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Colleagues,

As we plan for a resumption of on-campus research and educational activities, we want to emphasize that the health and safety of every member of the University Community is our utmost priority. In support of this common goal, Environmental Health and Safety and the Office of Research Safety have developed training programs designed to inform you of COVID-19-related resources available to you and to provide you with the latest public health information available to us.

Two training sessions have been developed:

1. Environmental Health and Safety: *COVID-19 General Safety Training* is designed to inform staff, faculty and students of UChicago policies related to compliance with COVID-19-related public health requirements outside of the research environment;
2. Office of Research Safety: *COVID-19 Controlled Resumption of Research Activities* is designed to inform staff, faculty and students of UChicago policies related to compliance with COVID-19-related public health recommendations in a laboratory or other research environment.

Both of these courses can be found at the University of Chicago *Environmental Health and Safety Assistant (EHSA)* learning management system at: <https://ehsa.uchicago.edu/training>

In addition to this training, you will be asked to complete an *attestation* before returning to campus. This *attestation* can be found at: <https://covid19attestation.uchicago.edu/>

Please do not hesitate to reach out to either EHS or ORS at the email addresses listed below with questions or concerns.

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Welcome back to UChicago! Be safe, and be well!

Krista and Joe

Sincerely,

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