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UNIVERSITY OF EVANSVILLE / EDUCATIONUSA SCHOLARSHIP

University of Evansville / EducationUSA scholarship

The University of Evansville, in partnership with EducationUSA, is again offering an OSEAS Scholarship of \$14,000 per academic year to undergraduate students nominated by EducationUSA advisors worldwide (one per center). This scholarship is guaranteed with 2 conditions: students are academically admissible to the University of Evansville and they submit the nomination form from the EducationUSA advisor. Students lacking English proficiency may begin in the University's Intensive English Center. The University of Evansville is proud to have been a nominee for the Best U.S. Institutional Partner award at the 25th anniversary of USBT celebration at the NAFSA conference in Washington D.C., May 2009.

UE again ranks highly with U.S. News and World Report as top 10 "overall", 2nd in the "best value" category and 6th in this year's newest category of "universities with a commitment to teaching". In addition, the University's civil engineering program is ranked #1 in the U.S. among small universities by the American Society of Civil Engineers. All engineering programs hold ABET accreditation and the School of Business, AACSB international accreditation.

Email Bev Fowler at bf28@evansville.edu for more information.

UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND (URI) UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERNATIONAL FRESHMAN APPLICANTS

Our 12,800 undergraduates and 2500 graduate students come from across the United States and, currently, from 64 different countries around the world. Our safe, rural campus is only 10 minutes from the ocean, located on the northeast coast of the U.S. and easily accessible to such major cities as Boston (90 minutes north) and New York City (less than 3 hours south). From campus, students can take public bus transportation to Kingston's Amtrak train station (1 mile from campus) and to Rhode Island's T.F. Green International Airport (20 minutes north of campus).

URI offers merit scholarships to international freshmen applicants. These applicants must apply by the early action deadline of December 1, 2009. The scholarships range in amounts from \$5,000 to \$12,000 per year. Please check our admission web site for details on the application process and the costs of attending. Go to this site and click into "international admission" (www.uri.edu/admission).

URI offers more than 80 majors in our seven degree-granting colleges: Arts and Sciences, Business Administration (AACSB accredited), Engineering (with ABET accredited programs), Environment & Life Sciences, Human Science and Services, Nursing, and Pharmacy. Our newest major is a four year Bachelor's degree in Pharmaceutical Science, which prepares students to work in the field of research, development, marketing, manufacturing and sales in the global pharmaceutical industry.

Our regular freshmen application deadline for fall 2010 admission is February 1st. Our early action, non-binding freshmen deadline is December 1, 2009 and we encourage you to apply by this early action deadline if you are interested in Pharmacy or Nursing as a major, or if you are interested in being considered for our merit scholarship. (URI now uses the Common Application. See our website for specific information on completing this application and the URI Common Application Supplement.)

For questions, contact:

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UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN

The Institute for Historical Studies at the University of Texas at Austin welcomes applicants at all ranks for residential fellowships for 2010-11. The theme for the year will be "Power and Place." For more information about the theme, the fellowships and the Institute for Historical Studies, please see:

<http://www.utexas.edu/cola/insts/historicalstudies/>

For further information or queries, please contact the IHS Director, Julie Hardwick, at:

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THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY – THE CENTER FOR HISTORICAL RESEARCH

The Center for Historical Research brings together faculty, students, and the general public to examine the historical foundation and development of critical issues of global importance. The Center offers resident fellowships for senior and junior faculty, as well as those completing dissertations. We also invite members of the academic community and independent scholars to make presentations at our seminars.

For the academic years 2009–2011, we are studying, "The Intersection of Diaspora, Immigration, and Gender in World History." We believe that a gendered analysis of group migrations may reveal new patterns in diaspora and immigration history, shed light on specific migrations, and bridge the historiographical gap between diaspora and immigration histories. A gendered analysis of group migrations may help us better differentiate the meaning of forced and voluntary migrations, and the processes by which people maintained, discarded, and transformed their cultures, and their host cultures.

For the 2010–2011 academic year we are conducting a fellowship competition and seeking presenters whose research falls in the period from the 19th century to the present. We invite scholars from all disciplines, studying any peoples and geographic area(s) relevant to our program. Application information for fellowships can be found on our website, <http://chr.osu.edu/>, and are due by FEBRUARY 1, 2010. Those interested in making presentations at the seminars should contact the CHR director, Alan Gallay, at osuchr@osu.edu.

The Ohio State University is an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action employer. Women, minorities, veterans, and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

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TEMPLE UNIVERSITY POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP INTERDISCIPLINARY HUMANITIES OR SOCIAL SCIENCES

Application Deadline: January 25, 2010

The Center for the Humanities at Temple supports the work of talented new voices in interdisciplinary scholarship and teaching in the humanities and humanistic social sciences. We invite applications for the External Humanities Fellowship program in 2010–11, renewable for a second year. Fellows pursue their own research, participate in the activities of the Center, and teach one course per semester, with no

teaching in the first semester. The successful applicant will demonstrate strong interdisciplinary research potential and show evidence of exemplary teaching.

Applicants must have the Ph.D. in hand and be no more than three years beyond the degree on the application deadline. Application materials include: letter of interest, c.v., sample of scholarly work, three letters of reference, and a 2–page proposal for an interdisciplinary course in the humanities you would like to teach.

Materials may be submitted electronically. Confidential letters of reference must come directly from the recommender. Please attach your application as a PDF (or Word) document and direct to chat@temple.edu. Print applications should be addressed to:

Prof. Peter M. Logan, Director
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Further information: <http://www.temple.edu/humanities>. Inquiries: chat@temple.edu.

Temple University is an equal opportunity employer and welcomes applications from members of underrepresented groups.

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UNIVERSITY OF MAINE – SUSTAINABILITY SOLUTIONS INITIATIVE POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWS PROGRAM

The University of Maine is launching a national search for Postdoctoral Sustainability Science Fellows. The successful candidates will join a new Sustainability Solutions Initiative (SSI) funded by a 5–year, \$20 million NSF EPSCoR grant. SSI includes a team of 30 faculty from a range of disciplines and multiple academic institutions statewide. SSI's transformative research program integrates coupled natural and human systems modeling, stakeholder engagement, and solutions–oriented research activities. Organized under a theme of landscape change, SSI supports multiple research projects focused on urbanization, forest ecosystem management, and climate change. Collectively, these projects speak to various sustainability science challenges and present a unique opportunity to advance the field of sustainability science. A major thrust of SSI is to produce a new generation of scientists who are equipped to work across disciplinary boundaries and adept at collaborative, problem–solving work that spans research and practice. SSI is recruiting a cohort of 4 Postdoctoral Fellows with tentative start dates ranging from February 2010 to April 2010. These initial appointments will be for a one–year duration with an opportunity for renewal. Concurrent SSI recruitment initiatives are seeking applications for 20 to 25 Doctoral Fellows and 4 faculty positions.

Responsibilities: As a cohort, the 4 Postdoctoral Fellows will serve an integrative function to the overall SSI. We seek postdoctoral fellows who can align themselves with one or more ongoing research teams and are willing to assume broader, integrative research responsibilities. The postdoctoral fellows will be expected to participate in ongoing team projects and

SSI-wide research activities, such as statewide sustainability problem assessments within the areas of urbanization, forest ecosystem management, climate change, and stakeholder engagement. Core research responsibilities will include planning and completion of research projects, preparation of manuscripts for publication in collaboration with SSI researchers, and presentation of research findings at public and professional meetings. The cohort will also have the opportunity to contribute to the development and implementation of SSI curricula and mentoring programs for graduate and undergraduate students.

Qualifications: A Ph.D. with specialization in biological or earth sciences, communication, engineering, mathematics, natural resource management, public policy, social sciences or a closely related technical or scientific discipline is required by the time of appointment. Preference will be given to candidates with experience working on interdisciplinary research teams.

Applications: Candidates must demonstrate the capacity to support their research programs, produce high-quality scholarship and publications, and advance the SSI research program. Applications must include all of the following materials for consideration: (1) a written statement (2–3 pages) that summarizes both the candidate's research goals and interests in sustainability science and the candidate's capacity and plan for completing the Fellowship responsibilities; (2) curriculum vitae; (3) undergraduate and graduate transcripts; (4) a sample of research (e.g., peer-reviewed publication); and (5) names and contact information of three professional references. Please send materials in PDF form to hallsworth@maine.edu or in hard copy form to Ruth Hallsworth, Mitchell Center for Environmental and Watershed Research, 5710 Norman Smith Hall, University of Maine, Orono, ME 04469. Review of applications will begin December 18, 2009.

For more details on SSI, visit the project website at: <http://www.umaine.edu/sustainabilitysolutions/>

The University of Maine is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer committed to maintaining an intellectually and culturally diverse faculty and staff.

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GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS IN SUSTAINABILITY SCIENCE – RESILIENCE AND ADAPTATION PROGRAM (RAP), UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA FAIRBANKS*

Applications are invited by RAP for PhD and masters degree fellowships. PhD fellowships provide \$30,000 per year stipend, tuition waiver, health insurance, international internship travel funding, and a computer. Fellowships for the masters degree offer the same with a lower stipend.

The Resilience and Adaptation Program is an interdisciplinary graduate program, focusing on global-to-local sustainability in times of rapid change. Resilience, vulnerability, adaptation, and transformation of social-ecological systems serve as central concepts in exploring societal challenges in a changing world. RAP integrates natural and social sciences, engineering, and medicine to discover innovative and effective strategies for adaptation. Alaska, northern regions, and other areas provide the basis for “basic” and “applied” research in climate change, food security, adaptive co-management of ecosystem services, indigenous resilience, alternative energy, and rural-urban issues. The program currently includes a

community of 45 graduate students and faculty from across the UAF campus.

RAP PhD fellowships are funded through the Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship (IGERT) Program of the US National Science Foundation.

RAP prepares students for positions of leadership in academia, research institutes, government agencies, non-government organizations, and indigenous organizations. The core curriculum of RAP involves coursework in theory and methods, an international internship experience, thesis research, and participation in special seminars, workshops, and conferences. RAP builds on existing graduate programs at UAF in ecology, biology and wildlife, natural resources management, indigenous studies, anthropology, resource economics, political science, geology, geophysics, engineering, interdisciplinary studies, and other relevant disciplines to address sustainability using a systems framework. Minorities are encouraged to apply.

RAP offers:

- IGERT Fellowships available only to U.S. PhD students;
- Other PhD and Masters fellowships through various UAF programs;
- Teaching and research assistantships for PhD and Masters students;
- Funding for an international internship experience to broaden disciplinary perspectives;
- Student offices with other RAP students;
- Interaction and learning in a community of students and faculty from different disciplines interested in sustainability and rapid change.

Target date for applications is February 1st. For more information please visit our website, *www.uaf.edu/rap* <<http://www.uaf.edu/rap>> or write fyrap@uaf.edu* <fyrap@uaf.edu> .

The Resilience and Adaptation program of the University of Alaska Fairbanks is in the process of recruiting students to join our program for the 2010 academic year.

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THE INTERNATIONAL LEGAL STUDIES LL.M. PROGRAM (ILSP) AT AMERICAN UNIVERSITY WASHINGTON COLLEGE OF LAW IN WASHINGTON DC OFFERS THE SUMMER ACADEMY SCHOLARSHIP AND THE INTER-AMERICAN MOOT COURT SCHOLARSHIP.

Summer Academy Scholarship Offers 12 credits of tuition to one participant of each of the WCL summer academies. Deadline to apply is July 1 for fall and October 1 for the spring.

Inter-American Moot Court Scholarship Open to all former and present Inter-American Moot Court Competition participants, the award will grant one full tuition scholarship annually. Deadline to apply is May 1.

For more information about these scholarships and application procedures, please visit our scholarship web page.

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GLOBALIZATION AND LEGAL EDUCATION: BENEFITS OF LL.M. STUDY IN THE U.S.

The University of Baltimore School of Law offers a Master of Laws program in the Law of the United States (LL.M. LOTUS). This nine-month degree program is designed for law graduates who earned their first degree in law outside the U.S. and seek to become familiar with American law and the legal system. Students educated in 26 countries from across the globe have enrolled. The School of Law provides a robust week-long orientation, excellent education with academic support services, and career services after graduation. University of Baltimore is located in Maryland about an hour from Washington, D.C., an attractive location for the study of law and for Optional Practical Training for graduates.

The School of Law is now accepting applications for admission to the 2010-11 LL.M. LOTUS program. Each year, the School of Law offers partial scholarships to a small number of LL.M. students who have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement. Detailed information about it is posted on <http://www.law.ubalt.edu/lotus>.

If your office would like to arrange a videoconference with our School of Law to generally discuss the benefits of LL.M. study in the U.S., we would be glad to participate. I formerly directed the Fulbright Commission in India, and am familiar with EducationUSA videoconference sessions.

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WEB CHAT WITH FELICIAN COLLEGE ON DECEMBER 3, 2009

Greetings from Felician College! I am pleased to announce that the Office of International Programs will be hosting its first ever Live Advising Chat Session on December 3, 2009. Students, parents, and educational counselors alike are welcomed and encouraged to chat with us that day from 10:00am to 1:00pm Eastern Standard Time.

To participate in the live chat, please simply go to the Felician College website at <http://www.felician.edu/> and click on the link for "Admission Chats." It's that easy!

If you or your students are interested in live advising but cannot attend a chat session on December 3, please send me an email so that we can set up a separate appointment to chat online. The Office of International Programs is available both on Skype at OIP_Felician and on MSN Live Messenger at Felician_OIP. I would be happy to arrange a time to work with you according to your schedule

As always, if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to let me know! I am here to help in any way I can. I wish you all the best, and hope to see you on December 3rd!

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