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FULBRIGHT ÖSZTÖNDÍJ WEBINAR ÁPRILIS 21, 17 ÓRA



Join a webinar for Hungarian university students and scholars to learn about the **Fulbright Scholarship and the application process**. Hear first-hand experiences and best practices from **Hungarian alumni** Mónika Varga (Researcher, Ohio State University - engineering) and Eszter Vilmos (Visiting Student Researcher, Columbia University - literature).

Event language: Hungarian

Date and time: April 21, Wednesday 5:00 PM

Sign up at educationusa@fulbright.hu

Learn more about the Fulbright Program [HERE](#).

Upcoming FREE Virtual Workshops

The virtual workshops offered by EducationUSA Hungary provide an overview of the tests and writing components required for admissions. 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, strategies and feedback during the upcoming test-prep and writing workshops. Participants will also receive a pack of online resources for test-taking, vocabulary-building and application strategies to continue their study at home.

SAT Workshop

April 20, Tuesday 15:30

GRE Workshop

April 22, Thursday 15:30

Writing Workshop

April 29, 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

NACAC Virtual College Fairs



NACAC*'s series of Virtual College Fairs continues with two remaining fairs in Spring 2021. Common App is thrilled to support these virtual events, designed to help students connect with college admission officers and ask important questions about the application process.

Each fair offers students the opportunity to watch college's Zoom presentations, ask questions via chat, and demonstrate interest - all without leaving home. Students can sign up for free at virtualcollegefairs.org

April 20: 3:00 – 7:00 pm ET

May 2: 1:00 – 7:00 pm ET

*The NACAC is the National Association for College Admissions Counseling.

KU Webinars for Students to Learn About Studying in the USA



The University of Kansas is a major research university and vibrant community with

students from over 100 countries around the world. KU offers hundreds of degree programs, English-language study, an affordable price, and one of the top 10 best college towns in the USA.

The university is offering free online webinars to international students in order to learn more about applying as an international student, as well as different KU programs.

You can register for the webinars with the following links:

Online Classes – International Webinar

Register for this webinar to learn how students can begin online at a special tuition rate and transition to on-campus classes later.

[Register for Webinar - April 15th | 8:00 a.m.](#)

Learn About the KU School of Business

[Register for Webinar - April 29th | 3:00 p.m.](#)

[Register for Webinar - May 27th | 3:00 p.m.](#)

Learn About KU School of Engineering

[Register for Webinar - April 20th | 8:00 a.m.](#)

[*Register for Webinar - May 4th | 3:00 p.m. *](#)

*(with Spanish-speaking representatives)

Scholarships and News

Scholarship Alert! Illinois College is offering two You Are Welcome Here scholarships to international students, covering at least 50% of annual tuition.

Illinois College is a private liberal arts college in Jacksonville, Illinois. It was founded in 1829 and has a student population of about 1,150.

Deadline for applications is **May 1, 2021**. Learn more here: <http://bit.ly/2MAciS2>

Scholarship Alert! The cost of college includes more than just tuition. That's why Black Hills State University is awarding select international students a free housing scholarship.

Black Hills State is a public university in Spearfish, South Dakota. Close to 4,000 students attend classes at its 123-acre campus in Spearfish, at sites in Rapid City and Pierre, and through distance learning offerings.

Deadline for applications is **May 1, 2021**. Learn more here: <http://bit.ly/3dZJa1N>



April is English Language Month! Want to brush up on your American English skills? Check out [American English at State](#), a resource center for learning about American English language and culture through videos, webinars, classes, and more!

Application Advice Corner

Interested in attending medical school? America has many options for you.



Consider these top tips:

Know where to apply – It is important to note that not all medical schools accept international students. Before you apply, make sure you have reviewed the admissions requirements for each school. Identify the institutions that accept international applicants and research their requirements.

Complete academic requirements - Almost all U.S. medical schools require that you have a bachelor's degree. Keep in mind that the American Medical College Application Service will not accept foreign education transcripts, verify them or calculate a grade point average. Because of this, almost all U.S. medical schools require international applicants to complete coursework in America before applying. Some require a year of U.S.-based coursework, while others ask that all medical school prerequisites be completed in the U.S. Before applying to U.S. medical schools, try to complete one to two years of university-level education at a four-year university in the U.S. (not a community college). A postbaccalaureate program or a graduate science program is also a good option and acceptable at many schools.

Gain clinical experience - American medical schools seek applicants who have developed an understanding of the medical profession by working in the clinical setting alongside physicians. They also look for applicants who have demonstrated a passion for service, especially to the underserved. It is a good idea to get started on these experiences before moving to the U.S., but it is absolutely crucial to continue these activities in America before applying to medical school. Participating in clinical and community-service based activities, for example, is a great way to demonstrate that you are familiar with the American health care system.

Hone your English for the MCAT - While your English proficiency will affect your medical school studies, it will also play a key role in how you perform on the [MCAT](#), which requires strong critical reading skills. For the MCAT Critical Analysis and Reasoning Skills and the Psychological, Social, and Biological Foundations of Behavior sections, you are expected to read, understand and analyze English text on a broad range of topics. Work hard to improve your language skills by taking courses in English writing and literature, reading books in English and expanding your communication skills.

You can learn more about applying for medical school in the U.S. [here](#).

“Discipline is just choosing between what you want now and what you want most.”

-Abraham Lincoln

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