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**The Official EducationUSA Newsletter**

A weekly insight into current US Higher Education news and scholarships

Dear Readers,

October is just around the corner and that means it's application season. Whether you're applying to undergrad in the U.S. or a Master's or PhD. Program, the EducationUSA Advising Center team is here to help.

Don't forget to stay on top of our test preparation workshop calendar ([www.fulbright.hu/test-preparation](http://www.fulbright.hu/test-preparation)), and feel free to make an appointment with Will Freeman, our ETA, for feedback on essays and help with applications (you can email him at [freeman@fulbright.hu](mailto:freeman@fulbright.hu) )

Read up on our extended list of schools in focus and don't miss the SRT International College Fair coming to Budapest on October 10<sup>th</sup>. Last but not least, check out a variety of new scholarships offered by different schools in the U.S., listed below.

As always, email us with any questions at [educationusa@fulbright.hu](mailto:educationusa@fulbright.hu)

Fall colors in Massachusetts, U.S.A.



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**Upcoming Workshops**

**GRE Workshop:** October 4, Tuesday 2:30 - 4:00 pm  
**TOEFL Workshop:** October 6, Thursday 2:00 - 5:00 pm  
**General Writing Workshop:** October 13, 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](mailto:educationusa@fulbright.hu)) in order to register.

## Schools in Focus

### University of Minnesota Exchange Semester

*Minnesota*

*Minneapolis*

Spend 1 semester or the full academic year in the U.S. studying alongside U.S. students. Learn from award-winning faculty, earn University of Minnesota credit, and benefit from state-of-the-art learning facilities at one of the nation's top public research universities.

The Minnesota Semester program is open to all students who have completed at least 1 year of university study and who are currently enrolled in an undergraduate degree program outside of the U.S. The exchange requires a TOEFL IBT score of 79 or higher. Learn more here: <http://bit.ly/2dwFhEe>

The University of Minnesota also offers a summer session program for short-term study of academic subjects. The TOEFL IBT requirement is 90 or higher. Find out more on their website: <http://bit.ly/2dtFisV>

### Lawrence University

*Appleton, Wisconsin*

Lawrence University—a small liberal arts ranked 60<sup>th</sup> in the nation—is home to 2,400 undergraduates, including 184 international students from 50 countries. Located in Appleton, Wisconsin, Lawrence features a range of academic programs and a music conservatory.

The university considers all international students for merit and need-based financial aid, awarding up to full tuition to exceptionally strong candidates. Last year, the average amount of aid awarded to international students was \$22,000, or roughly half the total cost of tuition.

You can contact Admissions Counselor Xue Yan ([xue.yan@lawrence.edu](mailto:xue.yan@lawrence.edu)) with any questions. Applications require the SAT and must be submitted by January 15<sup>th</sup>. The university is now accepting applications on its website (<http://bit.ly/2cAPTvZ>) for Fall 2017 admission.

### Mississippi State University

*Starkville, Mississippi*

Mississippi State University offers a variety of general scholarships to international undergraduate students. These scholarships require a competitive ACT/SAT score, an above average high school GPA, and excellent

leadership and service activities. See for yourself: <http://bit.ly/2do3Y03>

### **Lehigh University**

*Bethlehem, Pennsylvania*

Learn more about Lehigh University—one of the nation’s largest private universities—located in central Pennsylvania. Lehigh combines the merits of a large research institution with the small class sizes of a liberal arts college. Each year the school offers need and merit-based aid to a fairly small and highly qualified group of international students.

Contact one of their current international student ambassadors to learn more about studying at Lehigh: <http://bit.ly/2dtQMYG>

### **Georgia College**

*Milledgeville, Georgia*

Each year Georgia College awards approximately 20 International Student Scholarships for either full or half tuition to international students who demonstrate academic ability, evidence of extracurricular involvement, and financial need. The application for the scholarship requirements and instructions are included in the International Student application for admission available at <http://bit.ly/2cNRJgo>

### **Virginia International University**

*Washington, D.C.*

Virginia International University (VIU) offers a unique opportunity to acquire an excellent, multi-disciplinary education at an affordable cost by offering students access to scholarships ranging from half to full tuition. Check out some of their offerings here: <http://bit.ly/28J4Uyr>

### **Fordham University**

*New York City, N.Y.*

Fordham University, located in the Bronx neighborhood of New York City, offers a competitive Dean’s Scholarship to international students with an A or A- average (or equivalent) and 2100+ SAT or 32+ ACT results completing a competitive college preparatory secondary education curriculum. The scholarship contributes \$15,000 towards tuition for each year of study. Find out more: <http://bit.ly/2cEdctv>

### **University of North Carolina at Pembroke**

*Pembroke, North Carolina*

Interested in physics and engineering? Take advantage of the University of North Carolina at Pembroke’s 3+2 Applied Physics and Electrical or Mechanical Engineering Transfer program and earn two degrees in five years. Students study three years at UNCP for the Applied Physics bachelor’s degree from UNCP and then transfer to North Carolina State for two years to complete the Electrical or Mechanical Engineering bachelor’s degree. For more information, check out this video: <http://bit.ly/2cZIPPS>

### **Tennessee Tech**

*Cookeville, Tennessee*

Tennessee Tech offers a comprehensive list of majors including Chemical, Computer, Electrical, & Mechanical engineering, Chemistry, Physics, and Secondary Education. They also have a range of scholarships for international undergraduates. Learn more on their website (<http://bit.ly/2dfjybG>) or contact international admissions directly at [Intl\\_adm@tntech.edu](mailto:Intl_adm@tntech.edu)

**Upcoming Events**

## **SRT International Fair is Coming to Budapest**

*October 10<sup>th</sup>, Monday 12:00-17:00*

*Eurostars Budapest Center, Kossuth Lajos u. 7-9, 1053 Budapest*

Free entry! Come to the Eurostars Budapest Center and hear from representatives from U.S., U.K., Canadian and European universities, including the University of South Florida and Hult International Business School with Multicampuses.

Register for the fair today at. <http://bit.ly/2cgy0FM>

## **MOOC (Massive Open Online Course): "English for Career Development"**

*Begins October 3<sup>rd</sup>*

*Online*

Are you interested in advancing your career in the global marketplace? Sign up for the free "English for Career Development" massive online open course! In this free 5-week online class, you will learn about the job search, application, and interview process in the United States, while comparing and contrasting the same process in your home country. It will give you the opportunity to explore your global career path, while building your vocabulary and improving your language skills. The regular course begins October 3. The first facilitated course begins November 7. Learn more and register here: <http://tinyurl.com/z2wkgoj>

**Don't Miss It!**

## **Mount Mercy University Offers Generous Scholarships**

**Cedar Rapids, Iowa**

Mount Mercy University, a small liberal arts college in the Midwest, offers academic scholarships of up to \$14,500/annually for international students. No separate application is necessary; applicants are automatically considered based on high school or transfer grades. The University also offers grants to help cover the cost of housing. Besides the SAT or ACT, the application requires a TOEFL IBT score of 79 or higher. Read up about Mount Mercy on their website: <http://bit.ly/1Pb7g4B>

## **Education USA Academy at the University of Colorado Boulder**

The University of Colorado Boulder will offer an EducationUSA Academy session this January 4-28 and July 3-29. The program provides English language courses, college preparatory content on fields such as aerospace engineering, international business, and psychology, tours of diverse colleges and universities, and cross-cultural activities for self-funded students from around the world, ages 15-17. Find out more: <http://bit.ly/1CeWEvY>

## **Generous Art School Scholarships for Internationals**

The Tyler School of Art, part of Temple University in Philadelphia, is one of very few art schools to offer need-based financial aid to international students. If you are looking to study art in the U.S., consider applying to Tyler and submitting a "financial need narrative" that explains your financial situation: <http://bit.ly/2d8odl6>

## Learn About More Financial Aid Opportunities at Fulbright

The Fulbright 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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