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I. Financial Aid

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY (CT) INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FINANCIAL AID



Financial aid for international students is awarded on the basis of both exceptional qualifications and demonstrated need. In addition to the 11 Freeman Asian Scholars, we expect to provide financial assistance to approximately 15 international students from a pool of over 400 such applicants. Foreign students living outside the U.S. and applying for aid are required to file the Profile form of the College Scholarship Service (CSS).

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1c3Smfm>



THE COLLEGE OF SAINT ROSE (NY) UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION EXTENDED



Undergraduate application and full scholarship consideration has been extended to June 30, 2014 for Fall 2014 enrollment. Scholarships available up to \$20,000 (tuition is \$28,036).

Whether you are considering a degree in art, business, communications, criminal justice, education, music, psychology, forensic science, or any other of our 70 degree programs, we have the connections to help you connect your skills with real-world demands. At Saint Rose you will get individual attention from professors who recognize talent and know how to shape it.

Plus, you will love Albany, N.Y.—one of the smartest, most-driven places in the country.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1n49Xbn>



EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY (TN) INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ACADEMIC MERIT SCHOLARSHIP



The International Students Academic Merit Scholarship is available to all qualified new international students applying to East Tennessee State University at the undergraduate and graduate levels. The scholarship covers 50% of tuition. Students seeking undergraduate degrees or doctorate degrees can receive the award for 8 semesters. Recipients pursuing master's degrees can receive the award for 5 semesters. Recipients must be full-time, degree seeking students who have or plan to have an F-1 or J-1 student visa. Applicants must provide a demonstrated record of academic achievement. Students can apply for the scholarship online at ww.etsu.edu/iss. Students must complete an admissions application before applying to the scholarship. Students who wish to receive the scholarship during the Fall semester must apply for the scholarship by July 1st. Students who wish to receive the scholarship during the Spring semester must apply for the scholarship by October 1st.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/oMFjnV>



PACE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW (NY) OPENS NEW ROUND OF SCHOLARSHIPS

Pace University School of Law has opened a new round of scholarships for applicants to its Master of Laws (LLM) programs. Intended for applicants to the LLM in Environmental Law and the LLM in Comparative Legal Studies, these scholarships must be applied against 2014-2015 program tuition. Scholarships will be awarded based on academic and professional merits.

Pace Law School is known as a world leader in environmental law, international commercial law and international dispute resolution. Its campus is located in Westchester County, New York, between the natural beauty of the Hudson River Valley and the excitement of New York City.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1sNK8xW>

II. Campus News

THE MAXWELL SCHOOL AT SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY (NY) WASHINGTON SEMESTER PROGRAM

The Maxwell School's Washington Semester Program puts students in the midst of some of the most important institutions, processes, and policy makers in the world. Students in The College of Arts and Sciences prepare for the global workplace and for post-baccalaureate and professional programs through a contemporary liberal arts curriculum that focuses on interdisciplinary learning, research, service, and enterprise.



Offered in both fall and spring semesters, the Washington Semester Program is open to qualified undergraduates in any major whose GPA is at least 3.0. PSC 124 (or PSC 139) International Relations is strongly recommended, but not required. The 15-credit program consists of four courses and an internship, all offered in Washington, D.C. SU financial aid packages travel with you, and there is no need to transfer credits back to SU upon your return.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1nP430U>

CONSUL GENERAL OF THE BAHAMAS VISITS SOUTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY (SD)



Conch salad and bison burgers are not one's typical everyday menu items. But it's not every day that the consul general of the Bahamas pays a visit. Paulette Zonicle, Consul General of the Bahamas, has a taste for the unique and her visit to South Dakota State University did not disappoint. Zonicle recently visited the SDSU campus in an effort to extend collaboration and facilitate international exchange between the Bahamas and SDSU.

"South Dakota State University is an awesome opportunity for Bahamian students not only because of the competitive tuition and the size of the university, but also because of the quality of the education. It is ranked among the top universities in this part of the United States," Zonicle said. "For our students who are interested in engineering, agriculture, pharmaceutical sciences and nursing, this is a wonderful opportunity for them to come here. It is a smaller town and it is safe for our children. We are honored that the university has opened its doors for our students."

With more than 700 islands and close to 400,000 citizens, the Bahamas reports a growing number of students traveling to the U.S. for college, with students and parents seeking higher education at a good value. While at State, Zonicle met with several key administrators including Provost Laurie Nichols and President David L. Chicoine. "We would like to keep growing our international population and diversity is the key," said Chicoine while meeting with Zonicle. "We would like to provide diversity on campus and to provide students an opportunity to learn more from the Bahamas. What can be a better way than having more Bahamian students on our campus?" To bring her visit full circle, Zonicle spent an afternoon meeting six of the seven Bahamian SDSU students with a stop at the Dairy Bar to taste the famed Cookies 'n' Cream ice cream. "The good thing about South Dakota State University is that the price is right which can be very attractive to Bahamian students," Zonicle said. "We can't wait to get more students to learn about this institution."

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1gyveFJ>



THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY (OH) "ADVANCED ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE" COURSE ON ITUNES



The Ohio State University has 48 public courses and 24 public collections on iTunes U that have attracted 2.97 million browses and more than 2.3 million downloads since March 2012. Among the courses is "Advanced English as a Second Language" to help graduate students develop advanced skills in academic writing.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/TmrdhM>



STEP 5-PREPARE FOR YOUR DEPARTURE: PRE-DEPARTURE ORIENTATION



Studying in the United States is a memorable and rewarding experience—congratulations on taking this exciting step towards your future! In planning your move to the United States, you may want to ask for assistance from an EducationUSA Advising Center in your home country and from the international student adviser at your chosen U.S. college or university.

To help you get started take a look at this EdUSA Connects Session about "Pre-Departure Orientation":

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1jtK4Rk>



Contact an EducationUSA adviser near you for guidance on finding and applying to an accredited U.S. college or university.

EducationUSA.state.gov (Note: students must apply for financial aid directly with the institution listed)

An archive of these and other past financial aid and news announcements is available at EducationUSA.info/financial-aid

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