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Greetings from Fuller Theological Seminary.

Recently, President Labberton posted an update regarding the sale of the Pasadena campus and planned relocation to Pomona on the Quad (<http://quad.fuller.edu/2019/08/recent-changes-and-what-they-mean/>).

Regardless of the ultimate decision on Fuller's next steps, which will be made at the October Board meeting, we want you to know that the entire Fuller community is committed and ready to serve you as you progress in your theological, missiological, and psychological studies—both on campus and online.

In this season of change at Fuller, we understand that you may have questions or concerns about how these changes may impact you. We invite you to share these with your advisor. While our teams do not yet have all of the answers to every question, we commit to walking alongside you in discerning your educational journey at Fuller.

At the same time, we want to reaffirm our commitment to helping you succeed at Fuller and highlight resources and some exciting new additions coming to Fuller this fall.

- The new **Welcome Center and Student Service Desk**, located in Student Service Center at the Pasadena campus, which supports the offices of Admissions, Advising, Student Financial Services, and the Registrar, launched this summer. It will also be accessible to students around the world via phone calls, emails, and chats on a new webpage launching later this month on Fuller.edu. As successive Welcome Center phases roll out through academic year '19-'20, we look forward to serving Korean and Spanish speaking students alongside the Korean Studies Center and Centro Latino.
- Fuller's Academic Programs Office and the Dean's Offices have created a re-designed **course schedule** for you, filled with many opportunities to reach your academic and vocational goals in the upcoming year. Please make sure to visit the class schedule (<http://schedule.fuller.edu/class-schedules/#/>) for an updated list of options in Fall '19 and beyond. Please note: students in several doctoral programs will continue to receive class schedules from their respective program offices.
- This academic year we welcome two **new faculty members** to Fuller. Vince Bantu (<http://quad.fuller.edu/2019/05/vince-bantu-named-assistant-professor-of-church-history-and-black-church-studies/>) has been named Assistant Professor

of Church History and Black Church Studies, and Dwight Radcliff (<http://quad.fuller.edu/2019/06/dwight-radcliff-named-assistant-professor-of-mission-theology-and-culture-and-director-of-the-william-e-pannell-center-for-african-american-church-studies/>) has been named as Assistant Professor of Mission, Theology, and Culture and Director of the William E. Pannell Center for African American Church Studies. We are grateful for the expertise and gifts these two dynamic faculty members will contribute to our community.

- **Student Housing in Pasadena:** For those who choose to study in Pasadena, Fuller's Housing Office is committed to partner with you to make a plan for your housing needs. For more information about current and available housing options, please visit (<https://www.fuller.edu/offices/housing/>) or call 626-584-5445.
- The **Fuller Student Council (FSC)** is in the process of scheduling a Student Town Hall meeting to discuss President Labberton's announcement on the Quad (<http://quad.fuller.edu/2019/08/recent-changes-and-what-they-mean/>) and its implications for new and current students. Keep an eye out for a post on the Quad announcing the date and time.

Whether you are just beginning your journey at Fuller or are nearing the finish line, we hope this message is an encouragement to you, and will be in touch with another update after the October Board meeting.

Please let us know if there are ways we can continue to support you as you prepare for fall.

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