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Subject: IMPORTANT Guidance for BME Graduate Students and Post Docs
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Hi,

I am writing to let you know that our BME Department has a **Coronavirus Leadership Team**, which includes Fred, Crystal, Shannon, Henry, and me. We meet daily, and we have been working hard to plan and initiate a process for communicating information effectively and efficiently across all aspects of our Department.

Hence, we have created this Google Doc especially for you – our Grad Students and Post Docs -- which includes essential information for you that will help you make decisions about how to proceed with your work and training in the upcoming weeks, so please read this ASAP:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1CHiOA1Zac-aO1CT_-mTmaapFdl1RcxTuWb13u8D9LBU/edit?usp=sharing

Also, all Grad Students and Post Docs should post your questions on the last page (where indicated) so that we can streamline our communication.

Thanks,
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