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## Greetings from the Office of Multicultural Programs (OMP)!

Your email address has been placed on this OMP listserv to receive these messages because you identified yourself to NDSU as a multicultural student. As a member of the listserv, you will receive a message on the 1st and 15th of every month (as available) notifying you of a variety of items of interest to domestic multicultural students. For instructions on how to unsubscribe, please go to <https://listserv.nodak.edu/>.

Copies of this and past issues are available in our Study Center. Current issue is also available in PDF form on our website, [www.ndsu.edu/multicultural](http://www.ndsu.edu/multicultural). Please check prior issues for content items that are still open/available, as items are usually not repeated from issue to issue.



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## Scholarships



## Volunteer Opportunities

### Tutors Wanted!

**OMP, volunteer up to 10 hours per week**

The Office of Multicultural Programs is looking for people to volunteer to tutor a variety of classes for our students. If you have the skills to help someone else understand a class they are struggling with, please contact Frank Oakgrove in our office. [francis.oakgrove@ndsu.edu](mailto:francis.oakgrove@ndsu.edu) 231-7267



## Employment/Internship Opportunities

### Campus Attractions

**Coordinator Positions, 15-20 hrs per week**

Application deadline 9/14/12

Looking for a fun campus job that offers up to \$4,000 tuition stipend for the year? Campus Attractions, the student programming board, has 3 coordinator positions available – Films, MU Live and Special Events. Coordinators are expected to work approximately 15-20 hours per week to develop programs, publicity, committees, and related activities. The MU Live Coordinator and the Films Coordinator will each receive a \$4,000 tuition stipend and the Special Events Coordinator receives a \$3,500 tuition stipend (fall semester stipends will be pro-rated depending upon the actual start date).

*Applications are being accepted now **until Friday, September 14 at 5pm**.* For more information, stop by the Student Activities Office, call 231.7221, email [ndsu.ca@ndsu.edu](mailto:ndsu.ca@ndsu.edu) or check out the CA website: [www.ndsu.edu/campusattractions](http://www.ndsu.edu/campusattractions)



## Seminars, Training, Other Educational Opportunities

### **UNIVERSITY STUDIES 199 (Course 21603)**

**2-credit class, Tuesdays, 3-5pm, OMP**

**STARTS SEP 4**

**Register on Campus Connection through 8/31 (After 8/31, please contact Kara at 231-1029)**

This course is intended for students newly admitted to North Dakota State University with the Cultural Diversity Tuition Discount (CTD); however, non-CTD students can also enroll on a space-available basis.

As part of the Cultural Diversity Scholars course, students will develop a sense of community with other multicultural students, develop university academic success strategies and work with faculty and staff mentors. Students will learn about campus programs and services offered at NDSU to help them achieve

academic success, they will develop a wide variety of skills including professional, leadership, communication and conflict resolution skills, as well as learn about diverse perspectives and participate in diversity-related experiences on campus.

Textbook to be used: Frankl, V. (1959). *Man's Search for Meaning*. Beacon Press: Boston (less than \$10 on Amazon!)

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### **THE ART OF LIVING**

#### **8-session workshop series, Wednesdays 3:30-5pm**

Here is your chance to be a part of the second group of NDSU students to experience *The Art of Living*. This program is designed to help college students, like you, transition successfully into adulthood. The program focuses on helping you learn about yourself and the world around you, how to adapt to inevitable shortcomings and failures in life, and how to define and plan for a good and/or successful life. The program is centered on the belief that life is a gift – a gift entailing a responsibility to build a self that is worthy of self-respect and the respect of others.

The Art of Living is sponsored by the NDSU Counseling Center. It is an eight-session workshop series, meeting Wednesday afternoons (3:30 – 5:00 PM). Sessions are scheduled to begin on October 10 and to meet weekly through December 5 (except for Thanksgiving week).

Week 1: October 10	Your True Self
Week 2: October 17	Academics
Week 3: October 24	Mindfulness
Week 4: October 31	Resilience
Week 5: November 7	Review of Myers Briggs Type Indicator Results
Week 6: November 14	Love & Relationships
Week 7: November 28	Alcohol and Other Drugs
Week 8: December 5	How People Change, Flow, Goal Setting, Vision Quest

If you are interested in learning more about yourself, making the most out of your NDSU experience, and preparing for the years to come – join us for this special program. ***Space is limited to the first 10 students to register.*** The program is free for participants (and includes several assessment instruments that normally have a fee attached).

For more information, or to register for the program, call the Counseling Center (1-7671 or email Bill Burns at [william.burns@ndsu.edu](mailto:william.burns@ndsu.edu)).

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### **LEADERQUEST**

#### **Applications Due: November 2**

LeaderQuest will help you develop your ability to lead, motivate others, and much more. LeaderQuest is for any student who wants to learn how to be an effective leader in any situation. LeaderQuest occurs in the Spring semester of each year, January thru April. Applications due November 2.

Check it out - [http://www.ndsu.edu/mu/programs/leadership\\_programs/leaderquest/](http://www.ndsu.edu/mu/programs/leadership_programs/leaderquest/)

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## **STUDY ABROAD**

Are you interested in a study abroad trip to Europe during the summer of 2013? Come to an informational meeting on Wednesday, September 5, in the Peace Garden room in the Memorial Union at one of the following times: 11:00 a.m.; 12:00 p.m.; 1:00 p.m.; 2:00 p.m.

We will have an additional meeting in Barry Hall at 4:00 p.m. in room 262 (Barry Hall is part of the downtown campus, located on the corner of 10<sup>th</sup> St. and 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue) . Learn about earning academic credit while visiting seven European countries (Ireland, Northern Ireland, Belgium, Germany, Luxembourg, France, and Switzerland). All majors are welcome to attend.

For more information about the trip, which is sponsored by the NDSU College of Business, please visit: [http://www.ndsu.edu/cgi/summer\\_in\\_europe/](http://www.ndsu.edu/cgi/summer_in_europe/)

We also have a YouTube video about the trip: <http://bit.ly/u9ka3i>

Earn six hours of credit (MGMT 440, International Management and BUSN 341, European Business Environment). Prereq: for non-business majors: Junior standing. For business majors: MGMT 320.

I hope to see you at the informational meeting on Wednesday, September 5, in either the MU or Barry Hall.

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## **It's Our Business: College Summit to Prevent Sexual and Dating Violence** **September 18, 6-9:30pm**

Rape and Abuse Crisis Center is organizing a summit for college students entitled "It's Our Business: College Summit to Prevent Sexual and Dating Violence". Student leaders from all the area colleges are encouraged to attend. At the summit, facilitators will highlight social norms about sexual and dating violence, challenge beliefs and behaviors, and inspire action. This is a great opportunity to learn about different dimensions of primary prevention and discuss with peers the possibilities for change on campus. If you might be interested in taking part in this conversation, here is a link to further information on logistics:

[http://www.impactgiveback.org/event\\_detail?id=a01F0000008rMXEIA2](http://www.impactgiveback.org/event_detail?id=a01F0000008rMXEIA2)

The summit is free and a meal is included. It takes place on September 18<sup>th</sup> from 6 – 9:30 pm.



## **Special Events/Activities and other Announcements**

- **ITASCA STATE PARK HIKING TRIP**

Come and enjoy the fall color season of Northern Minnesota. Itasca State Park is known for the headwaters of the Mississippi river, numerous hiking trails, beautiful scenery and landscape. Participants are responsible for all meals and should pack a lunch that can be brought in the State Park.

Trip on Saturday, Sept. 29 - Sign up down in the R&O

Check out all the trips and classes offered by the R&O - [http://www.ndsu.edu/mu/leisure/mu\\_breaks/](http://www.ndsu.edu/mu/leisure/mu_breaks/)

- Returning Students! If you have a **new address** since last school year, be sure your **mailing address** is up to date! You need to update it on Campus Connection or stop by Bison Connection to make sure it is correct.
- **REC & OUTING DAILY SPECIALS!**  
 Mondays - Monday Night Bowling League  
 Tuesdays - Tuesday Night Billiards League  
 Wednesdays - Strike Out Hunger  
 Thursdays - Red Pin Bowling  
 Fridays - Bison Pride Fridays and MU Live, 9:30pm-1am  
 Saturday & Sunday - Weekend Madness  
 Learn more here - [http://www.ndsu.edu/mu/leisure/rec\\_outing/rec\\_center/](http://www.ndsu.edu/mu/leisure/rec_outing/rec_center/)
- 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) .
- **GREEK LIFE RECRUITMENT:** Sorority recruitment occurs September 4-10; Fraternity recruitment occurs September 3-7.
- **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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