

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

2003 Financial Aid & Scholarship Fair

February 4, 2003

10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Spirit Mountain Casino's Kalapuya Room B

- Speakers on topics of admissions, financial aid, and scholarships
- Special presentation on "7 Steps to Choosing a College"
- Lunch and snacks provided
- Prizes
- First 50 students admitted

For more information contact James Buxman at 503-879-1470.

Applying for Financial Aid?

In order to apply to the Tribe's full-time Higher Education programs students must apply for Federal Aid. The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form for 2003-2004 is available at your local libraries, colleges, and universities or on the web at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

Should students be eligible, the FAFSA can help pay for tuition, books and fees, and may include a portion of your living expenses.

The Department of Education uses the information provided on your FAFSA to determine your eligibility for aid from the federal student financial assistance (SFA) programs. Many states and schools also use the FAFSA data to award aid from their programs. Some states and schools may require you to fill out additional forms.

The information you report on your FAFSA is used to calculate your Expected Family Contribution, or EFC, according to a congressionally determined formula. Your school will use your EFC to determine your need and what federal, state, and institutional aid you are eligible to receive.

February 15, 2003 is the deadline to have your applications in for Summer or Fall Term students. Should you have questions please contact April Campbell, Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Higher Education Specialist at 1-800-422-0232.

Attention Future Teachers!

SAPSIK[®]ALA (Teacher) Education Program
(For graduate students only)

This is a component of the University of Oregon Native American Initiative. The goal of this program is to prepare American Indian teachers whose knowledge, skills and cultural sensitivity will bring about long-term, and much needed improvements in the elementary, middle and high school educational experiences of American Indian youth.

Eligibility:

- A member of an Indian Tribe or band, as membership is defined by the Indian Tribe or band, including any Tribe or band terminated since 1940, and any Tribe or band recognized by the State in which the Tribe or band resides or a descendent of a parent or grandparent who meets the requirements described above or considered by the Secretary of the Interior to be an Indian for any purpose.
- Hold a Bachelor's Degree by the time they begin the program.
- Have an undergraduate GPA of at least 3.0 or provide evidence of graduate potential.

For more information go to <http://education.uoregon.edu> or call 541-346-0681.

Deadline to apply: February 28, 2003

Indian Health Services Scholarships

These scholarships are for individuals who are officially enrolled in "Federally Recognized Tribes." Applications are rated on the student's academic record, evaluation forms and essays.

- Prenursing
- Premedical Technology
- Prepharmacy
- Predietetics
- Preschool Work (Jr. & Sr. undergraduate years)
- Prephysical Therapy (Jr. & Sr. undergraduate years)
- Preengineering
- Counseling
- Clinical Psychology
- Dentistry
- Dental Hygienist
- Diagnostic Radiology Technology
- Health Care Administration
- Dietician
- Health Education
- Public Health

Deadline — February 28, 2003.

For more information, contact Darlene Marcellay-Hyland at 503-326-6499 or go to www.dmarcell@pao.portland.his.gov.

Online Application for \$10 Million in Scholarships Now Available

Eugene, OR. (1/17/03) Oregon students seeking financial assistance for college can now complete the Oregon Student Assistance Commission (OSAC) scholarship application online at www.osac.state.or.us. Using the new eApp technology, the online application processes the required information quickly and confidentially. More than \$10 million in private awards are available through this unified application, which lets students apply for as many as 12 scholarships on the same form. For those students who do not have access to online please contact: Shelley M. Snow, Outreach Manager, 541-687-7407; shelley.m.snow@state.or.us

Deadline: March 1, 2003.

Summer Internship Opportunity

Wells Fargo Bank Corporate Banking Summer Intern Program 2003—

Opportunities are available at corporate offices in San Francisco, Los Angeles, New York, Chicago, Dallas, Houston and selected cities in the East Coast and Midwest.

Paid internships are given in areas such as capital markets, commercial banking, corporate banking, international banking, real estate and real estate investment banking.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Must be an undergraduate with U.S. permanent resident status or U.S. citizenship.
- All majors are considered, with a minimum GPA above a 3.3.
- Business, Economics, Finance, Marketing, Math and Statistics majors are preferred.
- 3-6 credit hours of accounting, particularly in coursework related to financial and managerial accounting.
- Junior and Senior level candidates graduating in December 2003 or May/June 2004.

Send your resume and cover letter as a Microsoft Word attachment to: resume@wellsfargo.com.

For more information go to www.wellsfargo.com.

University of Washington School of Medicine

The University of Washington School of Medicine will be hosting the Western Consortium Minority Medical Education Program (WC-MMEP) this summer. WC-MMEP, now in its 14th year, is a six-week summer enrichment program for promising disadvantaged and underserved students interested in a career in medicine.

The MMEP deadline is March 1, 2003. Interested students may apply online at www.aamc.org/mmep. For more information regarding this program at University of Washington, please go to www.staff.washington.edu/dolson/mmep.html.

Special Summer Award Opportunity

Special Summer Award Opportunity for Graduating High School Seniors: University of Oregon Native American Summer Bridge Program, UO Department of English:

■ This coming summer the University of Oregon Department of English will offer its fourth annual Native American Summer Bridge Program. This special award program is designed to provide students from under-represented groups who are entering the University of Oregon in the fall of 2003 an opportunity to ensure a smooth transition from high school to college.

■ The Summer Bridge Program gives students a jump start on university work with an inter-cultural learning experience centered on course work in Native American literature, expository writing and contemporary Native American issues.

■ Students accepted for the Native American Summer Bridge Program will be provided with tuition, room and board on campus during the 8-week 2003 summer term (June 23 through August 15) and an allowance for books and school supplies. Upon completing summer session work, students will have earned 9 credits of college-level work (5 percent of total credits required for graduation) and will carry the honor of being a participant in this program with them into their university career.

Applications should include the following: a brief essay (2-3 double-spaced or neatly hand-written pages) in which you describe your commitment to cultural diversity, citing relevant academic achievements, community work, and personal experiences along with any plans you may have to apply your experience and education to living in and contributing to a multi-cultural world. In addition, please include a separate page with your name, mailing address, telephone and/or e-mail address, social security number (optional), and a statement giving permission to The UO English Department faculty to review your UO application materials (transcripts and personal statement).

For more information go to <http://cas.uoregon.edu/alumnidev/cascade/> or call 541-346-1309. **Deadline to apply: March 28, 2003.**