Dear University Partners,

We at CISabroad are disappointed and saddened that President Trump announced yesterday his intention for the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program to expire in six months unless Congress intervenes.

We believe this decision is not only outright wrong, but also not in alignment with the values of international education, our higher education system, or our country.

We know that this means that if you have DACA students on campus, they are under a lot of stress.

Our colleague, Arelis Palacios of Georgetown University, kindly shared on SECUCCA that there are some resources, including:

- 1. DefendDACA.com
- 2. <u>Dreamers.fwd.us</u>
- 3. And how to contact your representatives and senators

We hope that in the coming months we can join with the higher education community to celebrate a replacement program. Until then, know that we are all in this together.

Kris Holloway, President

