



Stay up-to-date with the latest FIU COVID-19 updates at [repopulation.fiu.edu](https://repopulation.fiu.edu).

### Nominate Your Colleagues: 2021 Recognition Awards



There are only 7 weeks left to nominate your peers for the 2021 FIU Recognition Awards!

Make sure to leverage this opportunity to nominate and recognize exceptional colleagues and teams that have performed above and beyond to advance our university's mission.

To learn more about this year's award categories, visit our [nominations site](#).

Nominations are currently being accepted online until Sunday, January 31, 2021 at 11:59pm. [Nominate someone today!](#)

**Questions? Contact [HR Relations](#) at 305-348-0101.**

### President's Holiday Toy Drive



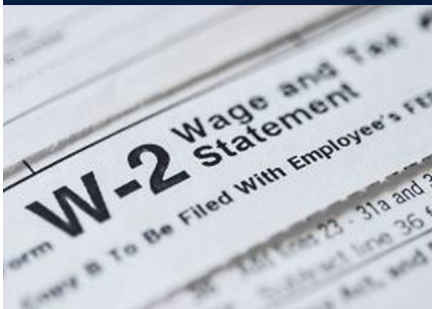
Our university community spread some holiday cheer in a big way! Thank you to all those who participated in this year's President's Holiday Toy Drive. Because of you, we are able to make a world of difference to children in our community this holiday season.

Participated in the toy drive? Be sure to tune in to our [Facebook](#) live on Friday, December 18 at noon for the chance drawing of incredible door prizes!

If you were unable to join us for the toy drive-thru, take a look at all the fun by visiting the [event gallery](#). In addition, visit our [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) to vote for the most spirited decorated car from now until Thursday, December 17.

**Questions? Contact [HR Relations](#) at 305-348-0101.**

### Consent to Receive Your W-2 Online



Consent to receive your 2020 Electronic W-2 Wage and Tax Statement online.

Those who consent will be able to review their 2020 form electronically beginning Friday, January 15, 2021. For more instructions on how to consent, please [click here](#).

**Questions? Contact the [Division of Human Resources](#) at 305-348-2181.**

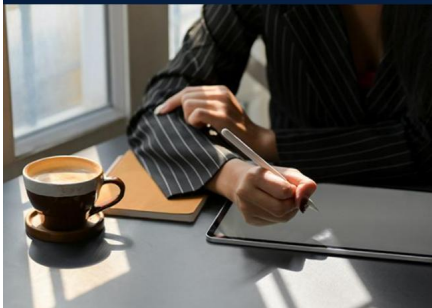
### FIU Coronavirus Updates



Aligned with our core values, the well-being of our university community is of the utmost importance. We're in this together!

As FIU continues to monitor coronavirus developments, make sure to stay up-to-date with the latest information available via [repopulation.fiu.edu](https://repopulation.fiu.edu).

### Professional Development



Looking for professional development learning opportunities? Check out workshops that include:

**Kognito**

- [Visit Kognito](#) and enroll in the At Risk

### Next Is Now Spotlight



Check out this week's [Next is Now Professional Development Spotlight](#). Courses are available via LinkedIn Learning.

Don't forget to [visit our website](#) for

course for faculty/staff to learn how you can lead real-life conversations that change lives.

#### Panthers Protecting Panthers Safety Course

- To access the course, visit [develop.fiu.edu](https://develop.fiu.edu), log in using your FIU credentials and the course will be in your dashboard. If needed, [click here](#) for login instructions.

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Stay up-to-date with [important benefits updates](#) including:

- Health Insurance Tax Forms 1095-C
- Medical Flexible Spending Accounts for Plan Year 2020
- Last Chance!* Voluntary Group Whole Life Insurance

Questions? Contact [Benefits Administration](#) at 305-348-2181.



Don't forget to visit the [FIU Calendar](#) for upcoming events and even more professional development opportunities that include, but are not limited to:

- NEW!** [Miami Art Week 2020](#)
- [Parent Club](#)
- [Baptist Health Virtual Classes](#)

Have a virtual event you'd like to share? Make sure you fill out the [event submission form](#) for your event to be featured on the FIU calendar.

Questions? Contact [calendar@fiu.edu](mailto:calendar@fiu.edu).

#### Did You Know? Introducing Wayki's Salon



additional Next is Now recommended courses.

Questions? Contact [Talent Acquisition and Management](#) at 305-348-3206.



Take advantage of these savings! Check out [new discounts and promotions](#) that include:

- T-Mobile
- Carrabba's Italian Grill
- Jet Gift Baskets
- Tickets-At-Work

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Whether you're interested in a career in advertising, public relations, international business, or digital media, FIU's full online Global Strategic Communications (GSC) is for you.

This program will give you a global perspective in strategic communications and prepares graduates to be socially responsible leaders and innovators at the highest levels of corporate, government and non-profit organizations.

Applications are now being accepted for Spring 2021 and Fall 2021. [Learn more today!](#)

Questions? Contact [gsc@fiu.edu](mailto:gsc@fiu.edu).

For decades, Santi's Salon has been a steady go-to for loyal FIU students and employees. This Spring promises new, refreshed offerings as Santi's is now Wayki's.

Waykin Perez, a beloved Santi's hairdresser for over two decades is now the owner of the salon proudly bearing her name. For a closer look at her story, [click here](#).

Questions? Contact [shopFIU](#) at 305-348-2187.

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