



POLITICAL SCIENCE PROGRAM HOSTING VIRTUAL CHECK-IN FOR STUDENTS AND RECENT GRADS AMID THE GLOBAL UNREST AND PROTESTS

The private forum will provide a safe space to talk about political issues and peaceful protests.

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PRAIRIE VIEW, Texas – Several political science professors are coming together to hold a Summer 2020 “Teach In” for students, recent graduates, and alumni of the Political Science Program at Prairie View A&M University.

With the global protests and demonstrations following the murder of George Floyd at the hands of Minneapolis police officers, ongoing tensions in Louisville, Kentucky after deadly police-involved shootings, and the approaching fifth anniversary of the death of PVAMU graduate Sandra Bland, Michael Nojeim, Ph.D., Professor and Program Coordinator for Political Science, said the faculty wanted to create a platform for students to check-in with them, and a way for faculty to assist or just listen.

“We hope to provide a space to talk, organize, or just discuss recent events. Faculty will provide initial commentary and then we will open up the floor for your questions, concerns, or ideas,” Nojeim said.

The Summer 2020 Check In/“Teach in” is Thursday, June 4, 2020, at 6:00 PM CST. Students and alumni wishing to join the private session should email a request to nswright@pvamu.edu.

For more information, contact Michael J. Nojeim, Ph.D., Professor and Program Coordinator, by telephone (936) 261-3213 or email: mjnojeim@pvamu.edu.

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