

Guidance Update

5/4/2018

College Scholarships (Requiring In-House Applications) and Guidance News

Abbott and Fenner Business Consultants Scholarship

The Abbott and Fenner Business Consultants group is offering several scholarship opportunities for graduating seniors. Please visit <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm> for more details. Deadline for these scholarships is June 14th, 2018.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority

The Gary chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority will award scholarships to graduating young women that have been accepted to a four year college/university. Eligible seniors must be female, have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, have proof of admittance to a four year post-secondary institution, and demonstrate both leadership and community service activities. For more information and to apply, please access the application attached to this email or swing by the Guidance Office to obtain a copy from the red scholarship bin. Applications must be postmarked by **May 9th**, 2018.

Peter V. Westhaysen Medical Education Trust Scholarship Fund

The Peter V. Westhaysen Medical Education Trust Fund is available for post-secondary undergraduate, graduate, and post-graduate students pursuing a medical, pre-medical, nursing, and/or pre-nursing program at an accredited university. Applicants must be Lake County residents and the scholarship can be applied towards tuition costs, fees, books, and transportation. The deadline for this scholarship is June 15th, 2018 and must be mailed to the address listed on the application- these applications **will not** be collected in the Guidance Office. For a copy of the application, visit www.firstmidwest.com/wm_scholarships/ or pick up a copy from the scholarship bin in the Guidance Office. For questions regarding this scholarship, please contact Jessica Peyton at (219) 853-3535 or jessica.peyton@firstmidwest.com.

Kathy Brunke Memorial Scholarship

The Alpha Delta Kappa- Beta Epsilon Chapter is pleased to announce their renewable \$1,000 Kathy Brunke Memorial Scholarship opportunity. Kathy Brunke was a beloved teacher and member of Alpha Delta Kappa and this scholarship is presented in her honor.

Eligible applicants must be enrolled in an institution of higher learning for the 2018-2019 school year, be majoring in the field of Education, have maintained a B average through their junior year, submit a letter of recommendation by a faculty member or counselor, and return all materials to the address listed on the application **by May 10th, 2018**. Electronic copies are unavailable but hard copies of the application can be obtained from the Guidance Office scholarship bin. If you have any questions regarding this scholarship or have trouble obtaining a copy from the bin, please see Mrs. Terry.

Ms. Elle's Especially for You Dare to be Different Scholarship

Ms. Elle's Especially for You through the Dare to be Different Scholarship program is committed to helping provide college financial assistance to eligible high school students wishing to continue their education. This program will be awarding \$500 scholarships to deserving Lake County high school seniors graduating in 2018. Requirements include a completed application, official transcripts displaying a GPA of 2.0 or higher, a copy of your college acceptance letter, a short essay (250-500 words) on how you dare to be different, and three letters of recommendation. Stop by Guidance to pick up information on this exciting opportunity. All applications must be mailed to the address on the application by May 25th, 2018. If you have any questions, please contact the Ms. Elle's Especially for You office at (219) 924-4204.

Colleges/ Universities Visiting MHS

(An admission representative will be hosting an information table outside the food court during all three lunch periods. These visits are a great opportunity to learn more about various universities and have your questions answered.)

****No college reps scheduled at this time****

Scholarship Opportunities/ Financial Help with College/ After High School Plans (Newest at top)

Ball State Digital Corps Scholarship and Job Opportunity

Last year, Ball State University was thrilled to announce that the Digital Corps would offer an annual, renewable scholarship and on-campus job positions to incoming freshmen. The Digital Corps is a creative agency on Ball State's campus composed of students and professional staff members that work together to create digital solutions for their clients. The Digital Corps Scholarship includes a renewable \$5,000 scholarship as well as an on-campus hourly paid position. Ball State is looking for the best and brightest high school students who are interested in Ball State and deeply invested in exploring digital media. When hired, students go through extensive training and work on multidisciplinary teams to solve problems and develop innovative, real-world products. Teams include: Development,

Design, User Experience, Communication, and Video. This is a chance for students to develop their technical and work skills, earn an income, and build their professional portfolios. Interested students should visit

https://apso.bsu.edu/scholarship/?utm_source=Yes%2C+I%27m+interested+in+the+Digital+Corps+Scholarship&utm_campaign=afd37e424b-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2018_03_28&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_c09da370c4-afd37e424b-194842257 to apply by May 18th. For more information, contact digitalcorps@bsu.edu.

Indy Pride 2018 Scholarship

Indy Pride, Inc. is proud to announce their 2018 Scholarship! This scholarship program was established to reward future and current students attending an accredited Indiana-based university or college who are making significant contributions to the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Questioning/Queer, and Straight Ally (LGBTQS) community through their academic pursuits. The scholarship program also provides for those who identify as members of the LGBTQS community and demonstrate a lack of support to attend an institute of higher education. Successful applicants may earn a scholarship of up to \$2000.00 each. Further application information, instructions, and the link to the online form can be found at <https://indypride.org/educational-scholarships/>. The deadline for consideration is **Saturday, May 5th, 2018** at 11:59pm EST. If you have any questions that the website does not answer, please feel free to email your questions to scholarship@indypride.org.

#Collegiance

Have you been accepted to college? Would you like the chance to win up to \$5,000 for school? All you have to do is announce your college acceptance on Instagram with the hashtag #collegiance to be entered to win scholarship money. The #collegiance program was created by Collegeboard- the same folks that bring you PSAT, SAT, and AP- to celebrate the excitement of college acceptance and to reward students for their hard work. It only takes a second, so proclaim your #collegiance today!

Horatio Alger Association Career & Technical Scholarship Program

Are you a current senior planning to enroll in a Career and Technical Post-secondary Program for Fall 2018? If so, consider applying for the Horatio Alger Association Career & Technical Scholarship Program. Since 1984, the Horatio Alger Association has awarded over \$125 million in college scholarships to deserving students. This program provides financial assistance to students throughout the nation who have financial need and have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity. Scholarship criteria include high school completion in Spring 2018, commitment to pursue and complete a career or technical certificate/degree, Pell-eligibility, and United States citizenship. Apply at www.application.horatioalger.org by June 15, 2018 for priority consideration. For more

information regarding this program, visit

www.scholars.horatioalger.org/scholarships/about-our-scholarship-programs/technical/

Animation Career Review “Aspiring Animation Professional” Scholarship

This \$1,000 scholarship is awarded annually to a student interested in pursuing an animation related degree at an accredited post-secondary school or college. Interested students can visit www.AnimationCareerReview.com to find eligibility information along with an online application. The deadline for this application is June 1, 2018.

Fashion School “Aspiring Fashion Professional” Scholarship

This \$1,000 scholarship is awarded annually to a student interested in pursuing a fashion degree at an accredited post-secondary school or college. Interested students can visit www.Fashion-Schools.org to find eligibility information along with an online application. The deadline for this application is June 1, 2018.

Online MBA Report “Aspiring Business Professional” Scholarship

This \$1,000 scholarship is awarded annually to a student interested in pursuing a business degree at an accredited post-secondary school or college. Interested students can visit www.OnlineMBAReport.com to find eligibility information along with an online application. The deadline for this application is June 1, 2018.

College Visits and Open Houses (Newest at top)

Case Western Reserve University Info Session

Case Western Reserve University will host an informational session for interested students at the Renaissance Chicago North Shore Hotel (933 Skokie Blvd, Northbrook) on Sunday, May 20th at 3:00 pm. For more information and to register, please visit www.go.case.edu/portal/off-campus.

Exploring College Options: Selective Schools

The Exploring College Options program is hosting several informational evening meetings for students interested in Duke, Georgetown, Harvard, Penn, and Stanford. For more information and to find out when you can attend one of the May programs, visit www.exploringcollegeoptions.org. An RSVP is required, so visit the website to make your reservation as soon as possible!

Bradley University Summer Visit Programs

Bradley University will hold its summer visit programs for prospective students wanting to explore the various majors offered at BU. The dates for these programs is as follows: Friday, June 15th: Foster College of Business, Friday June 22nd: College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Friday June 29th: Caterpillar College of Engineering and Technology, Friday July 13th: College

of Education and Health Sciences, and Friday July 20th: Slane College of Communications and Fine Arts. For more information regarding these programs and to make your reservation, visit www.bradley.edu/visit or call (309) 677-1000.

Indiana University Northwest

Indiana University Northwest will be hosting various open houses for specific majors throughout the semester on Fridays at 9:30am. For more information on dates and majors, please visit <https://www.iun.edu/admissions/insidelook/>. Majors include: Performing Arts, Business, Education, Health, STEM fields, and Criminal Justice.

Opportunities and Employment beyond the Classroom (newest opportunities at top)

Purdue University Northwest Enbridge Summer Engineering Camp

Are you interested in being a part of exciting and interactive activities to learn what engineers really do? This camp is for you! Register for the PNW Enbridge Summer Camp at www.pnw.edu/enbridge-camp. Session 1 (for Middle School students) will run from June 11th-June 15th and Session 2 (for High School students) will run from June 18th-June 22nd. The cost is \$295 per person and the application deadline is June 4th, 2018. Both sessions will be held on the Hammond Campus.

PNW's GenCyber Summer Camp for High School Students

The Department of Computer Information Technology and Graphics at Purdue University Northwest is offering a 1-week FREE GenCyber Summer Camp for high school students from June 11th-June 15th, 2018. GenCyber Camp will immerse students in learner-centered, hands-on labs and game play activities including cyber security awareness education game play, VR game customization, robot game design, ethical hacking labs and cyber forensics cases. Register online at www.centers.pnw.edu/cybersecurity/gencyber-camps/ and click on 2018 Student Camp Registration. For more information, visit www.pnw.edu/citg/

Indiana 4-H entrepreneurship Academy

Applications are now being accepted for the 2018 Indiana 4-H Entrepreneurship Academy. On June 13th-15th youth from across Indiana will develop a better understanding of entrepreneurship to begin making an impact in their local communities. This program is open to students in grades 9-12 who have a passion for innovation, create solutions to problems, design a service to help a certain audience, or have an interest in starting their own business. Please see the attached flier and application for more details. Applications are due May 15th, 2018.

George Washington University Careers in Healthcare Summer Program

Become a student in the GW School of Medicine & Health Sciences and School of Nursing's Careers in Healthcare, an interactive medical career and leadership course. The program runs from July 1-July 13, 2018 and the application deadline is May 15th, 2018. For more information, visit www.summer.gwu.edu/careers-healthcare.

USF Crown Point Health Care Summer Camp

This summer, students in grades 9-11 can discover the career opportunities that exist in the world of healthcare by attending the USF Crown Point Health Care Summer Camp. Students attending this camp will participate in hands-on activities that will introduce them to the concepts behind different healthcare professions including nursing, physical therapy, kinesiology, nutrition, social work, surgery, radiology and more. The USF camp will be held at USF Crown Point (12800 Mississippi Parkway, Crown Point) on June 21st, June 25th, or June 28th from 8 am-3pm. The cost is \$25/camper which includes lunch. For more information and to register, visit www.eventbrite.com/e/usf-crown-point-healthcare-summer-camp-2018-tickets-43319444625.

CEP Summer at PNW

Students currently taking dual credit courses through PNW are eligible to attend the CEP summer program and earn college credit in ENG 105 and/or POL 101 as well as attend a valuable 8-week pre-college workshop offered exclusively at the Hammond campus. Registration for all programs is open now through **May 11th**. For more information, please call (219) 785-5236.

Butler Way Leadership Conference

The Butler Way Leadership Conference: College, Career, Community, YOU will be held on Butler's campus July 9th-12th, 2018 from 9 am-4 pm each day. Through interactive team-building activities, guest speakers, and collaborative conversations, each student will walk away knowing the importance of passion, servanthood, unity, thankfulness, and humility in leading others, and will have a blast doing it! At the completion of the conference, each team will create a School-Based and/or Community-Based Goal Action Plan to submit to the College of Education. Upon review, Butler University's College of Education will award a Butler Youth Service Award to one action plan developed after the conference. The cost is \$195 per student and covers instructional costs, t-shirt, lunch, and all materials. For more information, visit www.butler.edu/teach-butler/teach-butler-workshops and see the video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uq-sA5LBnr8>

Purdue Polytechnic Richmond Engineering Technology Camp

Students currently in grades 8-12 that have an interest in engineering and technology are encouraged to attend the Purdue Polytechnic Engineering Technology Camp on either May 29th or May 31st, 2018 from 10 am to 5 pm. Students will learn about 3D printing, robotics,

and programmable logic controls, as well as introductory principles centered around engineering technology. The cost of the camp is \$30 which includes kits, snacks, lunch, and a t-shirt. Interested students can apply at www.conf.purdue.edu/richmondcamps.

Indiana State University Rock Camp

Rock Camp is an intense 8 day 7 night residency program that runs July 7th-July 12th on the ISU campus. Students choose to play one of five traditional rock instruments and are educated on the one they select. This camp is open to beginning, intermediate, and advanced music students. For more information, please contact Crystal Phillips-Sabla at (812) 237-2528 or Crystal.Myers@indstate.edu.

Indiana State University Youth Music Camp

ISU's Youth Music Camp is a 7 day 6 night residency program that runs July 22nd-July 28th. This is a camp that celebrates singing and strings orchestra through master classes, private lessons, concerts, and guided listening. Intermediate and advanced level students welcome. For more information, please contact Crystal Phillips-Sabla at (812) 237-2528 or Crystal.Myers@indstate.edu.

Kode with Klossy Summer Camp and Scholarship

Spend two weeks falling in love with code while building real apps. Over the course of two weeks, scholars are introduced to software engineering principles and learn the same programming languages behind apps like Twitter and The New York Times. You work together in teams, collaborating with inspiring instructors and fellow participants, to explore the incredible world of code. Developed by supermodel Karlie Kloss, the Kode with Klossy camps are offered to young women ages 13-18 who show an interest in coding/web development. No experience necessary or expected! The Chicago Kode with Klossy camp will be offered August 6th-August 17th, 2018. To apply for a scholarship to attend the camp or to obtain more information, please visit <https://www.kodewithklossy.com/campscholarship>.

Boston Leadership Institute STEM and Medical Summer Enrichment Programs

Boston Leadership Institute runs award-winning one and three-week summer programs for high-achieving students, which are taught by distinguished teachers from leading colleges or high schools. You can see all the programs offered and read more about BLI at <http://bostonleadershipinstitute.com/index>, and general questions can be directed to info@bostonleadershipinstitute.com.

Reading, Writing, and Speed Reading- Local Summer Programs

The Indiana University Northwest Center for Urban and Regional Excellence is offering local summer programs in Griffith, Highland, and Portage for children 4 years of age through adults. These programs cover areas in phonics, fluency, comprehension, love of reading,

textbook skills, writing, and speed reading. For more information and to register, see the attached flier or call 1-800-470-3728.

Project Fashion

Experience America will offer its World's Best Fashion Camp at the University of Southern California- Los Angeles from July 1st-14th, 2018. For more information on how to apply, obtain financial aid, or details regarding this opportunity, visit www.fashion.experienceamerica.com or call (800) 410-6088.

Game Experience Summer Camps

Experience America is offering its 2018 Game Experience summer camps in both Los Angeles and Seattle. Students will get experience in Game Development, Engineering & Robotics, and Coding. For more information, visit www.gameexperienceamerica.com or call (800) 410-6088.

Office of Lake County Surveyor- Seasonal Employment Opportunity

The Lake County Surveyor's Office is looking to employ high school students seasonally from April-September. Job duties would include clearing, cleaning, and snagging of county regulated drains, creeks, and ditches. This outdoor work can be physically demanding and requires the employee to have the ability to lift 20 pounds or more, the ability to operate or be trained to operate a commercial chainsaw and commercial weed wacker, and the ability to work outside for the majority of the day. The work day extends from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm and the pay is \$10.00/hour. Interested applicants must be 16 years of age or older and can contact Jean Gray in the Lake County Surveyor's Office at (219) 755-3745 for application information. Please see the attached flier for more details.

Purdue Cybersecurity Camp

The Department of Computer & Information Technology at Purdue University was awarded a GenCyber grant, funded by the NSA and NSF, to host a **free**, residential cybersecurity camp **for 40 girls, incoming 9th-12th grade**. Please visit <https://polytechnic.purdue.edu/camps/gen cyber> for more information on this fantastic opportunity!

10th Annual Apex Leadership Summit at Ole Miss

The 10th Annual Apex Leadership Summit will be held on the campus of the University of Mississippi for three sessions spanning June 10-13, June 24-27, and July 8-11, 2018. Eligible students must be current juniors who have demonstrated leadership potential and show interest in this opportunity. To obtain more information and to receive and application, please see Mrs. Terry in the Guidance Office.

University of Dayton Summer Engineering Camps

The University of Dayton has three exciting residential engineering camps for high school students available this summer. The programs include METEC: Minority Engineering and Technology Enrichment Camp for Young Men, Women in Engineering Summer Camp, and the Summer Honors Engineering Camp. For more information regarding these summer programs, please call (937) 2295080 or email Shawnee Breitenstein at udengineering@dayton.edu.

SummerFAB Architecture Workshop on Making and Building

Wentworth Institute of Technology will be offering an architectural 4-week summer program from July 9th-August 3rd, 2018. If you have an interest in designing and constructing a full-scale structure, temporary art or temporary installation, creating a community-based project, and earning college credit, then take some time to explore this opportunity by visiting www.wit.edu/summerfab.

New York University Summer Programs

NYU offers a myriad of exciting summer program opportunities for high school students. For more information on programs offered and how to apply, visit www.nyu.edu/highschool.

Gatlin Plumbing & Heating, INC

If you are interested in opportunities in the fields of plumbing, pipefitting, etc and would be willing to join a union, please see Mrs. Terry in the Guidance Office for information on the various unions in Northwest Indiana and the opportunities that they offer.

HOBY State Leadership Seminar

Are you a sophomore that is interested in learning how to lead others to the best of your ability? Consider attending the HOBY State Leadership Seminar that will be held in Indianapolis from June 7th-June 10th, 2018. Log in to learn more and register at www.HOBY.ORG/REGISTERNOW. You will need a school ID (5977) and a school password (xmgwyu) to register. The Indiana seminar will be held on the University of Indianapolis campus.

Indiana University Engineering Summer Camps

The Department of Intelligent Systems Engineering at the School of Informatics, Computing, and Engineering at Indiana University is proud to offer two innovative camps during summer 2018. One camp focuses on students in grades 5-8 and the other is a week-long residential camp for grades 9-12. For details and to apply visit www.sice.indiana.edu/summercamp.

Ball State University Design Works Summer Academy

Ball State University will host their DesignWorks Summer Academy from July 8th through July 20th, 2018. Any sophomore or junior interested in the fields of architecture, urban

planning, landscape architecture, social justice, environmental awareness, art, science, and math should consider attending this “immersive, intensive, team-driven college level experience.” You can learn more about the DesignWorks Summer Academy and how to apply for admission by contacting Lori Pence at (765) 285-5879 or lpence@bsu.edu.

Boston University

Boston University will host a number of exciting summer pre-college programs for high school students during its summer 2018 term. For more information about these programs and how to apply, visit www.bu.edu/summer/highschool.

Marist Summer Pre-College Program

The Marist Summer Pre-College Programs provide rising high school juniors and seniors the opportunity to take a course in a field they are passionate about while getting a taste of college life. This program is now accepting applications for their pre-college summer program at Marist’s campus in Poughkeepsie, NY. For more information, visit www.marist.edu/precollege or see Mrs. Terry in Guidance.

Hillside College

Hillside College is offering several summer study abroad opportunities for students interested in literature, history, and politics. For more information, please visit www.hillside.edu/hs-programs.

Pratt Institute Pre-College Program

The Pratt Institute is offering a precollege program from July 2nd-27th at their Brooklyn Campus. For more information, please visit www.pratt.edu/precollege.

Rotary 2018 World Affairs Seminar

The 2018 World Affairs Seminar from June 23rd-29th hosted by Rotary is for high school students who are interested in tackling challenging global issues. Tuition is \$690 which includes room, food, and all activities. Scholarships are available. More info can be found by visiting www.worldaffairsseminar.org.

Summer Abroad Opportunity: Foreign Language Immersion and Cultural Immersion

Foreign Language Immersion and Cultural Immersion is offering a study abroad summer program to several destinations. For more info, please visit. www.flsas.com.

Pharmacy Technician Online Program

PassAssured is offering a Pharmacy Technician program completely online for graduating seniors. For more information, please visit www.passassured.com.

Washington University Summer Programs

Washington University in St. Louis is offering several summer programs focusing on medicine, engineering, writing, humanities, leadership, and environmental studies. For more information, please visit www.summperexperiences.wustl.edu.

Summer Institute for the Gifted

The Summer Institute for the Gifted is hosting multi-week residential programs for all high school students. For more information on dates and campus locations, please visit www.giftedstudy.org.

Stanford University Summer Programs

Stanford University will be hosting several summer programs focusing on sports business, humanities, arts, and artificial intelligence. To learn more please visit www.spcs.stanford.edu/find-yourself.

Notre Dame Summer Programs

The University of Notre Dame is hosting several summer precollege programs in various areas of study. Notre Dame also offers summer leadership seminars and study abroad programs. For more information, please visit <https://precollege.nd.edu/>.

Yale Young Global Scholars Summer Pre-College Programs

Yale Young Global Scholars offers seven intensive, interdisciplinary summer pre-collegiate experiences for 2018: Politics, Law, and Economics; International Affairs and Security; Sustainable Development & Social Entrepreneurship; Applied Science & Engineering; Biological & Biomedical Science; Frontiers of Science & Technology; and Asia in the 21st Century. ATC will be held at Yale Center Beijing in China and all other sessions will be held at Yale University in New Haven, CT. While the academic themes of the sessions are different, participants in each session complete similarly structured tasks and learning modules. All seven sessions give high school student leaders opportunities to recognize and understand contemporary global issues, strategize responses, and innovate solutions while learning from renowned practitioners and Yale faculty members in a range of fields.

For more information on dates and application procedures, please visit

<https://globalscholars.yale.edu/sessions-dates>.

SAT/ACT/ PSAT/Advanced Placement Test Information and Practice

- ACT Prep: Please visit the Test Prep section at <http://actstudent.org/testprep/>. Sample questions and resources are available for free and some for a small purchase.

- If you are a student with an Individualized Education Plan or 504 Plan, you can request to have testing accommodations for all of the above tests. For the PSAT, SAT, and AP exams, students must have a signed parental consent form. The form can be found at <https://www.collegeboard.org/pdf/ssd/ssd-consent-form-accommodations.pdf>. Please turn this form into the Guidance Office. To apply for ACT testing accommodations, please visit <http://www.actstudent.org/regist/disab/>.

If you are unsure if a testing accommodation request has been submitted, please email Mrs. Terry at cnerry@munster.us.