



University of California, Merced
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August 26, 2021

CAMPUS RESILIENCY OFFICER, ANDREW BOYD

RE: Delegation of Authority (DA) – Act as Campus Resiliency Officer to Execute Chancellor and Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost (EVC/P) Decisions Related to COVID-19 and Campus Reopening Plans through FY 2021-2022

The Chancellor and EVC/P are responsible for making campus decisions and approving action plans and procedures of campus re-opening plans and COVID-19 committees. As Chancellor and pursuant to the authority delegated to me, I designate you as UC Merced's Campus Resiliency Officer with the following responsibilities through FY 21-22:

- Serve as UC Merced's Point of Contact with UCOP to address how our campus is meeting the UCOP consensus standards for reopening
- Coordinate development and promulgation of campus-wide risk mitigation plans for research restart, instruction, residential living, and employee return including:
 - Coordinating and cross-linking work of the various workgroups to ensure that decisions and actions are made in a timely and effective manner.
 - Developing and executing communication plans in conjunction with others to ensure targeted audiences receive timely, accurate and meaningful information about campus plans and actions.
- Ensure functional areas are appropriately monitoring risks of outbreaks
 - Escalate risks to campus leadership and in consultation with subject matter experts, propose recommendations for responsive actions
- Execute Chancellor/EVCP decisions with authority to compel campus leadership to develop and execute implementation plans for reopening and escalate issues where appropriate
- This delegation is subject to all other University and Merced Campus policies and procedures.
- Source of Authority: **Board of Regents Standing Order 100.6: Duties of the Chancellor**
- This authority may not be re-delegated by you.

This Delegation extends the authority delegated to you in UCM DA 197

Sincerely,

Juan Sánchez Muñoz
Chancellor

cc: Campus Senior Leadership
Director, Ethics and Compliance, Viola Kinsman