STANLEY, ASMSU, ISA HOST WEBINAR REGARDING I.C.E. REGULATIONS

EAST LANSING, MI — The Associated Students of Michigan State University and the International Student Association announced a virtual webinar with President Stanley to address new U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement regulations.

“This webinar is paramount because in moments of despair, the decentralization of information must be a priority,” said Abii-Tah Bih, ASMSU President. “Instead of serving as the megaphone for the student voice, this platform will permit international students to speak for themselves and to receive firsthand reassurance from the president of their university.”

The webinar will take place on July 15, 2020 at 3 P.M. EDT using Zoom. A link will be posted to ASMSU social media channels Wednesday morning for students to sign-up for the webinar. Additionally, students are encouraged to submit questions for President Stanley using a Google Form. Please note, questions regarding immigration should be directed to the Office of International Students and Scholars.

“International students need to hear from administrators to see what Michigan State University is doing for international students,” said Chittawan Boonsitanon, ISA President. “I hope that this will provide President Stanley an opportunity to reach out to international students and share the work that has been done for our community.”

Earlier this month I.C.E. released new regulations for international students. These regulations state students with F-1 and M-1 visas who are not taking any in-person courses in the United States must leave the country. As of July 13, 2020, MSU has joined 58 other institutions of higher education in filing an amicus brief in support of Harvard and MIT’s motion for a preliminary injunction on the new regulations.

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