October 2020 Newsletter

Published monthly by International Student Admissions and Programs (ISAP) to provide reminders about immigration regulations, services, programs, and opportunities for involvement.

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SPRING 2021 REGISTRATION

Currently enrolled students (those enrolled Fall 2020) may now register for Spring 2021 according to the time window and classification below. It is your responsibility to clear any registration holds if you have any.

• Current Seniors & all Graduate level students – October 26
• Current Juniors ss# ending in 00-49 – October 27
• Current Juniors ss# ending in 50-99 – October 28
• Current Sophomores ss# ending 00-49 – October 29
• Current Sophomores ss# ending 50-99 – October 30
• Current Freshmen ss# ending 50-99 – November 2
• Current Freshmen ss# ending 00-49 – November 3

How Do I Register for Classes?
Go to the Banweb tab in your MyUWG portal at https://myuwg.westga.edu/

Here also is a PowerPoint with steps on How To Register
F1 VISA ENROLLMENT REMINDER

- ISAP will conduct enrollment audits in October and December to ensure compliance.
- If you are in the U.S. – at least 1 class must be on campus during pandemic adaptations.
- Outside the U.S. – Being fully-online is ok! If you have a class that is in-person but doing it ‘remotely’ that is fine.
- Here is a link to the enrollment requirements

GILC VIRTUAL CONFERENCE 2021!

Visit the gilc.weebly.com website for more information!

Also, be sure to check out the GILC 2019 Student Recap Video
The University of West Georgia Theatre Company kicks off our 2020-2021 “Fearless” season with *Songs for a New World*, the first musical from three-time Tony Award-winner Jason Robert Brown (*The Bridges of Madison County, Parade, The Last Five Years*).

In this time of pandemic and isolation, the UWG Theatre Company explores what it means to connect not only to the world, but also to each other. In *Songs for a New World* we explore life, love, and the choices ordinary people make when faced with extraordinary moments. All of this wrapped up in a two-act, modern pop-opera.

Ticket prices for the run are General: $10 and FREE with a UWG Student ID number. For tickets, please go to [https://www.showtix4u.com/event-details/40287](https://www.showtix4u.com/event-details/40287), or email ayeong@westga.edu.

**EMPLOYMENT WORKSHOPS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

Thinking about a paid internship Curricular Practical Training (CPT) or your first job in the US after graduation Optional Practical Training (OPT)?

You will need authorization first. Part of this process requires completion of our free employment workshop. ISAP is offering 3 workshops this semester. Sign-up required. Details are here at [International Student Employment](https://www.showtix4u.com/event-details/40287).

**What is Curricular Practical Training (CPT) or Optional Practical Training (OPT)?**

- Curricular Practical Training (CPT) - Required for paid off-campus internships
- Optional Practical Training (OPT) - Required to work in the U.S. after graduation

All Employment Workshops are virtual!

**Upcoming Workshop Dates:**

- Tuesday, October 13th - CPT Workshop
• Friday, October 23rd - OPT Workshop
• To sign up for more details see International Student Employment

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