NSOAI Weekly Digest
Stay updated with info, resources, and events for incoming new students!

Week of Monday, July 10, 2017

SAIP (Society for African Internationals Penn) Welcomes the Class of 2021 to Penn

SAIP (Society for African Internationals at Penn) was founded to be a platform for voices of African Internationals to be heard as well as to educate people on campus about African culture and history. We work to help and guide new international students as they face the difficulties and struggles that come with being in a school far away from home. SAIP
strives to help all African International students to build a professional network and jumpstart the Penn journey with a group supportive individuals from similar backgrounds. SAIP welcomes you to Penn! We hope the next four years are going to be amazing for you!

Work Study Positions - King's Court English House

Interested in early work-study positions? Kings Court English House (KCECH) is looking for cashiers/shift attendees during the 2017-2018 academic year to help operate Oasis and Mirage. The work-study position offers flexible time slots and a relaxed work environment... all conveniently within the KCECH dormitory itself! Head over to these links for more information.

Oasis: https://kcech.house.upenn.edu/oasis
Mirage: https://kcech.house.upenn.edu/mirage

Only KCECH residents are eligible to apply. No experience necessary. Work-study grants strongly preferred.

College House Computing

Are you looking for a position that will be rewarding and challenging? Would you like to work in the College House where you live? If so, an Information Technology Advisor (ITA) position is for you. We are looking for bright, responsible, enthusiastic people to assist College House residents with setting up and troubleshooting/fixing their computers and mobile devices. Don’t let the fear of not being “tech savvy” dissuade from applying! We train all our staff on the various aspects of the job. As long
Penn First

Penn First is an all-inclusive group for students who are the first in their family to attend college and/or come from a low-income background. As a student organization we serve 2 different functions. The first is to create a supportive community of first generation and/or low-income (FGLI) students on Penn’s campus. The second is to advocate for more opportunities for FGLI students at an administrative level. In both initiatives, we are heavily supported by Penn’s FGLI Program. Penn First’s overall goal is to be an inclusive support system for FGLI students at Penn. There is no criteria you have to meet, or conditions of membership; if you are FGLI, Penn First is a great resource for you. Are you interested in getting involved? Here are the first steps you can take to joining the Penn First and FGLI community at Penn:

- Like the Penn First Facebook Page to stay up to date on activities, events, and news for FGLI students. We frequently share articles and academic and professional resources.
- Join the Penn First Members Facebook Group to meet upperclassmen and other incoming FGLI freshmen!

This is a great resource for students who may have more FGLI related questions and want the perspective of someone who has been in a similar situation. We also have an anonymous form students can fill out if they don’t feel comfortable posting a question. Throughout the year, the FB group is used to share free food events, free events, resources and other cool info.
Student Registration and Financial Services

Please remember that Advance Registration for the Class of 2021 ends on Friday, July 14th. We encourage students not to wait until the last minute in case there are advisor holds or other questions that require answers. Course registration is completed through PennInTouch, and students should refer to the registration instructions sent to them by their School/Program.

See you in August!

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https://www.nso.upenn.edu/

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