Division of Student Affairs Scholarships

**Kappa Alpha Theta High Flyer Award**
For a female student (senior in 2013-14) who is an outstanding undergraduate leader.
Award amount: $10,000
Application deadline: Friday, December 7, 2012

**Minority Student Scholarships**
Four awards for students from minority backgrounds (see award descriptions for additional guidelines).
Award amount: $2,000 each
Application deadline: Friday, December 7, 2012

**Sesquicentennial “Learning to Live a Life” Leadership Award**
For a student (junior or senior in 2013-14) who has developed a significant, unique project with demonstrable results.
Award amount: $3,000
Application deadline: Friday, December 7, 2012

**President’s Leadership Initiative Awards**
Eight awards given on the basis of demonstrated leadership (see award descriptions for additional guidelines).
Award amount: $2,000 each
Application deadline: Friday, December 7, 2012

**Johnny and Terry Pickett Student Enrichment Fund**
For students from underrepresented groups in science, technology, engineering, and math to facilitate experiences such as internships, research, and study abroad.
Award amount: up to $1,000
Application deadlines: November 1, 2012 and April 1, 2013

**Undergraduate Conference Travel Fund**
For undergraduate students attending regional, national, and international conferences.
Award amount: varies (see guidelines)
Application deadline: rolling

All guidelines and applications available at http://www.studentaffairs.iastate.edu/whatwedo/scholarships.php

Questions? Contact Martha Tanner, tannerma@iastate.edu or 294-0322.
The National Collegiate Honors Council is looking for creative students to participate in the 2013 Annual Conference logo design contest. NCHC member institutions are invited to submit up to two original, student-created logos. The student creator of the winning logo will receive complimentary registration to the 2013 Conference, a cash prize of $500 ($250 to the Student and $250 to the honors program), recognition in the online pre-conference program and in the final printed conference program.

The 2013 conference will be held in New Orleans, Louisiana, November 6-10.

Students designing logos should consider the following conference theme statement:

Conflict, Transformation, Creolization.

Since its beginnings as a French colony in 1718, New Orleans has ever been a focal point of social and geopolitical conflicts. Evolving from the intersection of Native Americans, French and Spanish explorers, colonists, nuns and priests, as well as African slaves and free people of color, these confrontations resolved over time into a new synthesis by a process now known as Creolization. The cradle of jazz, Mardi Gras, and savory Cajun cuisine, New Orleans is a paradigm for the creativity that emerges from multicultural interplay. With the resurgence of Spanish language and culture brought by a new wave of immigrants following Hurricane Katrina in 2006, as well as the incursion of new investors in abandoned areas, cultural conflict and development continues to color the city. The resulting confrontations among values, languages, religions and artistic endeavors will continue to transform the city of New Orleans as a rich and unparalleled source of creative cultural synthesis.

Requirements for the student logo contest are available on the NCHC website.

Forms are available at http://nchchonors.org/student-logo-contest-form/. All documents may be uploaded via the online form or e-mailed to nchc@unl.edu

Please note: Logo entries must be submitted by October 15, 2012.

Do Something Different!

Join ISU Alternative Breaks

Spend your Spring Break with ISU Alternative Breaks on a destination service trip! Teams of students engage in a week long community service trip during Spring Break at community agencies across the country, critically engage in social justice issues presented, and learn how to integrate an expanded perspective into their own lives.

Topics this year’s Spring Break trips will tackle:
environment, poverty, children refugees, hunger, substance abuse

*Locations to be announced soon

Apply Online at: www.sac.iastate.edu/altbreaks by Friday, November 2nd at 5 p.m.

Honors Seminar: Spring Break in Belize

How about service-learning on the coast of Belize for spring break? You get the ocean with the satisfaction of giving something back!

The Program

Designed with freshmen in mind, and for those not ready to commit to a summer or semester-long experience, Service-learning in the Caribbean: is an Honors seminar built around a service-learning experience that places participants in the heart of a local community. Students will work on a project in Punta Gorda, Belize on the southern coast, travel to Mayan ruins, learn about ethnic culture, and see the largest barrier reef in the Western Hemisphere.

To Apply

Complete a study abroad application by Nov. 1, 2012
Register for the Honors seminar in Belize

Fees

Estimated fees of $2500 includes:
Airport transportation
Round trip airfare
Accommodation - 10 nights
Most meals
Excursions

For more information contact Laurie Smith-Law in the Honors Program @ lfiegel@iastate.edu

LOGO Contest for NCHC

Want to Make a Difference?
An information meeting about the Udall Scholarship will be held from 4:10 – 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 19 in 1151 Jischke.

The Udall Foundation awards scholarships of up to $5,000 to college students of outstanding potential who are committed to careers related to the environment, tribal public policy, or Native American health care. Candidates must be nominated by their university.

Udall Scholarship winners represent a broad range of environmental fields, including policy, engineering, science, education, agriculture, urban planning and renewal, business, health, justice, and economics. The Foundation also seeks future Native American and Alaska Native leaders in public and community health care, tribal government, and public policy affecting Native American communities, including land and resource management, economic development, and education.

Udall applicants must be sophomore or junior-level students (Udall defines “sophomore” as a student who intends at least two more years of full-time undergraduate enrollment beginning in Fall 2013; “juniors” have at least one more year of full-time undergraduate enrollment beginning in Fall 2013). Applicants must have a minimum 3.0 GPA (though competitive candidates will likely have significantly higher GPAs), plan full-time study for the 2013-14 academic year and be a U.S. citizen, U.S. national or U.S. permanent resident. Native American and Alaska Native nominees in tribal public policy or health care must submit copies of relevant enrollment forms or descent documentation.

The meeting will describe the scholarship, application procedures and the process by which ISU will select candidates for endorsement. To be considered for nomination, students must submit a complete draft application to the University Honors Program office by November 12.

More information on the Udall is available at: http://www.udall.gov

Profiles of recent ISU Udall Scholars can be found at: http://www.honors.iastate.edu/HonorsWebPage/Happenings/natl_recognition.php#Udall