

## EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

### ■ The University of Arizona School of Information Resources and Library Science:

The University of Arizona School of Information Resources and Library Science (SIRLS) invites you to share in a unique opportunity. Knowledge River focuses on library and information issues from the needs and perspectives of Hispanics and Native Americans. Knowledge River participants will graduate with an MA in Information Resources and Library Science. Knowledge River Participants will receive: Full tuition support for one year, a fellowship of \$12,000 for one year, customized academic advising, academic support, full orientation to the school. To apply to be apart of Knowledge River's inaugural class, beginning in Fall 2002. Contact Patricia Tarin, Knowledge River Program Director 520-621-3565.

**Deadline to apply is April 15, 2002.**

### ■ The Oregon Health & Science University (OHSU) School of Medicine Student Senate Scholarships:

OHSU Student Senate is funding two \$350 scholarships. In order to be eligible for the scholarships students must: currently attending Oregon high school, planning to attend a four year college or university full time in the Fall of 2002, and hold the intention of becoming a physician with an MD degree. Contact Elizabeth Keegan at 503-494-8220 or keegane@ohsu.edu.

**Deadline to apply is April 22, 2002.**

### ■ TRIBES Summer Program For 2002 Graduating High School Seniors:

The Tribal Resource Institute in Business, Engineering, and Sciences (TRIBES). A summer program for high school graduates on their way to college or post secondary education sponsored by the Council of Energy Resources Tribes (CERT), is now accepting applications for the 2002 program. 30 students will attend the University of New Mexico for six weeks and can earn up to nine transferable college credits in math, English, and Native American studies. In addition to the three courses, students live on campus, learn about how to succeed in college, and participate in a number of field-trips and activities designed to enhance awareness of Native communities' social, cultural, political, and environmental issues. Upon completion of program, students are eligible for \$1,000 scholarship for five years of college. Dates of program are June 13 through July. Contact TRIBES Program, University of New Mexico at 505-277-5725 or tslee@unm.edu.

**Deadline to apply is May 1, 2002.**

### ■ A.T. Anderson Memorial Scholarship

Primary Sponsor: American Indian Science & Engineering Society. Purpose: American Indian Science & Engineering Society's (AISES) own scholarship program was established in 1983 in memory of A.T. Anderson, Mohawk, a chemical engineer who founded AISES with six other American Indian scientists. Scholarships are awarded to members of AISES who are American Indian or Alaskan Native college students pursuing academic programs in the sciences, engineering, medicine, natural resources, and math. Contact: Shirley LaCourse, AISES Higher Ed. Coordinator. Phone: 505-765-1052 ext. 14. E-mail: shirley@aises.org. Teresa Gomez, AISES Higher Ed. Director at 505-765-1052 ext. 15 or teresa@aises.org

**Deadline: June 15, 2002**

### Spring Term Classes Begin April 1, 2002

Following is a list Chemeketa Community College Classes offered on-site in Grand Ronde for Spring Term 2002:

1. XWR051H **Writing Your Life Story**, Thursday, 1:00 p.m. — 2:50 p.m.

**Location:** Community Center

2. **Math Lab**, Tuesday and Thursday 5:30 p.m. — 7:20 p.m.

MTH 052 Intro to Algebra and Geometry

MTH 060 Introductory Algebra

MTH 070 Elementary Algebra

MTH 095 Intermediate Algebra

**Location:** Health & Wellness Center Molalla Room

3. **Writing Lab**, Wednesday 5:30 p.m. — 9:30 p.m.

WR115 Introduction to Composition

WR121 English Composition

**Location:** Health and Wellness Center — Molalla Room

4. WS101 **Introduction to Women's Studies**, Tuesday 5:30 p.m. — 8:20 p.m.

**Location:** Health & Wellness Center — Staff Lounge

5. GEO142 **Geology of NW-Volcano, Mountain, Glacier**, Monday 5:30 p.m. — 9:30 p.m.

**Location:** Health & Wellness Center — Molalla Room

**Registration Information**

To register for any of the above class contact Chemeketa Community College at 1-800-398-6262 or for Web registration <http://pipeline.chemeketa.edu>

### Tribal Members Wanted For Journey To The Amazon Jungle

Tribal members seeking adventure have a rare opportunity before them. The Education department is working along with Portland State University to begin a two-week cultural exchange and immersion program in Suriname, South America. Eight slots are available for the expedition that begins in late August. Those accepted can receive college credit through PSU. Eligibility requirements include only that a person be an enrolled Tribal member and at least 18 years of age, though preference will be given to students, particularly those with an interest in anthropology and similar studies. Applicants should be aware that the two-week program will include a journey to and a stay in Suriname, hosted by an archaic Tribe of indigenous people who live deep in the Amazon jungle. This will be roughing it like you've never roughed it before, so applicants need to be *very serious* about the matter and ready to commit by May 1. Contact Lisa Leno at 503-879-2224 or Travis Stewart at 503-879-2272. Not for the faint of heart.

### CFS 399 Healing the Native Family: Using Concepts of the Sacred Hoop

Portland State University — Salem Center.

Explore the concepts of the Sacred Hoop used in healing Tribal families.

Instructor Ronda MetCalf is a Suiattle Indian woman and a member of the Sauk-Suiattle Indian Tribe. She holds a Master of Science in education with a specialization in community counseling.

Date: Friday, April 5, 5:30-9 p.m.

Saturday, April 6, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Location: 4061 Winema Pl. NE, Bldg. 49, Salem, Chemeketa Campus.

Credit option: one-credit/ \$116 or non-credit/ \$60.

**Registration & Information:** Rita Martinez-Salas at 503-315-4281 or [rmartinez@chemeketa.edu](mailto:rmartinez@chemeketa.edu) or [www.clas.pdx.edu/DCP/Salem](http://www.clas.pdx.edu/DCP/Salem).

### Tribal Youth Education Sponsorship Program Providing Funding

Youth Education Sponsorship (YE Sponsorship) program, formerly Summer Sponsorship began in January 2002.

YE Sponsorship is a program which provides maximum funding of \$200 to enrolled Tribal members grades K-12, including home schooling one time per year to participate in school activities and extracurricular activities and programs.

You must request an application by contacting Chris Bailey at 800-422-0232 or 503-879-2101. Applications must be returned completed in order to be processed. Please allow two weeks for processing.

Funding is available until depleted. Please note that requesting an application does not ensure funding and does not register the student for the activity program.

### Willamette to Host Native American Enrichment Program This Summer

Willamette will again host the Native American Science Enrichment program this summer, with financial support from the Oregon Community Foundation. The dates are June 17-21, and promises to be a very intense week of lab science, field trips and hands-on problem-solving.

Professors Jeff Willemsen (chemistry) and Ron Brisbois (a nationally-known chemist from Macalester College, and himself a Native American) will team-teach the course.

This will be a very hands-on kind of program, with lots of good opportunities for one-on-one teaching.

Any students (or teachers) who would be interested in this program, please feel free to call Patricia Alley at 503-370-6246. It's a very simple application form and the program is totally free to the students.

### Wanted: Native American High School Students For Nursing Camp

Na-ha-shnee — Native American High School Summer Nursing Camp  
This 7th annual camp is being held June 23-28, 2002 and its purpose is to encourage Native American students to pursue nursing and to prepare themselves for the future. There is a critical shortage of nurses and this camp will provide an opportunity for Native American students to experience the nursing profession. They will experience job shadowing in hospitals, learn first aid and CPR, traditional herbal medicine and basic nursing care. There will also be trained in critical thinking and leadership skills. For an application and more information contact Robbie Paul, Native America Coordinator, Intercollegiate College of Nursing, Washington State University College of Nursing, Spokane, Washington, 509-324-7239 or e-mail at [paul@wsu.edu](mailto:paul@wsu.edu).