Dear Members of the LIU Community,

The University has been notified that a member of the LIU community, whose office is in Pell Hall/Life Sciences at LIU Post, was confirmed by the Nassau County Department of Health as testing positive for the coronavirus (COVID-19). This employee is safe at home recovering under medical guidance. Upon consultation with and recommendation from the Department of Health, community members who have been in this location within the last seven days are advised to self-monitor for any of the following symptoms - fever, cough, and/or shortness of breath.

The University has been and will continue to follow all Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommendations for cleaning and disinfecting this building. Pell Hall/Life Sciences has been closed, and is scheduled for reopening on Friday, March 13, 2020. During this closure, the building will be disinfected in accordance with guidelines set forth by the authorities.

We have been further advised by the Department of Health that the LIU Post campus should continue to remain open. Employees with offices in Pell Hall/Life Sciences should contact their immediate supervisor to determine where to report tomorrow. We will continue to move forward with online instruction as planned effective March 16, 2020, following spring break.

Please visit the University’s coronavirus website (https://liu.edu/coronavirus) for updates and recommended measures for the health and safety of our community.

Sincerely,

Lisa Araujo
Chief Human Resources Officer