**TO THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY**

On March 13, the academic community was informed that all face-to-face teaching activities would be suspended until April 9. Transition to digital platforms started immediately and has been successfully completed across all *campi*.

In view of the evolution of the COVID-19 situation and the announced maintenance of the closure of schools by the Government, at least until the 4th of May, and in order not to cause renewed disruption in the last month of regular academic activity, face-to-face teaching shall not be resumed till the end of the semester.

At the end of April, UCP will evaluate whether other services and face-to-face activities may be resumed on the campuses. At that point, the Rector and the Deans shall decide on the possibility of conducting the final evaluations on prem. This shall take into account the needs of each campus and the pedagogical model enforced at each academic unit.

Lisbon, April 9, 2020

The Rector