

## EducationUSA NewsLetter - October 2016 Volume 2.

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#### The Official Education USA Newsletter

A weekly insight into current US Higher Education news and scholarships

Dear Readers,

Below you will find information about newly available scholarships, events related to graduate programs in law and international affairs, and of course more information about what's going on here at the EducationUSA Advising Center in Budapest.

We're almost into November. That means it's time to get serious about putting together college applications for Fall 2017 admission! Take advantage of upcoming SAT and TOEFL workshops and consider signing up for the Competitive College Club (more information below).

Make an appointment with Will Freeman, our Teaching Assistant, for feedback on essays and help with applications (you can email him at freeman@fulbright.hu)

As always, email us with any questions at educationusa@fulbright.hu

The campus of Colorado State University (featured below)



#### Upcoming Workshops

TOEFL Workshop: October 20, Thursday 2:00 - 5:00 pm

General Writing Workshop: October 27, Thursday 2:30 - 4:00 pm

More info on the full workshop schedule: http://www.fulbright.hu/test-preparation

As always, if you would like to attend, please contact us by phone (+36-1462-8050) or email (educationusa@fulbright.hu) in order to register.

#### **Schools in Focus**

Brandeis University (NEW SCHOLARSHIPS)

Boston, Massachusetts

Brandeis University, ranked 34<sup>th</sup> in the nation, is a small research university located in suburban Boston. Brandeis meets 100% of demonstrated financial need and provides round-trip airfare for highly accomplished international students who are admitted through the Wien International Scholarship Program. If you graduated from one of the United World Colleges and need financial assistance, you may also be eligible for a large scholarship. The application requires the TOEFL and the SAT or ACT, and operates through the common application system. Deadlines are November 1 for early decision and January 1 for regular decision. Learn more about how to apply on their website: http://bit.ly/1rWtnxg

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# **Upcoming Events**

## Online Graduate School Fair: International Affairs and Public Policy

November 16<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 19:00-21:00 GMT Participate online

The Association of Professional Schools of International Affairs—an extensive network of international affairs and public policy grad schools—is holding an online fair in mid-November. Register here to participate. You will have the chance to talk with admissions experts about Master's and mid-career degrees, financial aid, and other questions you may have, as well as the advantages of pursuing a graduate degree in international affairs or public policy. Representatives from top schools including Columbia, Duke, Georgetown, and Sciences Po's public policy schools, among others, will be there to provide more information.

## Fulbright Austria LLM (Master of Laws) Fair

November 9<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 16:00-18:00 GMT Amerika Haus Friedrich-Schmidt Platz 2, 1010 Vienna

Are you a law student or a lawyer? A Master of Laws (LLM) from the United States may be the ticket to jump-starting your career or taking it to the next level! Meet representatives from US law schools, learn about scholarships, and talk to alumni at this free EducationUSA event in Vienna on November 9. Learn more and register at fulbright at the program's webpage.

# Don't Miss It!

#### **EducationUSA Summer Academy**

Education USA Academy at **Lewis & Clark** is for high-intermediate to advanced international students interested in improving their academic English skills while learning what it means to be a leader. Topics include leadership, intercultural training, and the entrepreneurial mindset. Join Lewis & Clark, a small liberal arts campus with the vision to engage the next generation of global thinkers and leaders. Visit other schools and institutions and begin the process for applying to universities or colleges in the U.S. Explore the vibrant city of Portland and the natural beauty of Oregon on weekend trips.

Admission is very competitive and need-based financial aid is available. Students between 15 and 17 are eligible to apply. Find out more here. Applications due April 1, 2017.

The #edusaacademy at **Washington University in St. Louis** combines English language training with the exciting fields of science, technology, engineering, art, and math. Hands-on activities, labs, guest lectures, and tours will provide valuable academic and career experience. Students will also participate in a variety of college preparatory seminars and workshops including TOEFL preparation and writing the personal narrative. Students will live in WashU's top-ranked residence halls and enjoy a variety of social opportunities with high school students from across the United States and around the world. Learn more about the program and apply here: http://ow.ly/RNOL3057Hhl

#### **Reminder: Competitive College Club**

**Budapest**, Hungary

Next Meeting: October 25, Tuesday 3:30-4:30 pm

Education USA Advising Center (1082 Bp., Baross u. 62, 1st floor, Room 111)

The Fulbright EducationUSA Advising Center is relaunching its Competitive College Club and would like to invite high school students to join!

The Competitive College Club is an intensive results-oriented group advising program. It is designed to provide an appropriate skill-set for international students applying to U.S. institutions. Moreover, it will also prepare you for standardized tests, the American interactive classroom style and help build the extracurricular section of your college application.

If you would like to practice your English, meet likeminded students and have fun, join us! It is free of charge and accepts high school students in grades 9-12. Register by sending an email to educationusa@fulbright.hu or calling us at +36-1-462-8050.

#### Learn About More Financial Aid Opportunities

The EducationUSA website includes a list of many scholarships and fellowships that support both short and long-term undergraduate and graduate study in the U.S. View a full list here: http://bit.ly/1MmaHVY

We hope to see you at an upcoming test preparation workshop, writing workshop, or in an individual counseling session with our Fulbright ETA.

All the best,

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