

interested, I encourage you to apply as soon as possible. For additional information, please contact me directly. I am here to help you through

Hello,

Sincerely,

Cassidy Zimmerman

"A wise man will make more opportunities than he finds."

- Sir Francis Bacon



What's the difference?

Scholarships:

Scholarships provide support for undergraduate or graduate education. Certain scholarships are also renewable, which means students can reapply the following year. Lastly, scholarships may also include internship opportunities or other educational benefits.

My name is Cassidy Zimmerman and I am the Advisor & Coordinator for National and International Scholarships. This newsletter lists numerous student opportunities and will be updated once per quarter. In this issue, I explain the differences between scholarships, internships, and fellowships. Also included is a list of opportunities with **fast-approaching deadlines**. If

every step of the application process. I look forward to working with you!

Internships:

An internship is a general term for a work-based experience while a student is studying at university. Internships may be paid or unpaid. Whether paid or unpaid, students gain real world experience, ideally in their field of study.

Fellowships:

Fellowships are merit-based scholarships for the purpose of furthering education. Some come with an internship or post-graduate work requirement, such as a research component. Fellowships are usually awarded to students pursuing graduate or doctoral degrees.

Upcoming Scholarship Deadlines:

- Scholarship America Dream Award, Deadline: 12/19/2013 Open to students with at least a 3.0 GPA and who demonstrate financial need.
- AfterCollege Scholarships, Deadline: 12/31/2013 Open to all students, multiple scholarships are available.
- ↓ <u>United Realty Students Scholarship</u>, Deadline: 1/1/2014
 Open to all students. Write a 400-700 word essay on "How Do I Invest in My Future?"
- Hispanic Scholarship Fund, Deadline: 1/15/2014 Open to Latino students, multiple scholarships are available.
- Middlebury Language Schools Scholarship, Deadline:
 1/20/2014
 Open to students interested in Language study during the summer.
- Wayne V. Black Scholarship, Deadline 1/21/2014 Open to students interested in Pre-Law, Political Science, Engineering, Computer Science, and Information Technology.
- Barry Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Program, Deadline 1/31/2014 Open to sophomores and juniors interested in STEM and who have at least a 3.0 GPA. Please contact Ms. Zimmerman as soon as possible if interested in applying.
- Truman Scholars, Deadline 02/04/2014
 Open to juniors interested in a career in public service. Please contact Ms.
 Zimmerman as soon as possible if interested in applying.
- Boren Scholarship, Deadline 02/05/2014

 Open to students interested in studying in areas of the world that are critical to U.S. interests and underrepresented in study abroad, including Africa, Asia, Central & Eastern Europe, Eurasia, Latin America, and the Middle East. Please contact Ms. Zimmerman as soon as possible if interested in applying.
- Society of Women Engineers, Deadline: 2/17/2014 Open to female engineers, multiple scholarships are available.
- The National Institutes of Health Undergraduate Scholarship Program, Deadline: 3/3/2014

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Open to students interested in biomedical, behavioral, and social science healthrelated research and who demonstrate financial need.

The Honors College wants to celebrate your achievements!

Are you applying for any of these or other opportunities not listed in this newsletter? Or have you recently accepted a scholarship, internship, or fellowship? Let us know!



Requesting a letter of recommendation?

Make sure to give your recommender *at least* two weeks to complete the letter.

Also, ask faculty who relate closely to your field of study. For example, if you are applying for a STEM scholarship, request a letter from a STEM professor who is familiar with your work.

"It always seems impossible until it's done."

-Nelson Mandela



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Upcoming Internship Deadlines:

- ♣ J.P. Morgan Summer Internships, Deadline: 12/01/2013

 Open to students interested in Finance, Human Resources, Technology, and more. Locations vary.
- The U.S. Department of Homeland Security HS-STEM Internship, Deadline: 01/06/2014
 Open to sophomore-senior year <u>STEM</u> students interested in these <u>research areas</u>. Locations vary.
- Google Engineering Practicum Internship, Deadline: 01/31/2014

Open to students in their 1st or 2nd year, interested in Computer Science or Electrical and Computer Engineering. Locations vary.

- Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Internship, Deadline 1/312014
 Open to Latino students interested in public service. Location: D.C.
- Amgen Scholars, Deadline: 02/01/2014

 Open to sophomores, juniors, and returning seniors interested in Science or Engineering and interested in pursuing a M.D. or Ph.D. Locations vary.

Upcoming Fellowship Deadlines:

- ★ The National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate
 Fellowship , Deadline: 12/20/2013
 Open to students who intend to pursue a doctoral degree beginning Fall 2014 or Spring 2015, in one of 15 supported disciplines.
- Humane Studies Fellowships, Deadline: 01/05/2014 Open to full-time, incoming graduate students studying economics, philosophy, law, political science, history, and sociology.
- Carnegie Junior Fellows Program, Deadline: 01/15/2014 Open to graduating seniors interested in global issues and public service. Please contact Ms. Zimmerman as soon as possible if interested in applying.