

STUDENT AFFAIRS

Associate Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs and Dean of Students

April 28, 2024

[REDACTED]
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Re: Temporary Suspension

[REDACTED],

I have received information from the Washington University Police Department that you allegedly participated in a protest on the afternoon and evening of April 27, 2024 on the Danforth Campus. Protesters marched to Olin Library and began setting up tents outside of Olin Library without authorization. They had multiple wagons filled with supplies and food to establish an encampment. When told to disperse, protesters moved to Tisch Park and again set up tents without authorization to establish an encampment. You were allegedly part of this group of protesters and were given numerous warnings to disperse and offered the opportunity to leave Tisch Park, but you did not leave. These allegations are concerning and, if true, they would violate our University Student Conduct Code.

By authority granted by the University Student Conduct Code Section X.A., I must notify you that you are temporarily suspended from Washington University.

Your continued presence on campus poses a substantial threat to the ability of faculty and other students to continue their normal University functions and activities. The reported behavior is of serious concern to the University. **Effective immediately, you are no longer permitted on campus.**

The terms of this temporary suspension, which takes effect immediately, are as follows:

1. You are prohibited from being present on any Washington University campus or any University leased or owned property, including but not limited to the Danforth Campus, any Residential Life-managed on and off-campus residence halls and apartments, and the Danforth University Center and the Athletic Complex. If you are found in violation of these expectations, you will be physically removed from campus and subject to arrest by Washington University Police. If you wish to be present on campus for any reason, you must seek prior approval from me.
2. You are prohibited from participating in any University activities, including being present on campus to complete academic coursework. You may complete your coursework and finals remotely, if your professors permit you to do so. You are not permitted to participate in student organizations that you may belong to.
3. If you wish to meet with me under Section X D. to discuss this temporary suspension, you should do so within five business days from receiving this notice. Please call my office at 314-935-4526 to make an appointment via Zoom or by phone. You may also email me at rob.wild@wustl.edu to request a meeting.
4. Consistent with Section X E. of the Code, you will receive a statement of student conduct charges within ten calendar days of your receipt of this letter.

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5. Your temporary suspension will remain effective until the pending student conduct matter is resolved.

I understand that the news of this temporary suspension may be upsetting to you. If you would like to speak with a counselor to help process this information, please let me know and I can help connect you to a counselor who could meet with you as soon as possible. You are also welcome to contact Habib Health and Wellness Center directly at 314-935-6695 or you can contact a counselor through our telehealth service, Timely Care. For 24/7 student access to free medical and mental health support through Timely Care, download the Timely Care app at: <https://timely.md/schools/index.html?school=wustl&> .

Please let me know if you have any additional questions.

Sincerely,



Robert M. Wild
Associate Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs & Dean of Students

cc:

Angela Counce, Chief of Police, Washington University Police Department
Nicole Gore, Associate Dean, Office of Student Conduct and Community Standards