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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Scholarship & Internship Database | OADI has sourced many opportunities to help guide you in your search for scholarships & internships. To access the database, click here.

Friday, September 30, 2016 | 4:30 - 6:30 pm | Klarman Hall Auditorium. PSP & Posse Connections/Reunion Event. Featuring Dr. David Wall Rice, Cornell, Culture(s) and Context: A Grounded Theory Consideration of Identity at the Ivy League. Dinner to follow. This is a closed event for current students who attended PSP and Posse. For additional information, email Vanessa Lillard at vanessa.lillard@cornell.edu.

Tuesday, October 4, 2016 | 11:45 – 12:45 pm | 200 Computing & Communications Center (CCC). Tuesday Lunch Engagement Series: Building Your Personal Brand through Social Media. OADI’s longest-running weekly series features a wide array of speakers throughout the academic semester. While enjoying casual conversation with the speaker, all are invited to have lunch. For more information, email vanessa.lillard@cornell.edu.

Application Deadline: Friday, October 7, 2016 at 5:00 pm | Fall 2016 McNair Scholars Program | http://tinyurl.com/mcnairapp. McNair Application review/interview process: October – November 2016 Acceptance Notification: November 2016 Induction Ceremony: April 15, 2017 Contact mp664@cornell.edu for more information

Campus and Community Partners

Friday, September 30, 2016 | 12:00 PM | 4th Floor Rockefeller Hall
Conference Room. Latina/o Studies Fridays with Faculty Luncheon Seminar: Jane Mt. Pleasant. This seminar offers students the opportunity to meet faculty and administrators from across the university for informal conversation about their current research/work in progress. Lunch will be served, all are welcome. For more information, click here.

Saturday, October 1, 2016 | 2:30 – 5:00 PM | Tatkon Center (BAL3330). Empowerment Clubfest. The purpose of this event is to showcase several organizations that advocate for the success of females and minorities on and off campus and bring awareness to gender and diversity issues. For more information, click here.

Saturday, October 1, 2016 | Goldwin Smith Hall Room 132. “PREPARE FOR SUCCESS!” A Career Talk with Mark Tatum - NBA Deputy Commissioner; Kevin Holcomb M.D. - Specialist in Gynecologic Oncology; Hugh LaRoche - Vice President of TriNet and other accomplished professionals. For more information, email oia3@cornell.edu.

Thursday, October 6, 2016 | 12:00 – 1:00 pm | Center for Intercultural Dialogue. Thursday Lunch @ 626. Come hang out at 626 for lunch! There is no speaker this week, but lunch will be served.

Thursday, October 6, 2016 | 12:00 pm | 429 Rockefeller Hall. Humor and Latina/o Camp in Ugly Betty. Dr. Rodriguez y Gibson is Associate Professor and Chair of the Department of Chicana/o Studies at Loyola Marymount University where she teaches courses on literature, cultural studies and feminist theory. Lunch followed by presentation. For more information, click here.

Internships and Opportunities

Application Deadline: October 3, 2016 | Preparing Undergraduate Men of Color for Doctoral Study. As part of the RISE for Boys and Men of Color project, the Center for the Study of Race & Equity in Education is preparing 100 Native American, Black, Latino, Asian American and Pacific Islander undergraduate men for doctoral study and eventually for professorships. For additional information, click here.

Interested in global health, holistic medicine, or epidemiological research? Proficient in Spanish? Travel to Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic in
summer 2017! Attend an information session on Thursday, October 6th at 4:30 PM in MVR G87 to learn more about this opportunity. Applications are due Monday, October 24, and are available through CUAbroad.

**Application Deadline: Friday, October 14, 2016 at 4:00 PM, CHE Registrar’s Office | Urban Semester.** Interested in pre-health or a pre-professional student? Study in New York City for a semester or summer! Get real world experience through internships or medical rotations, site visits, and community participation. For more information, email crn45@cornell.edu.

**Carnegie Scholarship Information Session | Wednesday, October 19, 2016 | 4:35 PM | 103 Barnes Hall.** A 1-year paid internship in Washington, D.C. for current seniors interested in a career of international affairs. U.S citizenship is not necessary but you must be eligible to work in the U.S. For more information, click here or email the Fellowship Coordinator BTF1@cornell.edu.

**Application Deadline: Friday, October 21, 2016. Latina/o Studies Research Grants.** Grants are available to undergraduate students who wish to engage in research projects whose ultimate goal is to enhance the understanding and knowledge of the Latina/o experience in the United States. For more information, click here.

**Application Deadline: October 22, 2016 | From Scarcity to Abundance: Cultivating Diverse Leadership for Ecologically Sound, Inclusive & Just Communities.** Engaged Leadership is bringing the Natural Leaders Initiative to the Cornell campus for a daylong retreat for students leading community engaged groups and projects on Saturday, October 29. The application is available here. For more information, email engagedleadership@cornell.edu.

**Application Deadline: November 1, 2016 | The Public Policy & International Affairs Program (PPIA) Fellowship.** Applications are being accepted for the 2017 PPIA Fellowship. A 7-week academic program taking place during the summer. Eligible candidates are current undergads who will be completing their B.A. between December 2017 and August 2018. For more information, click here.

**Application Deadline: December 1, 2016. Graduate Student Diversity Recruitment Week | Considering graduate school in the biological sciences? Interested in ecology, evolution, neurobiology, or behavior? Applications are**
being accepted from underrepresented minorities and first-generation college students to attend this event on April 21-23, 2017. For more information, click here. Email CUbio.divrecruit@gmail.com with questions.

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