Office of Academic Diversity Initiatives

This news blast is published every Friday during the academic year, and information pertaining to the academic experience for undergraduate students will be considered. Deadline for submission is 12:00 noon on Thursday to oadi_news@cornell.edu. Information sent to any other email address will not be included.

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OADI News and General Announcements

Friday, May 19th, 2017 | 11:00 AM – 2 PM | OADI Lounge | OADI Study Break “Carnival”. Please join OADI for a study break. Lunch will be provided.

Campus and Community Partners

Mondays, 7:00 -9:00 PM, Tuesday and Thursdays, 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM | Tatkon Center | Study Skills Tutor. Not getting enough sleep? Drowning in reading? Learn about the best time management and study skills tips at Cornell! From reading more efficiently to weekly planning, start getting your schedule back on track. 1:1 help.

Looking for an affordable place to live over the summer? Wanawake Wa Wari Cooperative, 208 Dearborn Place is looking for summer residents! Free parking, free laundry and a spacious kitchen. $80/week for a single and $70/week for a double. There is no formal application for summer housing at Wari. Housing is available to all Cornell students of all gender identities who will be on campus for academic purposes this summer. Feel free to email waricoop@cornell.edu with any questions or concerns or fill out this google form with your information.
May 23rd | Tuesday, 4:30 – 6:00 PM | Klarman Hall Atrium | Senior Celebration. The Center for Intercultural Dialogue and the Office of Academic Diversity Initiatives will be celebrating the accomplishments of the Class of 2017. We will have congratulatory speeches, light food and beverages, and a gift for graduating students that attend.

New Engaged Learning Curriculum in the Anthropology Department
This fall, the Department of Anthropology launches its engaged learning curriculum, with three courses designed to help students make the most of engaged and study abroad programs. The first course, ANTHR 1900, introduces students to the principles of engaged learning and provides opportunities to participate in service learning projects in the Ithaca community. The second course, ANTHR 3901, is a pre-departure course to prepare students studying abroad or going on other engaged learning programs. The third course, ANTHR 3902, is a post-departure course where students reflect on their experiences. These three courses co-meet during the fall semester so that students will learn from each other and conduct collaborative research projects. Questions? Please contact Hayden Kantor, Postdoctoral Associate for Engaged Learning in the Department of Anthropology (hk647@cornell.edu). Please see the Anthropology website for more details.

Work on campus for Cornell’s Reunion | June 6-11, 2017 | To apply, please visit the Reunion clerk website https://www.alumni.cornell.edu/reunion/clerk/ and take a few minutes to fill out the New Clerk Application if you have never clerked before. If you have worked previously as a Reunion clerk, please fill out the Experienced Clerk Application.

Internships and Opportunities

OADI’s Scholarship & Internship Database | Looking for a scholarship or internship? OADI has sourced many opportunities to help guide you in your search! To access the database, click here.

Urban Semester/Summer Program. The Urban Semester Program is offered during both the Fall and Spring semesters and the Summer. Explore careers in careers in finance, fashion, design, public policy, education, public relations, medicine etc. in an internship of your choosing in the busiest city and gain real world experience. Discover the "right fit.” Expose yourself to different thinking and work environments via guest speakers and site visits to companies. Understand your role in society. Ask questions and make observations about the work field. During the semesters, the program is worth 15 credits, while the summer is a 9-week 4 credit course. Extensive
information sessions will be held during the first weeks of the Fall Semester of 2018 for those interested in the Spring 2018 and Summer 2018 opportunities.

U.S. PIRG | U.S. PIRG is a consumer group that stands up to powerful interests whenever they threaten our health and safety, our financial security, or our right to fully participate in our democratic society. Right now U.S. PIRG is fighting to defend the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) from legislation that would gut Wall Street reforms and destroy the CFPB as we know it. In order for us to mobilize widespread support to protect the CFPB, we are hiring people who are passionate about advocating for our citizen’s best interests. If you are a graduate looking to start a career in social change, please find out more about our open Consumer Fellowship on this website. Learn more about our full-time positions on our website.

Looking for the next generation of activists to fight climate change. Impact builds the grassroots action and power it takes to make an impact on important issues. From making sure life-saving antibiotics aren’t used to fatten up chickens and pigs on factory farms, to calling on the Trump administration to uphold America’s commitment to the new renewable energy economy the world needs, we need organizers now more than ever. Climate change is an issue we cannot afford to wait any longer to solve. We need America to continue to be a leader on reducing emissions linked to climate change. We are looking to hire our next class of organizers who will be on the ground in 25 states and on college campuses to mobilize businesses, faith leaders and citizens to demonstrate the commitment to keeping our promises on climate change, and transitioning to a sustainable, renewable energy economy. We need people with the determination, training and skills to win over Americans who aren’t with us yet, and who can galvanize those who are with us, but aren’t yet involved. If you know any graduates who are still searching for full-time work and are passionate about protecting our environment then please let them know about us! They can learn more about our full-time positions on our website.

USA Swimming Seeking Communications Manager. As the National Governing Body for the sport of swimming in the United States, USA Swimming is a 400,000-member service organization that promotes the culture of swimming by creating opportunities for swimmers and coaches of all backgrounds to participate and advance in the sport through clubs, events and education. Our membership is comprised of swimmers from the age group level to the Olympic Team, as well as coaches and volunteers. USA Swimming is responsible for selecting and training teams for international competition including the Olympic Games, and strives to
serve the sport through its core objectives: Build the base, Promote the sport, Achieve competitive success. Click on the link for the job description and how to apply:
Communications Manager, Multicultural and Foundation

NYU Steinhardt. Embedded Mater of Arts in Teaching in Secondary places aspiring teachers in one of our high-need partner schools from the first day of class. In just over a year, you will earn your Master of Arts in teaching through an immersive teacher residency paired with online course work designed and taught by NYU professors. Program. For Graduating Seniors, there are still spots available in our residency program in Albany and Syracuse. Participants will work with a lead teacher in City School District of Albany and Syracuse City School District. Visit our website to apply by our next deadline, May 1st. Our final deadline is May 22nd.

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