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NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE MERIT-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS

This week, international students at Northwestern Michigan College were awarded over \$20,000 in scholarships for the 2013-14 academic year. The funds were awarded as part of the College's Global Opportunities initiative -- NMC's dedication to international education and to making a U.S. education accessible to students from around the globe.

Incoming student, Carolina Barbosa commented, "I think that getting a scholarship award is not about the money, but definitely about making you realize that what you have done so far was great, and that there are people who believe that you can do even better! I'm really glad that I chose NMC to start my studies in America!"

Additional scholarships are available for the spring 2014 semester that begins in January. Scholarships will range from \$500-\$2000 each. To become eligible, a student must first apply to Northwestern Michigan College online.

For more information, please visit: <u>http://bit.ly/1c5RDud</u>





TEMPLE UNIVERSITY MERIT-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS



Temple University offers international undergraduate merit scholarships from \$2,500 to full-tuition for strong Fall 2014 applicants.

For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/1dVD0WY









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UTICA COLLEGE MERIT-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS

Located in the heart of Central New York, Utica College is a comprehensive, independent, private institution founded in 1946. Utica College offers a broad range of opportunities to grow personally and intellectually, helping you to build a strong foundation for success in your professional life.

Utica College provides merit-based scholarships for qualified international students ranging from \$5,000 to \$25,000 per year on the basis of outstanding academic achievement and the process does not require a separate application. We also offer rolling admission for Fall and Spring semesters, and an easy online application process. For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/132ofQR

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIPS

As one of the nation's largest public universities and the most comprehensive in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, we are dedicated to providing an excellent educational experience to our 36,000 students. UNT is a student-focused public research university with 12 colleges and schools offering 97 bachelor's, 81 master's and 35 doctoral degree programs, many nationally and internationally recognized.

UNT has expanded its renewable scholarship program to recognize more students who are in the top 50 percent of their high school graduating class with test scores of at least 1100 on the SAT or 24 on the ACT (written portions excluded). Students' high school rank and test scores are used to determine UNT Excellence Scholarship award amounts. Non-Texas residents are eligible to pay instate tuition and fees if you are awarded a scholarship in competition with other Texas Residents of at least \$1,000 for the academic year or summer for which you are enrolled. For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/19idduC

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA MERIT-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS

Home to more than 30,000 students and some of the nation's top scholars and researchers, the University of Iowa offers more than 200 areas of study on a vibrant and diverse campus. The University of Iowa welcomes more than 5,000 new undergraduate students to campus each year from high schools and colleges around the world.

The University of Iowa offers several scholarships to outstanding international students. Among these scholarships are the Presidential Scholarship, Old Gold Scholarship, and University of Iowa International Scholars Award, available to incoming first-year students. These scholarship and award amounts range from \$2000-\$10,000 per year. For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/ZLtPAp

II. Campus News

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NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCES MASTER'S PROGRAM IN HOMELAND SECURITY

Today's homeland security and emergency management professionals need to deal with an increased range of disasters and emergencies that may strike at a moment's notice. The new Master's in Homeland Security degree program at Northeastern University's College of Professional Studies teaches these professionals all aspects of a disaster cycle: preparing for natural disasters, like hurricanes, responding and recovering from man-made disasters like hazardous waste leaks and explosions and mitigating the effects of an emergency, such as an act of terrorism. For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/165070A

INDIANA UNIVERSITY-PURDUE UNIVERITY FORT WAYNE INTRODUCES **ONLINE BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN NURSING**

To serve a growing trend in the medical industry that requires registered nurses (RNs) to have a bachelor's degree, Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW) is offering a new online Bachelor of Science RN to B.S. program with a major in nursing. The new program is designed for registered nurses with an associate's degree in nursing who want to



pursue a bachelor's degree. Enrollment is currently underway for the new program, which is being launched with the fall 2013 semester.

For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/1bi8Z7L

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