Higher Education News

Spring Enrollment Keeps Slipping - Undergraduate enrollment fell by 4.5%.

Tracking how the coronavirus is impacting colleges - From online learning to financial considerations

New Pandemic Relief Package Contains $40 Billion for Higher Education - Congress passed ARPA, containing relief aid for post-secondary institutions.

A Year of Remote Teaching: the Good, the Bad, and the Next Steps - How can academe make best use of the faculty’s vast new capacity to teach with technology?

Colleges Weigh Whether to Require Covid-19 Vaccines, or Just Urge Them

The Cost of Insuring Colleges Continues to Rise. And Covid’s Not the Reason - Data breaches and sexual abuse are two of the biggest risks.

What Higher Education Has Endured for the Past Year - 3.6% drop in undergraduates enrollment in the fall of 2020.

Colleges cut sports to save money amid the pandemic. Then came the Title IX lawsuits - Experts expect more lawsuits as colleges continue to cut sports.

Pandemic compounds swelling campus maintenance backlogs - The share of campus buildings that need renovations has continued to rise

What the Biden administration can learn from New Jersey about free community college - New Jersey Gov. will sign into law a tuition-free community college program

Colleges a ‘Juicy Target’ for Cyberextortion - Cybercriminals using ransomware increasingly focus on colleges and universities.

Do Top Colleges Favor Applicants Who Are Extremely Wealthy? - 29% of students at Brown and Dartmouth are from private high schools

Higher Education Systems and the Big Re-think - Public university systems are now distinctly poised to leverage the assets of their campuses
Moody’s Raises Higher Ed Outlook to Stable
- raised its outlook from negative to stable

New Data Highlight Disparities In Students Learning In Person - The U.S. Education Department has released the first in a series of school surveys.

Zoom Fatigue: The Differing Impact on Introverts and Extroverts - Video tools take a toll on both kinds of personalities

Rice University Will Grow Undergrad Student Body 20% by 2025

Ivy+ News
Brown launches sustainability strategic plan to confront urgent environmental challenges

$5M Mastercard grant funds diversity at Weill Cornell

Atkinsons’ $30M gift to name multidisciplinary building (Cornell)

Harvard creates Office for Gender Equity - New unit, to be led by Nicole Merhill, merges OSAPR and Title IX Office

Bloomberg to Give Harvard $150 Million for Program for Mayors - a program designed to help mayors around the world.

Stanford part of national effort to support underrepresented minorities

Yale creating carbon capture research center with $100M donation from FedEx

Regional News
New Hampshire lawmakers scrap governor’s merger plan — for now - Instead, the lawmakers proposed a commission to study a potential merger.

Becker College Will Close - The Massachusetts college will wind down operations

Dartmouth News
Trustees Discuss Diversity, Set Budget and Tuition - The board met incoming Senior Vice President/Senior Diversity Officer.

What's in a Name? Dartmouth's Three Newest Departments - Native American studies, environmental studies, and linguistics are now departments.

New Fund Will Support Critical Infrastructure Upgrades - The fund allows Dartmouth to project balanced budgets for the next decade.