

EOF MATTERS

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Greeting from EOF:

Each year the State of New Jersey EOF Board of Directors and the Commission on Higher Education/ EOF Office invite all 56 institutions in the program to identify graduating EOF students who have demonstrated exceptional achievement during their college careers. This year we are proud to inform the College Community that we have over 50 students.

These students will be recognized on Monday March 17, 2008, during the New Jersey Educational Opportunity Fund Student Day Conference, which will be held at the Sheraton Atlantic City Hotel Atlantic City, New Jersey.

From the Desk of Ms. Calloway: Scholarship Information

National Society of Accountants. Contact: Susan Noell (703) 549-6400 www.nsacct.org; e-mail jhemphil@nsacct.org Eligibility: Undergraduate students majoring in accounting. Open to students in 2 or 4 year schools. Award: \$500-\$1000 Deadline: March 10th

Academy of Television Arts and Sciences Student Internship Program. Contact (818) 754-2800 www.emmys.tv/foundation/internships.php, e-mail: maiden@emmys.org Eligibility: Undergraduate college students. The program is designed to give students in-depth exposure to professional facilities and practices during an 8 week summer period in California. Award \$4,000 stipend plus \$300 spending allowance. Deadline: March 15

Leonard Perryman Scholarship. Contact Mickey Slayden, United Methodist Communications (615) 742-5400 www.umcom.org Eligibility: Open to ethnic minority students with either junior or senior status. Community college students that will transfer to a university as a junior are eligible. Award is only for students studying journalism or mass communications. Award: Varies. Deadline: March 15th

Air Force Aid Society Grant. Contact: Dory Larkin (800)429-9475. www.afas.org; e-mail dvosburg@afas.org Eligibility: Dependent children of either an active duty, deceased, disabled, or retired officer from the Air Force. Grant is based on financial aid and a minimum 2.0 GPA. Award \$1500 renewable up to 5 years Deadline March 12

World Studio Foundation Scholarships. Contact World studio Foundation (212) 366-1317 e-mail: scholarships@worldstudio.org, www.worldstudio.org Eligibility: Open to disadvantage students currently enrolled at an accredited college and majoring in graphic design, film. Video, fine arts, new media, photography. Selection is based on a slide portfolio of work, a written statement of purpose, financial need, and demonstrated commitment to giving back to the community. Award: Varies Deadline: March 18

Fund for American Studies. Contact: (800)-741-6964 www.tfas.org/ e-mail: info@tfas.org Eligibility: Undergraduate, preference is given to sophomores and juniors majoring in political science, economics, and journalism. Annual 8 week summer institute at Georgetown University offering courses, internships, foreign policy lectures, media dialogue series, site briefings and career days. Award: Varies. Deadline: March 31

American Society of Engineers. Contact: Ping Wei Scholarship Office, 345 E. 47th Street (800)548-2723 www.asce.org Eligibility: Samuel Fletcher Tapman Scholarship requires undergraduate freshman or juniors pursuing a degree in engineering. Amount: \$2000
Deadline: March

More from Ike Azubuike

To all EOF Seniors Students, if you graduated in August (summer II) or December (fall semester) of 2007 or think you will be graduating in June of 2008, please stop by EOF Department and see your Counselor.

Have you applied for or renewed your **Financial Aid Application** for the Academic Year **2008-2009**? It is not too late to apply now, get on the Web and apply or renew your application.

From Caroline Beretta

March Forum is on "Hot Careers Forum". Tuesday, March 25th, 2008 – 2:30 to 4:00pm

Thursday, March 27th, 2008 – 3:30 to 5:00pm. Green Area Snack Bar
These forums are mandatory for all EOF students

Reminders:

Withdrawal: The last day to withdraw from full term courses is March 14, 2008.

Registration: WEB Registration for the summer sessions start March 24, 2008.

EOF Forum Update: If you have not attended at least Three Forums, you may be in danger of losing your EOF funding. Please see your EOF Counselor ASAP if you are in doubt.

If you are on **probation** please contact your EOF Counselor ASAP to help you get back on track! We are here to help you and assist you in any way that we can. Also, remember that we have EOF Tutors that can assist you with bringing your grades to an "A".

From Joanna Romano

Save the Date for The Annual EOF Graduation Dinner Party: Friday, May 16, 2008, 6pm. Details to follow! If you would like to assist in the planning for the event, please see your Counselor, Ms. Torres or Ms. Romano ASAP!!!



Goodbye and well wishes for two esteemed EOF Counselors – Ms. Rose Marie Aikas and Ms. Diana Martinez. They are going on to further pursue their educational and career goals!! We thank them for all of their efforts to make a positive change in the life of EOF students – and staff!!! You Go Girls!



Hello and Welcome to Mr. Kobena Arthur. He will be counseling part time in the EOF Department. Mr. Arthur (nickname K.K.) has an impressive background in Counseling, Administration, Religion – he is



even in the Navy!!! Welcome aboard Mr. K.K.!!!

College Tours: If you are thinking of transferring to any of these colleges come to the EOF department and sign-up. The tours are scheduled in March and April. We will visit the following schools: Bloomfield College, College of Saint Elizabeth, Kean University, Montclair State University, NJIT, Rutgers-Newark, Seton Hall University and William Paterson University.

News from College of Saint Elizabeth (CSE). Accelerated Admission Days- Tuesdays & Thursdays in March. Call now to make your appointment for an Instant Decision on your Application for fall 2008. Visit our site at www.cse.edu. For more information, call 800-210-7900 or email apply@cse.edu

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