, and affinity groups. While we know physical distancing is important, social isolation is not! If you feel inspired to offer support to our students while they are taking remote classes, reach back and connect. Your voices offer assurance and echo the sentiments that the School of Business is a family.

Finally, we have an established fund for students who are in need. Gifts to the School of Business [Student Support Fund](#) will help support students who are having unanticipated and urgent needs and expenses during this difficult time. We thank you in advance for your generous gesture of support.

Now more than ever, the closeness of the UCR School of Business community is important to recognize. Please reach out to your fellow alumni to check in and let us know how we can help facilitate those conversations. We wish you and your family health and safety.

Stay safe and up-to-date on the latest developments and news from UCR at <https://ehs.ucr.edu/coronavirus>.

Sincerely,

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