CIEP ESSENTIAL NEWS

MID-QUARTER PARTY ON MAY 1st

Please join us on Friday, May 1st from 6:00 – 8:00pm in the UW Tower Cafeteria for our IELP Cinco de Mayo Mid-Quarter Party! Enjoy delicious Mexican food and Spanish language music! The Mid-Quarter Party is a great way to celebrate the middle of the quarter, hang out with old friends and meet some new ones. We hope to see you there!

CAMPUS IEP PHOTO CONTEST

It’s time for our quarterly photo contest for the Campus IEP. The winning photo will be published on the IELP Twitter page, CIEP Facebook page, and front cover of our Campus IEP Weekly Planner in Summer Quarter! The IELP Student Council and CIEP faculty and staff will choose the winning photo. The winning photo will be revealed at our CIEP End of Quarter Ceremony!

We are looking for a photo representing the UW campus that does NOT contain close-up pictures of people’s faces. (NO “selfies”, please!) The photo should also represent the UW campus during Summer season. Besides these guidelines, you are free to use your creativity and imagination! Each student may submit a maximum of five photos.

Please e-mail your submissions to eslactiv@pce.uw.edu. We need to receive all submissions by Monday, May 11th at 5:00 PM. We look forward to seeing all your photos!

45P BUILDING ETIQUETTE

Many students have classes in the 45th Street Plaza Building (45P) on the corner of 45th and 11th Avenue. The owners of the building and other tenants (people who have offices in that building) have asked us to remind CIEP students of some building rules. Some of the rules are for safety, and others are just to be respectful and considerate of others.

- First, please do not gather together and “hang out” with classmates in the lobby areas near the elevators.
- If you want to take a break between classes and talk with friends, please stay inside the CIEP classroom area on floor 6, or go outside the building entirely.
- Second, if you do go outside to smoke, please go outside the building and north of the building.

Remember, Seattle law requires smokers to be 25 feet (8 meters) away from a doorway.

Thank you.
ATTENDANCE REMINDER

Please attend class every day. Immigration requires us to report if a student is not making progress. One important part of making progress is by attending class every day. Attendance is required in the CIEP and there are no excused absences. However, we understand that sometimes you need to be absent due to illness so ten absences in a single class are allowed. Keep track of how often you are late to class and how often you are absent. If you are not sure, please ask your teacher.

A MESSAGE FROM THE ACADEMIC ADVISOR

Join us! Learn about things that can help you!

How to Apply to UW Seattle

Come learn about how to apply to UW Seattle. Ask questions and begin planning!

Undergraduate (Bachelor’s) Study: Wednesday, April 29, 11:30-12:20, UW Tower Floor 13

The Graduate School: Friday, May 1, 1:30-2:20, UW Tower Floor 13

Questions? Contact Nicole. nminkoff@pce.uw.edu

College & Graduate School Fair

Representatives from colleges and graduate schools will be in the UW Tower Cafeteria on Friday, May 8, from 11:00-1:00 to talk with you about their schools and answer your questions! A teacher will also be on hand to talk about preparing for the GRE!

Questions? Contact Nicole. nminkoff@pce.uw.edu

A MESSAGE FROM THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADVISORS

We are here to help you. If you have any questions about your F-1 visa, I-20, school transfers, or life in Seattle, please send an email to us at aid@pce.uw.edu or make an appointment with Marissa or Suzy at the UW Tower on the 13th floor by calling 206-543-6242.

Volunteer Opportunity

This quarter the International – Teaching English as a Foreign Language (I-TEFL) instructors are asking for student volunteers! Volunteers would be *students* in a class with teachers who are training to teach English. This gives the teachers who are training to teach TEFL practice giving a teaching demo to international students. It gives you, the international student more English practice!

Here is the key information:

Location: Savery Hall 168 (Main Campus)

Dates and Times:

Wednesday, May 27 7:15 pm - 9 pm
Monday, June 1 6pm - 9pm

If you’re interested, email Wendy Asplin at asplin@u.washington.edu.

Take advantage of this great opportunity! Volunteer! Contact Wendy!

PRE-REGISTRATION FOR SUMMER QUARTER

Spring Quarter has just started, but it is already time to think about summer! The Summer Quarter Student Registration and Information Meetings for students in LS 1-4 courses were on Wednesday, April 22nd. The meeting for students in LS5 is on Friday, April 24th at 11:30 a.m. If you are not in a Listening and Speaking course, you will receive your pre-registration packet in another class.

Please turn in your pre-registration form to your teacher by Monday, April 27th, even if you do not plan to study in our program next quarter. You can still think about your choices and change them before the quarter is over. If you have questions or do not know which classes to take, please call 206-543-6242 to make an advising appointment between May 5th – June 2nd.
Dilek Findik
Country: Germany
Studying: Working as a financial advisor
Favorite food from your country: Spinach
Favorite place to hang out: Capitol Hill

Ahmed Alamoudi
Country: Saudi Arabia
Studying: Air Logistics
Favorite food from your country: Ttuckboki
Favorite place to hang out: University Village

Ji Youn Shim
Country: South Korea
Studying: Air Logistics
Favorite food from your country: Ttuckboki
Favorite place to hang out: University Village

Erika Abe
Country: Japan
Studying: Business Administration w/ a minor in Islamic Culture—Economics
Favorite food from your country: Japanese Culture
Favorite place to hang out: Downtown

Moaied Youssef
Country: Libya
Studying: Petroleum Engineering
Favorite food from your country: Bazin
Favorite place to hang out: California
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### Find More Things to Do in Seattle

A lot of events are happening around the city all the time! There are concerts, plays, sporting events, art exhibitions, and much more to see every weekend. Just make sure you have enough time to do your homework too. Here are some websites that can help you find fun things to do in Seattle:

http://seattletimes.nwsource.com/html/entertainment/
http://www.seattleweekly.com/events/search/
dateRange:%5b2013-01-07,2013-01-24%5d/