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NEWS FROM THE PROVOST

Dear Colleagues,

Today, the campus will close for winter break. I hope that the next week brings you so many wonderful moments of rest and relaxation, of connecting with loved ones, of good food and drink, of safe and on-time travels, and more!

This is a time of reflection and preparation for me, and if it is for you, as well, I share some resources:

- An article, "Nonconformists Embrace Play as a Tool for Teaching and Learning," from Inside Higher Ed
- A podcast, "How do I know what my future self wants?" from How to Be a Better Human (TED Audio Collective)
- The Start of Semester Memo

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Happy Holidays!

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Important Dates and Deadlines to Note

- Thank you for getting final grades in on time! Dean's List, probation, suspension, and restricted activity letters will go out today.
- Monday, January 8, 8:00 a.m.: Spring classes begin and Faculty Annual Reports are due.
- Monday, January 15: **Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday**, campus closed.
- **January 15-19: Dream Week**. Events and information forthcoming.
- Wednesday, January 17 at noon in the **White Room: Open faculty discussion on draft course time periods**. Participants are welcome to grab lunch from the cafe compliments of the Provost's Office. Please try to be ready for discussion at noon to allow broad participation and input.
- Friday, January 19-Saturday, January 20: **Scholar's Weekend**.
- **February 1: Faculty and Faculty-Student Research Award** applications due.

For fun...from the Provost's Holiday Open House

It was just great to see you at the Open House! Thank you for bringing and sharing your celebratory spirit!



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