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### *Hurricane Gustav Emergency Preparedness information from Southern University at New Orleans*

NEW ORLEANS, LA – Classes at Southern University at New Orleans (SUNO) will cease at 12 noon on Friday, August 29<sup>th</sup> in anticipation of the threat of Hurricane Gustav. University personnel, however, will continue regular business hours through 5 p.m. on Friday.

SUNO will reopen the campus on Thursday, September 4<sup>th</sup>. All University personnel and students should monitor media outlets in the event of any changes.

**Students will resume classes via Blackboard on Tuesday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>.** Students should access the system in order to view their syllabi and class assignments.

Administrators, faculty, staff and students should monitor University updates via SUNO's web site at [www.suno.edu](http://www.suno.edu). In case the main website is compromised users can log on to the University's back-up web site [www.sunoonline.com](http://www.sunoonline.com).

The University also strongly encourages all students and personnel with mobile devices to sign up for the ClearTXT text messaging emergency system at [www.suno.edu](http://www.suno.edu).

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