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CHESTNUT HILL COLLEGE (PA) MERIT BASED SCHOLARSHIPS

Located in Pennsylvania, Chestnut Hill College strives to provide students with not only an enriching and challenging academic environment, but also with an exciting social life, a healthy spiritual life and a well-rounded active life. The School of Undergraduate Studies provides abundant opportunities for international students to minimize the cost of their education. Academic scholarships and merit awards for international students range from \$5,000 - \$15,000 annually - a significant portion of the total cost of attendance.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/19uUTgm>



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COLUMBIA COLLEGE (MO) INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Founded in 1851, Columbia College has been helping students advance their lives through higher education for more than 150 years. As a private, non-profit, coeducational liberal arts and sciences college, the college takes pride in its small classes, experienced faculty and quality educational programs.

Columbia College has multiple automatic scholarships and grants to assist in making your education more affordable. To be eligible for any scholarships, students must meet minimum eligibility requirements and be attending the traditional day campus full time as a degree seeking student each semester.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1gRfU8a>



UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN SUPERIOR (WI) NON-RESIDENT TUITION WAIVER



Founded in 1893, the University of Wisconsin-Superior offers first-rate academic programs as part of the University of Wisconsin System, one of the largest and strongest public university systems in the United States.

With an average class size of 17 students, UW-Superior offers opportunities to engage and interact with professors who excel at preparing students for success. UW-Superior is located on the shore of Lake Superior in the city of Superior, Wisconsin, which is part of a safe, dynamic, medium-sized metropolitan area.

More than 90% of international students who qualify for admission to UW-Superior's undergraduate programs also qualify for Non-Resident Tuition Waiver (NTW) scholarships. NTW scholarships are worth \$5,600 to \$7,500 per year for up to four years. Applicants are automatically considered for an NTW scholarship as part of the admission process. Please direct questions to international@uwsuper.edu.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/H6RUR7>

MILLS COLLEGE (CA) INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Mills College has been setting the standard for quality in liberal arts education for more than 160 years. Historically a college for women only, Mills continues that proud tradition today on the undergraduate level. To provide enhanced professional opportunities for all students, Mills also offers renowned graduate programs open to both women and men.



Mills offers a variety of scholarships that recognize your academic record, scholastic achievement, demonstrated leadership ability, contributions to the community, or special interests and talents. All entering fall-term, full-time applicants who meet the academic or talent eligibility requirements will be considered for the scholarships listed below. There is no separate application form for these scholarships as it is the admission application that is reviewed for scholarship eligibility.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1dn7TYQ>



PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY (OR) MERIT BASED AWARDS

Located in the heart of Portland, Oregon, with arms that reach around the world, PSU is full of healthy paradoxes. Urban and green. Rigorous and supportive. Individualistic and inclusive. As a PSU student, you'll do more than fit in. You'll stand out. Wherever you're coming from, wherever you're headed, all roads lead through PSU.



The International Achievement Scholarship is awarded to approximately 30 incoming international undergraduate students on the basis of their academic achievement. Students who maintain high academic standing may receive renewed funding for up to four years.

Eligible students typically have entering grade point averages (GPA) of at least 3.5 out of a possible 4.0 grading scale.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1dn9E8I>



EDUCATIONUSA PRESENTS STEP 2 OF THE YOUR 5 STEPS TO U.S. STUDY WEBINAR SERIES

Join the EdUSA Connects Webinar Series, offered by EducationUSA, to hear directly from U.S. college and university representatives.



During November/December, the series will be focusing on Step 2: Complete Your Application. Application packages require a great deal of preparation and planning. In addition, application requirements can vary greatly from one institution to another. You will benefit by starting this process and applying early. Step 2 will feature informative webinars on the following topics:

- How Are Undergraduate Admission Decisions Made?
- What is Most Important To Know When Applying To U.S. Graduate Programs?
- How Should I Approach the Personal Statement/Essays?
- What Does Conditional Admissions Mean?
- How Do U.S. Colleges Evaluate My Academic Credentials?

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1acg3BZ>



ASHLAND UNIVERSITY (OH) LOWERS UNDERGRADUATE TUITION COSTS

The University has reset its cost structure for full-time undergraduate tuition and financial aid resulting in a cost cut of more than \$10,000 for the 2014-15 academic year.

The tuition reset, which will apply to all full-time undergraduate students enrolled in 2014-15, represents a 37 percent decrease from the projected 2014-15 tuition of \$30,064, bringing it to \$18,908.

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



SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY (NY) PROVIDES NEW YORK CITY DRAMA EXPERIENCE

Syracuse University- New York City Drama Experience

The Tepper Semester - a unique residency program from Syracuse University's Department of Drama - takes full advantage of New York City's rich cultural community and offers undergraduate students in advanced levels of acting, musical theater, design, and stage management the opportunity to immerse themselves in a rigorous artistic training program. Students in the Tepper Semester work closely with an accomplished faculty of professional artists who nurture their creative, intellectual, and personal growth. The program also guides students in understanding the business of the industry, which is essential for a rewarding and successful career in the performing arts. As an immersion experience, the professional preparatory semester creates the base of an international arts network for emerging young artists. Students live and study in the heart of New York's theater district and attend studio classes on Theatre Row. The program also takes advantage of the vast cultural and educational resources the city has to offer.

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



AMERICAN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW (DC) EMBARKING ON ADMISSIONS TOUR OF EUROPE

U.S. Law School LL.M.
INFORMATION SESSIONS

Law school admissions representatives from 15 US universities will be touring Europe from November 8-16, 2014 presenting information on their LL.M. programs. Attendees to the free events will have the opportunity to learn what an LL.M. program is, why to pursue an LL.M. in the United States, what to look for in a law school, how to apply, and specific details about the LL.M. programs offered by the 15 law schools attending the events. For more information on participating law schools as well as locations and dates of the tour, please visit <http://weblaw.usc.edu/lmlawschooltour/>.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/1eEjX5X>

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT (VT) CREATES GLOBAL GATEWAY PROGRAM

The University of Vermont has launched its Global Gateway Program, an undergraduate international student gateway that combines English training and 24-28 course credits to facilitate a smooth progression into the second year of a bachelor's degree program. As a part of this initiative, UVM will launch an International Study Center in January 2014 that is designed to help international students adjust to the US University system and thrive on our campus.

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/Hb2DKj>



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INDIANA UNIVERSITY-PURDUE UNIVERSITY INDIANAPOLIS (IU) LAUNCHES INTERNATIONAL HOST PROGRAM

A brand new program at IUPUI called the International Host Program matches current IUPUI international students with IU and Purdue alumni.

International students gain a support system in the U.S., have an opportunity to increase English language skills and intercommunication skills, and learn about American culture.

"International students often find it difficult to meet Americans, and frequently leave the U.S. without having experienced American life and traditions," said Sandi Lemons, associate director for student services in the Office of International Affairs. "By bringing them together with alumni, we hope that international students will gain new perspectives on American life, while at the same time sharing their own cultural background with members of the Indianapolis community."

For more information, please visit: <http://bit.ly/HhQ0MX>



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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