

**Subject:** COVID-19 - Updated Travel Advisory for Academic and Non-Academic Activities

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Dear Sheridan Community,

Upon reviewing and assessing public health information and updates from local, provincial, national and global health experts that advise against all nonessential travel to areas affected by COVID-19, Sheridan has suspended all travel, effective immediately, for both academic and non-academic activities to the following areas until, at a minimum, September 2020:

- China
- Hong Kong
- Japan
- Iran
- Italy
- South Korea
- Singapore

Students, faculty and staff are encouraged to visit Sheridan's [Coronavirus webpage](#) for links to relevant health information.

Travellers who have returned from Hubei province, including Wuhan City, should:

- contact their [local public health unit](#) within 24 hours of arriving in Canada
- **stay at home and avoid close contact with others, including those in their home**, for a total of 14 days from the date they left Hubei province
- contact Telehealth Ontario at [1-866-797-0000](tel:1-866-797-0000) or their [local public health unit](#) if they experience symptoms of the 2019 novel coronavirus

Travellers who have returned from areas under a travel health advisory for COVID-19 should:

- monitor themselves for symptoms of the 2019 novel coronavirus for 14 days after leaving the affected area
- contact Telehealth Ontario at [1-866-797-0000](tel:1-866-797-0000) or their [local public health unit](#) if they experience symptoms of the 2019 novel coronavirus

Learn about [travel advisories](#) related to the 2019 novel coronavirus.

Individuals who are required to self-isolate should contact their managers or Faculty as soon as possible.

As always, the safety and well-being of the entire Sheridan community is our highest priority. We are continually monitoring this situation and will update the list of countries for which travel has been suspended as required.

Thank you,

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