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Will Single Dorm Rooms Be Enough to Ensure Safe Campus Housing This Fall? - It may not be enough to prevent outbreaks & could eat away at revenue.

Will the Pandemic Blow Up College in America? - Campus higher ed will survive but there are a few lessons it could stand to learn.

This May be the Worst Season of Summer Melt in Memory. Here’s How Some Colleges Are Fighting It. - Pandemic risks derailing students of color, hurting their prospects and colleges’ bottom lines.

Another Revenue Hit For Colleges: Canceled Summer Camps

Stay Apart or Stay Home - Colleges are implementing social contracts or making addenda to code of conduct policies requiring students to abide by social distancing guidelines.

Can Colleges Enforce Rules Designed to Prevent Coronavirus Spread? - It’s not clear what colleges can do if students and staff don’t comply.

Higher Education Needs Antifascism Now - There is no neutrality with respect to the resurgent populist authoritarianism.

Insurance Costs On the Rise for Colleges - As insurance policies are renewed, colleges may face steep price increases due to pandemic, natural disasters, sexual misconduct and athletics scandals.

Free Community College Moves Forward in Connecticut - Officials were determined to keep promise to start a program, even dipping into college system’s reserves to do so.

3 Colleges to Acquire U of Bridgeport - Result will be a “university park” concept, where students from several universities study, eat, live, and work together.

Dartmouth News

Milestone for Center for Engineering and Computer Science - Major expansion of technology, teaching, & research on target to open in fall 2021.

Professor Delmont Named Special Advisor to President Hanlon - Delmont will work with senior leaders on faculty equity, diversity, & inclusivity.

Dartmouth Announces Changes to Varsity Athletics Program - Number of varsity athletics teams reduced from 35 to 30.

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