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FULBRIGHT ÖSZTÖNDÍJ WEBINAR FEBRUÁR 24, SZERDA 17 ÓRA



A Fulbright Magyar-Amerikai Oktatási Csereprogram Bizottság örömmel hirdeti meg posztgraduális hallgatók, oktatók és kutatók számára a 2022-2023-as tanévre szóló ösztöndíjait.

Fulbright ösztöndíjra azok a magyar állampolgárok pályázhatnak, akik legkésőbb 2021. július 31-ig megszerzett felsőfokú végzettséggel, valamint megfelelő szintű angol

nyelvtudással rendelkeznek és az Egyesült Államokban szeretnének oktatni, kutatni, vagy továbbtanulni. Pályázni bármely tudományterületen és művészeti ágban lehet.

Az online tájékoztatón megismerhetik a pályázati feltételeket és korábbi Fulbright ösztöndíjasokat is lehet kérdezni a tapasztalataikról:

B. Horváth Judit ('19 kutató Marymount University)

Udvardi Anna ('19 VSR @Georgetown University)

További előadás időpontok: <http://www.fulbright.hu/tajekoztato-eloadasok/>

A webinarokon való részvétel ingyenes, de regisztrációhoz kötött. **Regisztrálni** az educationusa@fulbright.hu email címen lehet, visszaigazoláskor küldjük meg az online esemény linkjét.



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2021 Summer Pre-College Enrichment Virtual Programs: <https://www.summerstudyinusa.org/virtualstudentfairs/>

Upcoming FREE Virtual Test Prep Workshops

These workshops provide an overview of the tests and important test-taking strategies. The workshop leader is a native speaker of English who has advised and taught college writing and now teaches university-level courses in Hungary. She will be available to provide

assistance and feedback. Participants will also receive a pack of online resources for test-taking, vocabulary-building and essay-writing strategies to continue their study at home.

SAT Test Taking Strategies Workshop

February 23, Tuesday 15:30

TOEFL Test Taking Strategies Workshop

March 25, Thursday 15:30

GRE Test Taking Strategies Workshop

March 30, Tuesday 15:30

Writing Workshop

April 8, Thursday 15:30

A full schedule of our online workshops can be found on our website:

<http://www.fulbright.hu/test-preparation/>

<http://www.fulbright.hu/special-programs/>

Registration for the workshops is required, please send an email to: educationusa@fulbright.hu



Monday, February 15, was President's Day in the United States. Every February, we take a day to remember and celebrate the leaders of our country. The holiday first started in 1885 to mark the birthday of George Washington, the nation's first president.

Check out this [page](#) to learn more about this national holiday.

Scholarships and News

Scholarship Alert! Marquette University is offering three full-tuition scholarships for students with high academic achievement and diverse perspectives.

Apply to their Global Scholar award by March 1st → <http://bit.ly/2Ui2EFf>

Marquette University is a private Jesuit research university in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and enrolls nearly 9,000 undergraduate students.

Scholarship Alert! Valparaiso University is recognizing international students who have a vision for enchanting intercultural understanding through their You Are Welcome Here scholarship, covering a minimum of 50% tuition costs.

Apply by March 15th → <http://bit.ly/2ML280N>

Valparaiso University ("Valpo") is a private university in Valparaiso, Indiana. It is a Lutheran university with about 4,500 students from over 50 countries.

Scholarship Alert! Is law school in your future? The Loyola University Rule of Law for Development Program (PROLAW) prepares professionals to advance the rule of law throughout society and across sectors, at home and abroad. Loyola offers partial and full tuition awards.

Apply here by April 30th → <http://bit.ly/3ilMpuS>

Loyola Chicago is a private Jesuit research university in Chicago, Illinois. Founded in 1870, Loyola is one of the largest Catholic universities in the United States. Comprising eleven colleges and schools, Loyola offers over 80 undergraduate and 140 graduate/professional programs and enrolls approximately 17,000 students.



Are you familiar with the concept of ‘Greek Life’ and how it applies to colleges and universities in the United States?

Greek organizations on college campuses are fraternities and sororities, a unique aspect of U.S. higher education. Greek organizations are typically focused on developing leadership, philanthropy and community service and strong bonds among like-minded students. The organizations typically hold fundraisers and other fun activities. Joining a Greek organization can help break down barriers and allow international students to get the ‘full’ American college experience.

There are nine historically Black fraternities and sororities in the National Pan-Hellenic Council, sometimes referred to as “the Divine Nine”. Since the early 1900s, they have been part of historically Black colleges and universities’ (HBCU) campus life, providing Black college students a greater sense of community and shared identity as they pursued their education.

Learn more about the history of Historically Black fraternities and sororities [here](#).

Application Advice Corner

All about Financial Aid

What do international students need to know about financial aid? Our takeaway: it’s important to thoroughly research all available options! When in doubt, don’t hesitate to directly contact the schools you’re interested in for more information or reach out to one of your EducationUSA advisers for help. In the meantime, here are some general tips:

1. **Apply for Scholarships and Grants:** Many students find scholarship opportunities based on academic discipline, career goals, citizenship, and more. Check the school's website to see what they offer! (And take a look at the scholarship opportunities we advertise here, in every newsletter!)
2. **Apply for Loans:** While you won't be able to apply for any federal student loans, private loans are available. However, it's best to pay for as much of your education as possible using other resources to avoid high loan repayment rates.
3. **Work-study:** Many schools offer work-study or other part-time jobs that can offset living expenses. Review the regulations for your specific visa to determine whether you can work, what kind of work you can do, and how many hours a week you can do it.
4. **Start at a community college:** It's becoming increasingly popular for international students to attend a community college for the first two years of school, where classes are less expensive, and then transfer into a four-year institution.

"Don't look any further than your own reflection for a hero."

-Allyson Partridge

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