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Opportunities (and Spring) Ahead

Dear Readers,

Did you know that you are most likely to qualify for a scholarship if you apply early to U.S. colleges and universities? That said, there are still several colleges that are accepting applications from international students and considering applicants for scholarships. Check out our "Schools in Focus" feature to learn more about schools where you could still study next fall.

If recent headlines about the U.S. travel ban have got you thinking U.S. colleges and universities might be unfriendly to international students, you should read beyond the headlines. This article from The Chronicle of Higher Education sums up what the travel ban means for international students, and this video from Central Washington University reminds you that you are still welcome to study in the U.S.

If you are interested in taking advantage of opportunities to intensively study business, medicine, or engineering this summer, or prepare for the college application process, check out our "Events and Opportunities" section.

As always, email or call us with any questions or to arrange a one-on-one consultation with our staff.

Upcoming Workshops

Take advantage of one of our many upcoming workshops on **essay writing** and **test preparation.** Prepare for the GRE with a seasoned test taker, practice for the TOEFL with a native English speaker, and get feedback on cover letters and application essays in progress:

GRE Workshop: Tuesday, February 14, 2:30-4:00pm

TOEFL Workshop: Thursday, February 16, 2:00-5:00pm

Writing Workshop: Tuesday, February 23, 2:30-4:00pm

**A full schedule is available on our website

** Email or call to register



"We were somewhere so far away from home yet we were so immersed in an international atmosphere."

Yuan Chai, Coe College

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Schools in Focus

1. Northern State University (NEW!)

Type: Small public university

Location: Aberdeen, South Dakota

Enrollment: 3,622 students

International Scholarships: Up to 12,000 USD per year scholarship for students who score over 30 on

the ACT. <u>Music scholarships</u> also available. **Application requirements:** ACT and GPA requirements vary for different scholarships. See website.

Deadline: March 1 for fall 2017 admission

**Find out more here.

2. Iowa State University

Type: Small private Christian liberal arts college

Location: Ames, lowa **Enrollment:** 3,660 students

International Scholarships: From 4,000 to 8,000 USD

per year, renewable

Scholarship requirements: Students who have demonstrated outstanding academic and community achievement, and who fill out this additional form, are

considered.

Deadline: March 1 for fall 2017 admission

**Learn more on their website.

3. Georgia College (NEW!)

Type: Medium-sized public liberal arts **Location:** Milledgeville, Georgia **Enrollment:** 6,230 students

International Scholarships: The college offers an international student scholarship that goes up to 18,000 USD per year. The scholarship application form is included in the general application.

Application requirements: TOEFL 79 or higher, SAT or

ACT required.

Deadline: April 1 for fall 2017 admission **Check out more info on applying here.

4. Coe College (NEW!)

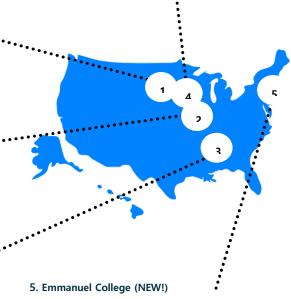
Type: Small private liberal arts Location: Cedar Rapids, Iowa Enrollment: 1,300 students

International Scholarships: Merit scholarships up to

26,000 USD per year.

Application requirements: Scholarship eligibility is based on SAT score and high school grades **Deadline:** March 1 for fall 2017 admission

**Read more about the application process here.



Type: Small private liberal arts **Location:** Boston, Massachusetts **Enrollment:** 2,500 students

International Scholarships: International students who apply before February 15 are automatically considered for a range of merit scholarships.

Application requirements: A full list of application materials can be found here. No SAT/ACT required! **Deadline: February 15** for fall 2017 admission.

**Learn more about how to apply online.

** Most Hungarians who emigrated to the U.S. arrived between 1890 and 1914.

Did You Know?

** The U.S. cities with the biggest Hungarian populiations are New York City, Los Angeles, Chicago, Cleveland, and Columbus, Ohio.

Events & Opportunities

Are you interested in studying civic engagement in the U.S. this summer or participating in a precollege program to prepare for applying to U.S. schools? Then read up on our tips on how to get involved.

Benjamin Franklin Transatlantic Fellows Summer Institute

When: Deadline to apply: March 10, Program: June-

Where: Wake Forest University, NC

What: This fully-funded, four-week summer program will enable teenagers, ages 16-18, to explore themes such as youth engagement, support for democracy and civil society, and economic prosperity through a series of lectures, seminar discussions and presentations, and a broad assortment of practical, faculty- and mentor-led workshops. Read more here.

University of Rochester Pre-College Summer Program

When: Deadline to apply: April 1, Program: Three

weeks in summer 2017

Where: University of Rochester, New York

What: Apply by April 1^s for this opportunity to take three-week-long intensive courses in business, engineering, or medicine, which will give you an introduction to what it's like to study on a U.S. campus. Learn more here.

EdUSA Summer Academy at Johns Hopkins University

When: Deadline: March 15, Program: July 2-22

Where: Baltimore, Maryland

What: Join college instructors and current students, as well as other international high schoolers, for a two-week program in July at Johns Hopkins University—one of America's best universities for science, technology and mathematics. Learn what it takes to get into a top U.S. college. Find out more here.

University of Pennsylvania's Massive Online Open Course, "How to Apply to College"

When: Starts February 13

Where: Online

What: "How to Apply to College" will empower learners of all backgrounds to demystify and better understand the college search and selection process, combining the expertise of an Ivy League admissions office and a leading college access and success

organization. Register online.

Do not follow where the path may lead. Go instead where there is no path and leave a trail.

Ralph Waldo Emerson



EDUCATIONUSA VISIT TO VESZPREM, HUNGARY