



March 13, 2020

10:00 a.m.

Brescia has cancelled all classes and labs today and will align with Western's decision to cancel classes Monday, March 16th and Tuesday, March 17th to provide time for our faculty and instructors to shift to online learning for the remainder of the semester. This includes cancellation of all classes, labs and exams including make-up exams.

On Wednesday, March 18th and for the rest of the term, Brescia will move to online learning. Additional information will be shared as decisions are made, including the outcome of final exams.

Brescia operations remain open and campus services continue to run as usual. Residence remains open; our staff are working around the clock to keep our spaces exceptionally safe and clean. The Beryl Ivey Library, Mercato and other service offices such as The Hive, all remain open.

Brescia will follow Western's policy on cancelling or postponing non-compulsory/discretionary events with a projected attendance of fifty people or more. This will remain in effect up until April 30th and will be reviewed at that point in time. On-campus events that anticipate less than fifty attendees will be up to the individual event organizer to confirm.

We appreciate your continued efforts in supporting our community members as we navigate uncertain times.

Sincerely,

Susan Mumm, D. Phil, FRHistS