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I. Financial Aid

UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND FULL TUITION SCHOLARSHIPS

The University of Richmond will award up to 45 full tuition scholarships annually, renewable for up to eight consecutive semesters, for incoming first-year students. The University will consider all students for the Richmond Scholars Program who submit a complete application by December 1, 2011.



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



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MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY TUITION REDUCTION FOR NEW INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Minnesota State University (MSU) offers more than 140 bachelor's programs and 80 graduate programs. Each year, the university is selected to host U.S. Government-sponsored students on Fulbright, Muskie, and

other scholarships programs. Currently, 600 international students from 72 countries are enrolled at MSU and enjoy a safe and welcoming community.

MSU will offer new international students an in-state resident tuition scholarship that can be renewed each semester. First semester reduced tuition and fee rates are given automatically to new undergraduate F & J international students on a MSU I-20 (DS2019) during their first semester. First semester reduced tuition and fee rates may continue based on meeting and maintaining the Cultural Contribution scholarship requirements of a 2.5 GPA and 25 completed cultural contribution hours. **For more information, please visit:** <u>http://bit.ly/ryjugk</u>

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN EAU CLAIRE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Founded in 1916, UW-Eau Claire continues to build its national reputation based on the achievements of its students and faculty. As one of the Midwest's top public universities, UW-Eau Claire provides students with small classes led by talented professors, cutting-edge

programs, endless opportunities to get involved and experience more of the world, and the support they need to meet their goals for success. Add to that a safe and friendly campus community and beautiful surroundings(from rivers and bike trails to shopping and entertainment), and you have one exceptional place.

Approximately 90 percent of international students receive scholarships. Scholarship applications are reviewed after students are accepted to UW-Eau Claire. For more information, please visit: <u>http://bit.ly/rNzZfS</u>







UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA RENO MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

Founded in 1874, the University of Nevada, Reno, is the oldest university in the state of Nevada. This mid-sized university is a fully accredited public university and a comprehensive Doctoral/Research Tier One University. The academic atmosphere at Nevada is vibrant, challenging, and personal; the degrees earned here will open doors to your future.

Nevada offers international awards for undergraduate students, and scholarships for both undergraduate and graduate international students. Selection is based on merit and participation in extracurricular activities.

For more information, please visit: <u>http://bit.ly/tG8eEQ</u>

ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIP PROGRAM

Illinois State University graduate programs teach students advanced skills which prepare them for further scholarly, professional, and creative endeavors. More than 20,000 students -- of which nearly 3,000 are graduate students -- attend Illinois State University each year.

Approximately one-third of all Illinois State graduate students have assistantship support. Graduate assistantships include a monthly stipend, which varies in amount depending on the number of hours required for the assistantship, student status, source of the funding, or nature of the assistantship assignment. Assistantships are intended to facilitate progress toward a graduate degree. **For more information, please visit:** <u>http://bit.ly/rT0KHm</u>

II. Campus News

PURDUE UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCES NEW GLOBAL HEALTH RESIDENCY PROGRAM

Through Purdue University's new global health residency program, pharmacy graduates are improving health care in Kenya, a country faced with scarce medical resources and a surplus of need from widespread disease including AIDS, malaria, tuberculosis and diabetes.

For more information, please visit: <u>http://bit.ly/w2gjTP</u>









REGISTER NOW! EDUCATIONUSA VIRTUAL COLLEGE FAIR IN NOVEMBER

The EducationUSA Virtual College Fair will take place during International Education Week this November, featuring over 130 colleges & universities from more than 11 states across the United States!

Join us live on Tuesday, November 15, from 9am-2pm (EST) and Thursday, November 17, from 9pm-2am (EST). Participation is free, and registration is open to all prospective international students!

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



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UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENTS GIVE UP COFFEE AND SODA

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Most college students would cringe at the thought of giving up their daily coffee or caffeinated soda, especially for 10 straight days.

Five hundred University of Oklahoma students, however, have been drinking only water, or limiting their consumption of drinks like coffee and soda, since Monday. The students are pledging the money usually spent on other beverages to Living Water International's 10 Days program.

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

Contact an EducationUSA adviser near you for guidance on finding and applying to an accredited U.S. college or university. <u>EducationUSA.state.gov</u> (Note: students must apply for financial aid directly with the institution listed) An archive of these and other past financial aid and news announcements is available at <u>EducationUSA.info/financial-aid</u> EducationUSA would like to thank all the institutions, foundations, and other organizations which so generously provide the financial aid and news information contained herein.



