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Spring Break Principles

If you are planning to travel outside the US during Spring Break please be sure to stop by OISSS and have your Form I-20 for IAP-66 endorsed for re-entry.

Tax Seminar

A tax seminar for international students and scholars will be held on Friday, March 31 in the Williams Hall Auditorium (Room 2215) from 2:00 -5:00 p.m. Employees from OISSS, University Payroll and a representative from IRS Greensboro will be presenting the workshop. For more information on who needs to file a tax return and helpful tax related websites please see www.ncsu.edu/oiss/taxes.htm

Research Exposition

The Second Annual Research Exposition will take place on April 28 in the Walnut Room of the Talley Student Center. Approximately 16 international scholars and students will be selected to present research they have been conducting while at NC State. Nominations for participation in this event are being solicited from NC State faculty. For more information please see www.ncsu.edu/oiss/fairweb.htm

Human Rights Week

Students are needed to help celebrate Human Rights week on March 20th. Students interested in reading one article of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights in their native tongue (National dress encouraged but optional) should contact Arlene Ugbaja at 515-5597 or email at arlene_ugbaja@ncsu.edu

Office Hours-Closed March 24th

OISSS will be closed on Friday, March 24th so that we may attend a regional immigration conference.

OISSS Programs

Students are needed to serve on a New International Student Orientation Committee to help plan orientation in August. If you are interested in being a part of this, please send an email to darla_deardorff@ncsu.edu as soon as possible.

International Friendship Program(IFP)- Remember to invite your friend to do activities with you!

English Conversation Club-Meets every Friday 3:30pm-4:30pm Have Fun!!
Sign up in Daniels Hall 208 or visit our website; <http://www.ncsu.edu/cltcorps.htm>
Global Women's Club-Friday, March 24, 12:15p.m. lunch (\$2) and craft class at 1:00 p.m. at 2702 Hillsborough Street, across from DH Hill Library. Meet new friends, enjoy good food and learn how to make ribbon roses! Children welcome - bring toys. For details: call 846-7444 or <http://www.geocities.com/Wellesley/Atrium/2502/>
Spouse Orientation -Thursday, March 30, 2:30p.m. in Riddick 219. Topics: learning English, spouse employment, childcare, getting a driver's license, etc. Children welcome - bring toys. Please call 515-2961 for reservations.

OISSS Survey

Thank you to the 428 international students and scholars who completed our web survey. We appreciate you taking the time to share your comments and suggestions with us. A summary of results will be posted on our website in a week or two. A more detailed report with your suggestions will be forwarded to our Vice Chancellor. Thank you for helping us evaluate our programs and services so we can serve you better.

Web Tips

Adding yourself to the Country Contact List

Go to our website: www.ncsu.edu/oiss/resources.html

Click on Country Contact YELLOW folder

Click update page-you can use your 999 number if no social security number

When complete - Click update