

**15 December 2013*****Greetings from the Office of Multicultural Programs (OMP)!***

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- Want to join the staff? Check this out!

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- A beneficial program to new students!

**Internship Opportunities**

- Are you interested in a summer internship? Look at a few available options to get a head start.

**National Student Exchange**

- Are you wishing you could study for your degree at a different College and experience unique academic options? Now is your chance!

**Scholarship/Grants**

- Great opportunity that has many different options

## Tutoring

Need help with a class or would you like to offer other students help with a class? Contact [francis.oakgrove@ndsu.edu](mailto:francis.oakgrove@ndsu.edu) for more information.



## Want to join the Campus Attractions Staff?

**BENEFITS:** Plan the events on campus and go behind the scenes with performers, work in a team setting, and be involved on campus! You gain a lot of experience and tools that are useful for any profession.

**\$3500** tuition stipend (\$1750 per semester) for all positions except MU Live and Films which receive **\$4000** (\$2000 per semester).

**REQUIREMENTS:** 2.5 GPA semester and cumulative, enrolled in at least 9 credits (6 credits if in Graduate School), 5 set office hours each week, about 15 hours outside of office hours for events, meetings and other activities. (Some weeks are busier than others.)

Applications are available online at [www.ndsu.edu/campusattractions](http://www.ndsu.edu/campusattractions) or in the Student Activities Office. **Applications due Friday, January 17 at 5 PM.** Interviews will be held the week on January 29, 30, & 31.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Chris. St. Amant or Ben Tang at [701-231-7221](tel:701-231-7221) or [ndsu.ca@ndsu.edu](mailto:ndsu.ca@ndsu.edu)



## Bison Bridge Program

**The Bison Bridge Program** assists multicultural, first-generation, first-year students with getting their NDSU career off to a positive start. Prior to classes starting, students participate in a week of activities designed to build academic skills and strategies while getting socially adjusted to college life.

In the coming weeks, look at the NDSU timeline on the websites homepage to get further information on the program.



## Internship Opportunities

**Get Money Now!!!**

**The Doris Duke Conservation Scholars Program Collaborative-** The goal of this multi-year conservation training program is to broaden participation within conservation by students from diverse backgrounds and to train, educate, mentor, and support students who not only have a budding academic interest

in conservation, but are also committed to increasing the diversity of students and professionals in the conservation field.

**Applications are available now and will be accepted through February 15, 2014.** To be eligible for the program, students must be in their sophomore year and enrolled at one of the collaborating universities or planning to enroll at one of the collaborating universities by fall 2014. Non-traditional and transfer students that do not meet the traditional designation of “sophomore” may be eligible and are encouraged to contact the program director at [ddcsp@ufl.edu](mailto:ddcsp@ufl.edu) to discuss their specific circumstances.

Students that are accepted into the program will attend an expense-paid, week-long conservation skills and leadership program in coordination with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service’s National Conservation Training Center in West Virginia in June, and will work fulltime for 8 weeks on field research projects with faculty and graduate student mentors at their home university. During their second summer, students will complete paid internships with local, state, federal, or tribal agencies or NGOs. **Students will earn approximately \$5,000 for each summer and gain the valuable skills and experience that are necessary for a successful career in conservation.**

**University of Iowa Department of Microbiology-** They offer fellowships to 8 to 10 qualified applicants who would like to participate in ten weeks of microbiology research at the University of Iowa.

The program is designed for students who are interested in pursuing graduate school and a career in biological research. Disabled students, underrepresented minority students, and disadvantaged students are especially encouraged to apply. Students selected for our program will work under the direct supervision of one of our faculty.

Requirements – Each student must be a permanent resident or citizen of the US, and have completed up to your sophomore year towards a bachelor degree by June 2014.

Each student will receive a \$5,000 stipend plus a food allowance. The program also pays for housing in a University of Iowa dormitory. Funds are also available for travel to and from Iowa City and for 2 semester hours of academic credit.

Please visit the website for more information at <http://www.meicine.uiowa.edu/microbiology/summer/>.



### **National Student Exchange**

The National Student Exchange is a network for inter-university exchange within the United States, Canada, Guam, and Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands

Continue to make progress toward your degree while studying in new places, meeting new people, and enrolling in specialized courses or unique academic options at other campuses. Pay NDSU tuition and choose from nearly 200 locations.



## Scholarship/Grant Site

<http://www.onlineschools.org/financial-aid/minority/> is a site that has a multitude of scholarship opportunities that benefit students who fit into the following categories:

- SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS FOR AFRICAN AMERICANS
- SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS FOR WOMEN
- SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS FOR HISPANIC AND LATINO STUDENTS
- SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS FOR NATIVE AMERICAN STUDENTS
- SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS FOR ASIAN-AMERICAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER STUDENTS
- SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

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## Events

- Please “like” NDSU Multicultural Programs on **Facebook!** We regularly post event updates and items of interest. We are at [www.facebook.com/NDSUMulticultural](http://www.facebook.com/NDSUMulticultural).
- **EVENT CALENDARS:** Check out the monthly Diversity Events Calendar, the Diversity Community Calendar & the NDSU Diversity Calendar [www.ndsu.edu/diversity/](http://www.ndsu.edu/diversity/)  
Also check out the Interfaith Calendar at [www.interfaithcalendar.org/](http://www.interfaithcalendar.org/)



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