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I. Financial Aid

UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA (IA) ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR CULTURE AND INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP

The CIEP is now accepting applications for the Fall 2014 CIEP Tuition Scholarship. This scholarship is available to prospective CIEP students.

The scholarship will cover a maximum of 100% tuition for the Fall 1 and Fall 2 sessions (August 26 – December 19, 2014). Applications are due May 1, 2014.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/15JmLHy>



GEORGETOWN COLLEGE (KY) UNDERGRADUATE INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS STILL AVAILABLE

Undergraduate international scholarships still available! ALL international students are eligible to apply for merit, athletic and need-based scholarships.

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



SMITH COLLEGE'S (MA) AMERICAN COLLEGE IMMERSION PROGRAM OFFERING FOUR FULL-TUITION SCHOLARSHIPS TO FEMALE STUDENTS



Smith College's American College Immersion Program is offering four full-tuition scholarships to female students working with EducationUSA. Room and board, travel to campus, is NOT part of the scholarship. Please contact Sarah Craig at scraig@smith.edu if interested. The scholarships are valued at \$3,200, each. The program is open to students ages 16-21.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/YWsho9>



PITTSBURG STATE UNIVERSITY (KS) OFFERS NEW GLOBAL ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP



Pittsburg State
University

Pittsburg State University (Kansas) offers new \$16,000 "Global Achievement Scholarship" for international undergraduates

Pittsburg State University announces a new Global Achievement scholarship for undergraduate international students. The scholarship recipients will receive a \$2,000 tuition waiver each semester renewable up to 8 semesters, not exceeding \$16,000.

Freshman and transfer students are eligible to apply.

Deadline for the Fall 2014 semester is June 1, 2014, and for Spring 2015 is October 15, 2014.

Scholarship application details are available online:

<http://www.pittstate.edu/admission/information/international-student/scholarships.dot>

For additional information, contact Aaron Hurt at ahurt@pittstate.edu.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1cFJBu3>



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 www.etsu.edu/iss. Students must complete an admissions application before applying to the scholarship.

For more information, go to www.etsu.edu/iss. Students who wish to receive the scholarship during the Fall semester must apply by July 1st. Students who wish to receive the scholarship during the Spring semester must apply by October 1st.

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



II. Campus News

MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE (MA) CLASSROOM AND ONLINE SUMMER COURSES



Mount Holyoke College offers classroom and online summer courses to undergraduate and graduate students for academic credit as well as community members seeking professional development and personal enrichment. May 27–July 2 and July 8–August 13, 2014.

We are currently accepting applications for exciting courses such as, The Hunger Games, Social Psychology and Chinese Hollywood. Register now: www.mtholyoke.edu/go/page-courses
page@mtholyoke.edu

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1kNk7Oi>



SOUTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY (SD) HOSTS COLORFUL AFRICAN CULTURAL EVENT



24 African countries are represented on the South Dakota State University Campus. And on Feb. 16, the SDSU African Student Association showcased all of them at African Night, celebrating culture in spectacular color, song and dance.

Event performances included several dances and a drama of a traditional baby naming ceremony. There was also a tribute to Nelson Mandela as well as a presentation on the service-learning initiatives African students at SDSU have participated with and engineered. Attendees came in their native dress and showed off their style in a cultural and colorful fashion show.

Traditional foods like jollof rice, chapatti, waakye and fried rice, boforot and fried plantains were served, sending a heavenly aroma throughout the ballroom and offering a delicious experience for the taste buds. The event attracted over 400 people from the campus and community. To view more photos of Africa Night, visit www.facebook.com/sdsuinternational.

Admissions applications are now being accepted for fall semester which begins August 2014. The SDSU Office of International Affairs is the hub for international student services and undergraduate admissions, ESL programs, study abroad planning and community connections programs. For more information, visit www.sdstate.edu/international.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/14nwyXP>



CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES (CA) INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SESSION

California State University, Los Angeles is excited to offer a unique study abroad program this summer – International Summer Session. Students from all corners of the globe will have the opportunity to experience American culture and study alongside Cal State L.A. students in courses from our university catalog. More than 300 courses in over 50 academic disciplines are available to help students meet their academic, professional, and personal goals.

Cal State L.A.'s 175-acre urban campus is at the heart of the civic and cultural activities of California's largest city. Los Angeles has the distinction of being the entertainment capital of the world, putting it at the center of the film, TV, and music industries in addition to Pacific Rim economic and cultural activity. Two major freeways, several bus systems, and a commuter rail station located on campus grant students easy access to nearby mountains, beaches, museums, cultural centers as well as major sports centers.

Classes begin June 23, 2014.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1kJL4e>



ENROLLMENT PERIOD FOR 2014 SUMMER SESSION AT RUTGERS UNIVERSITY (NJ) BEGINS



The enrollment period for the 2014 Summer Session at Rutgers University has begun. Students may travel to Rutgers University nearby New York City to earn up to three credits in as little as three weeks this summer. Develop the skills, confidence and cultural awareness for success in the US. Enroll today!
For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/OmOUwW>



FREE MOOC "APPLYING TO U.S. UNIVERSITIES" FEATURING EDUCATIONUSA HAS BEGUN



"It depends." That is what you'll hear when asking about the U.S. university admission process. With over 4,000 universities in the United States and no standard application system, the U.S. admission process can be confusing for everyone, but especially for students applying from other countries.

This course will help international students (non-U.S. citizens) and non-native English speakers navigate the U.S. university admission process by offering practical information about the documents and pieces that make up a U.S. university application. More importantly, admission officers will discuss how they use those pieces to decide who is accepted and who is denied, so that you can understand the process beyond the pieces.

By the end of this course, you will understand application basics that include researching schools, creating a school list, and establishing an application plan. This course will not answer all of your application questions, but it will teach you to ask the right questions of yourself and the universities. Ultimately, you will have all the information you need to start your process the right way, putting you on the path to acceptance.

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



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)

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