

Department of Physics and Astronomy access to Physics, Van de Graaff, and ESS

Main University resources for are found at [“Coming Back Safe and Strong”](#).

1. Working on Campus:

The building is open for limited operation under SBU and NY state policies. Operations include:

- Teaching: In person classes are held on the plaza level and in person instructional labs are on A and B level.
- Research: Research operation will continue under an approved “Return to Research Phase II to IIV” plans that is signed by you, by the faculty who submitted the plan, and by the department chair. Faculty can now submit plans for Research Phase IV.
- Other work at the department: All faculty and staff employed by the Department of Physics and Astronomy and graduate students with office space assigned for 20/21 are authorized to work in their offices in the Physics Building.

Department members approved to work regularly at the department are listed here:

- [List by Name](#)
- [List by Building and Floor](#)

If you are not on the above list you may schedule a visit to the department with the building manager of your building, you will need to follow the corresponding Building Plan (see below). Contact the building manager 24 hours in advance

- Physics, Van de Graaff, and Math: Richard.Bersack@stonybrook.edu
- ESS: Owen.Evans@stonybrook.edu

2. Before coming to campus:

- If you are coming to campus to do research, make sure you are familiar with the “Return to Research” plan of your group that you signed.
- Be familiar with the “Building Plan” for your building:
 - [Physics and Van de Graaff](#)
 - [ESS](#)
- Complete mandatory return to work training:
 - SBU employees access the training through SOLAR
>For Employees >Learning & Development >Return To Work Training
Use the password “employeesback” to access and watch the video
Check the completion box and hit save to complete the training.
 - Here is the link to the training for [Non SBU employees](#).
- Complete the mandatory Health Screening Form every day before you come to campus:
 - For all SBU employees: use the SBU app which can be accessed either through your [browser](#) or through the [cell phone app](#) !
 - Non SBU Employees: use the paper [form](#), and follow instructions on the form. You can make alternate arrangements with your PI to record health screening.
- **DO NOT come to campus if you do not pass the health screening!**

3. On Campus:

- Within your Lab or office follow your groups "Return to Research" Plan.
- In common spaces follow the "Building Plan" for your building.
- **Always observe social distancing where possible and wear a face mask at all times in common spaces!**