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◆ CAREER SERVICES NEWS

Confused about your career choices? Wondering whether graduate school is right for you?

The Career Services Office and Meem Library are combining their incredible forces to bring you an exciting workshop on *Tuesday, November 6th from 4:30 to 6pm in the Senior Common Room*. We will introduce you to the variety of resources the college has to offer in aiding your future choices.

Research Requests!! Are you interested in having a summer internship? Or perhaps looking for the perfect graduate or professional program? Or maybe you are hoping to find a scholarship or fellowship to support your education? Well, the Career Services Office can help you search for any number of these things and more! Stop by our office and fill out the Student Research Form. (Staff and faculty are more than welcome to request research assistance as well). Give us as much detail as you can and we'll do some searching for you to help narrow down your options and we may also discover possibilities you didn't know were out there. Stop by today!

Calling all conservationists, environmentalists and activists:

Following in the tradition of Student Conservation Association founder,

Elizabeth C. Titus Putnam, whose senior thesis first proposed a "student conservation corps" some 50 years ago; SCA is looking for new thoughts, new programs, and new solutions to our most urgent environmental issues. And while Liz's paper ran 34 double-spaced pages, this competition is open to all forms of communication. Submit a written thesis, a PowerPoint, or a film, song, or poetry. The creative possibilities are limitless! Just submit your most dynamic conservation concept and SCA will help turn the best ideas into action.

Submit your entry in the multi-media SCA/Mazda Conservation in Action Contest for the chance to win \$15,000 if part of the 15-19 age group and \$10,000 plus a brand new 2008 Mazda3 if part of the 20-25 age group. Six additional regional winners will each receive \$2,000. All winners will also be awarded an all-expense paid trip to SCA's EarthVision Summit in April 2008 in Washington, D.C where the two national winners will be announced.

The Student Conservation Association is a nationwide force of volunteers who protect and restore our national parks, forests, and other public lands. *Deadline for entries is December 1, 2007*. Visit the website for more information, www.thesca.org/contest

Elie Wiesel Prize in Ethics Essay Contest 2008: Do you have answers

to either of the following questions?
1. What does your own experience tell you about the relationship between politics and ethics and, in particular, what could be done to make politics more ethical? 2. How does a recent political or cultural event shed light on the ethics of rebellion/revolution?

The Elie Wiesel Foundation's Ethics Essay Contest is now accepting submissions for the 2008 Prize. Elie Wiesel has this to say about the contest: "Whatever the answer to essential questions of society and individual human beings may be, education is surely its major component. But what would education be without its ethical dimension? Many of us believe them to be inseparable. That is why this Prize in Ethics Essay Contest was established in 1989 by our Foundation. Thousands of students from hundreds of colleges and universities across the nation have participated. Through their writing, they explored their concerns and beliefs, their fears and their hopes.

While we suggest relevant topics each year, applicants are encouraged to choose any subject they feel strongly about, provided it is related to the domain of ethics.

We appeal to college students to send us their essays. We promise you they

will not be ignored. In fact, we shall be proud to be your first readers. And perhaps your first critics and publishers.”

Eligible applicants must be registered, undergraduate full-time juniors or senior at accredited four-year colleges or universities in the US during the fall 2007 semester. 1st prize-\$5,000, 2nd prize-\$2,500, 3rd prize- \$1,500, and two honorable mentions of \$500 each. *Contest Deadline is December 7th, 2007.*

Application procedures require a faculty sponsor, a letter from the Registrar, and must be mailed not faxed or emailed. For more information visit the website at www.elienvieselfoundation.org.

◆ SUMMER PROGRAMS

Interested in attending the Beijing Olympics? The Olympic Game Time Volunteer Program is looking for volunteers who can travel to Beijing, China for 14-20 days in August 2008. Volunteers must be able to commit to two hours of training a week in March and July 2008, be born prior to June 30th, 1990 and be in good health. You will live and work in teams of ten volunteers with a trained volunteer leader.

Volunteers will receive 60 hours of Chinese Language training, CPR, AED and First Aid Red Cross Certification and Olympic Volunteer Training using the Beijing Olympic Volunteer Manual. Volunteers will also receive 20 hours of training in Chinese culture and laws, 20 hours of training to understand Beijing transportation and medical systems and 20 hours of training regarding Olympic events, procedures and venues. You will also have 2 days off a week where you can attend up to 6 Olympic Sporting events and have

trips arranged to visit the Great Wall, the Summer Place and many more historic locations.

There is a program service fee which does not include airfare. For the 14 day program the cost is \$2,496 and for the 20 day program the cost is \$3,266. The fee includes airport pick-up/drop-off, accommodations, meals, training, local transport, tours, Chinese classes, and tickets to Olympic events.

The application deadline is December 1st, 2007. For more information and to apply visit the website at <http://www.communitycollaborations.org/cbinagames.html>

Spend a summer in Greece:

Arcadia University offers four summer study-abroad programs in Greece; Byzantium: Images of a Holy Empire, Of Gods and the City; History, Art, and Architecture in Archaic and Classical Greece, On the Trail of Alexander the Great; Greek History, Art and Architecture of the Hellenistic Age; and The Magnificent Mosaic: A Study of Contemporary Greece. Each program has a different focus of academic inquiry and each runs for three weeks. Students live in shared apartments in the same neighborhood as the center which is located in Athens. There are also many trips built into the program which allow students to travel throughout Greece. Scholarships and financial aid are possible.

For more information and to apply visit <http://www.arcadia.edu/abroad>

Interested in Italian? The University of Florence has a cultural Centre for Foreigners which offers a summer program with courses in the Italian language, Italian literature, Italian film, and a variety of other classes in history, art, and music. Language courses are offered at four

different levels of experience. The summer program is 500 euros. For more information and to apply visit the website at www.unifi.it/ccs/

◆ GRADUATE SCHOOL

Study Linguistics in Canada: The Department of Linguistics at McGill University in Quebec, Canada aims to train students in theoretical linguistics and its applications, particularly the issue of language diversity and how this diversity may be related to a universal underlying linguistic competence. This common interest is developed in a range of areas including the parameterization of formal grammars (phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics), the acquisition of these grammars (as a first or second language), cross-linguistic deficits (aphasia and developmental language disorders), and variation theory (sociolinguistics). In the experimental areas, emphasis is placed on combining research in one of the core areas of linguistic theory with evidence from another domain.

The department also has close ties with the Centre for Research on Language, Mind, and Brain, which brings together researchers and scholars from a variety of disciplines, faculties, and departments at McGill and other universities, whose research focuses on the unique neurobiological and social endowment of language. *Applications for fall 2008 are due by January 15th, 2008.* Find out more about the linguistics department at www.arts.mcgill.ca/programs/linguistics/.

Bard Center for Environmental Policy: Bard College in New York offers a wide variety of Master's programs; their Center for Environmental Policy has a plethora of interesting options.

Master of Science and Juris Doctorate with Pace University School of Law: Created in 2003, this joint degree program offers students the opportunity to complete, in an accelerated period, a Master of Science degree in environmental policy at Bard College and a doctorate in jurisprudence with a certificate in environmental law at Pace University. The program consists of four years in residence—two and a half years at Pace and one and a half years at Bard. Upon completion of the first-year B CEP curriculum, students enroll at Pace University School of Law for five semesters. A student's summer internship/externship experiences for credit in the Pace law program satisfy the B CEP internship requirement. The final semester of the joint-degree program is spent at Bard in the Master's Thesis Seminar, and in final courses required for graduation.

Choosing between graduate school and the *Peace Corps* can be difficult. The Master's International (MI) Program offers qualified applicants the opportunity to incorporate the internationally focused, hands-on experience of Peace Corps service into the B CEP master's degree program. MI students complete the first year of graduate studies before starting Peace Corps training and an assignment. Peace Corps volunteers in the MI Program complete their B CEP internship requirement through their service overseas, while also working toward completion of their Master's Thesis. MI students are granted a 10-credit tuition fellowship for the internship. Students must pay an administrative fee and tuition for the remainder of final-year course work. After completing Peace Corps service and the final semester of the B CEP program, MI participants graduate and enter the job market

with the unique combination of an advanced degree and two years of substantive professional experience in an international setting.

Master of Science and Master of Arts in Teaching: In June 2004, the first class of students entered the Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) Program at Bard College, a one-year intensive program leading to an M.A.T. degree and New York State certification to teach English, math, or history. In June 2006, the program expanded to include certification in biology. Students accepted into both programs enroll in the first year of the B CEP curriculum and then complete the MAT program requirements and a joint research project. *Application deadlines for all of the Environmental Center programs are February 1st, 2008.* For more information on all the programs offered at the Bard Center for Environmental Policy, visit www.bard.edu/cep.

Harvard Offers Liberal Arts Majors an M.B.A Program:

Harvard has launched an initiative called 2+2 which allows college students to lock in a spot in their M.B.A program before the end of their junior year. Before they start classes, accepted students must work for two years; the school is providing free career counseling and other resources to help students secure these short-term positions. The school is aiming to better meet employers demands for more diverse M.B.A talent. *To participate in the program undergrads must apply by July 1st of the end of their junior year.* For more information visit the website at <http://www.hbs.edu/mba/2+2/>

Are you interested in becoming a math teacher? Math for America is now accepting applications for their MfA fellowships. If you're accepted

you would join a prestigious program that provides training, funding and support. It's a five-year program with \$90,000 in stipends and full tuition leading to a Master of Arts in Secondary Mathematics Education. The application process requires that students take the ETS Praxis II Math subject tests. *Applications are due by February 1st, 2008.* For more information visit the website at <http://www.mathforamerica.org>

◆ **MEDICINE/RESEARCH**

Thorne Scholarship for

Premedical Study: Each spring, Thorne Scholarships are awarded to undergraduate students of St. John's College at the Santa Fe campus. Scholarships are to support premedical chemistry classes at other institutions during the summer. *The deadline for submission of proposals for the Thorne Scholarships is December 20th, 2007.* The awards are based on the following criteria:

- An applicant must demonstrate financial need and be a recipient of College Financial Aid.
- The applicant must have a grade point average acceptable to a medical school -- 3.2 or higher.
- The applicant must be a student from the Santa Fe campus and must return to the Santa Fe campus for the year following the award.
- The applicant must be committed to pursuing pre-medical studies and must be committed to a career in allopathic (traditional Western) medicine as distinct from the other health sciences.
- The applicant must demonstrate the ability to do hard and good work in the sciences, and demonstrate a high promise of being admitted to medical school.

Support is offered only for courses required for medical school admission. Usually, general chemistry and organic chemistry are supported, and, with lower priority, related biology courses. Tuition, fees, and required summer earnings can be covered by Thorne awards. Partial support for a year away from St. John's can also be given. Amounts of the actual awards vary greatly, depending on financial needs and on the amount of money available during a given year. Application forms for the Thorne Scholarship are available in the Career Services Office. *Students interested in applying should discuss their plans with the Career Services Director, Margaret Odell, or the Premedical Committee Chairman, George Aigla, before applying.* Awards are made by the Premedical Committee. Information concerning medical school requirements, summer course offerings, and the Medical College Admissions Test (MCAT) is available in the Career Services Office.

A Post-Baccalaureate Pre-Medical Program: Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore offers a post-baccalaureate pre-medical program. The program consists of a year of biology, chemistry, organic chemistry, and physics. Students should have completed at least one semester of calculus before starting the program. The program will also assist students in finding ways to use the glide year (the year between applying and actually beginning medical school) productively to enhance their preparation for medical school, whether it be through employment opportunities, additional courses, volunteer work, research, graduate studies. Tuition for the program is currently \$26,930. *The application deadline is March 1st, 2008, although the school strongly encourages applying by*

February 1st, 2008. For more information and an application, visit www.jhu.edu/postbac.

A high-quality MD/PhD Training Program: The College of Medicine at the University of Illinois at Chicago offers an MD/PhD Training Program. The first two years of the program are primarily to complete the pre-clinical portions of the medical curriculum. During these first two years, students are able to explore research opportunities in any bio-medical department before making a commitment to a graduate department. In the final years of the program, students work with other medical students to fulfill the remaining medical school requirements. The program takes seven or eight years to complete. During this time, students receive a tuition waiver and a stipend for each year in the program. Graduates of the program have gone on to residencies at places such as Johns Hopkins, Harvard, Yale, Stanford, and UC San Francisco. For more information, visit www.uic.edu/com/mdphd.



FINE ARTS PROGRAMS

Do you want to pursue professional theatre as a career?: The American Conservatory Theatre in San Francisco offers an intense, three-year program which immerses you in the world of professional theatre while supporting your growth as a student actor. A Masters of Fine Art degree is awarded at the culmination of the actor's studies. *Application Deadline is January 11th, 2008.* Applicants must submit a resume that lists previous theater training and experience as well as a head-and-shoulder, full face photograph. Visit the website for

more information:
www.ACTactortraining.org

Want a Master of Music and a Master of Arts Music Teacher Certification in only three years?: The Manhattan School of Music and The Teachers College at Columbia University offer a dual degree which is completed at an accelerated rate. The graduate programs of study at Manhattan School of Music enable students to perfect their musical competencies and professional artistry in specific fields. Study is offered in the fields of Jazz, Classical, and Orchestral Performance. Pre-screening and auditions are required. *Application deadline is December 1st, 2007 for fall 2008.* Visit the website for more details and to apply:
<http://www.msmyc.edu/grad/>



SCHOLARSHIPS/FELLOWSHIPS

Carnegie Endowment for International Peace Junior Fellows Program: Each year, the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace solicits nominees for its Junior Fellows Program from among graduating seniors at 300 US colleges. Eight to ten Junior Fellows are chosen to serve as research assistants each year. The Fellows are matched with senior associates – academics, former government officials, lawyers and journalists from around the world – to work on a variety of international affairs issues.

Junior Fellows have the opportunity to conduct research for books, participate in meetings with high-level officials, contribute to congressional testimony and organize briefings attended by scholars, activists, journalists and government officials. The Fellows spend one year, beginning August 1, at the Carnegie Endowment in Washington, DC. These positions are full-time,

salaried (\$35,000/yr, \$2,916.66/month), with a full benefits package. *Seniors interested in being nominated must meet with Margaret Odell, Director of Career Services for details about the application process and a copy of the application.* (More details are also available at <http://www.carnegieendowment.org/about/index.cfm?fa=jrFellows>) Seniors **cannot** apply directly to the Carnegie Endowment. Ms. Odell will be choosing up to two seniors to nominate from the Santa Fe campus. *The campus deadline for this application is Friday, December 14th, 2007.* The student chosen to represent St. John's-Santa Fe will have time to work on the final application during the early weeks of Winter Break. All final application materials must be gathered and sent by Ms. Odell, to be received in Washington, DC *no later than January 15th, 2008.*

Seniors - Don't Miss This Scholarship! The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation is accepting nominations for the Graduate Scholarship Program. The scholarship covers tuition, living expenses, books and other fees. The maximum amount available is \$50,000 per year for six years of study at any accredited college or university in the US or abroad, for any graduate or professional degree. Two students per school may be nominated. A total of 45-50 scholarships will be awarded. To be eligible, you must be a college senior or recent graduate (since May 2000), have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or better, and plan to attend graduate school starting in fall 2008. Candidates will be judged on their academic ability, financial need, will to succeed, leadership qualities, critical thinking ability, and participation in the arts and humanities. *The on-campus deadline is March 29, 2008.* The St. John's Fellowship Committee will choose which application(s) will be

submitted for consideration. For more information see Margaret Odell in the Career Services Office, or visit www.jackkentcookefoundation.org.

Scholarship for Study in the Arts, Humanities, or Social Sciences:

The Beinecke Scholarship program was established to encourage and enable highly motivated students to pursue opportunities available to them and to be courageous in the selection of a graduate course of study. The scholarship provides \$30,000 for graduate study, which may be spread over 2-5 years. Winners also receive \$2,000 immediately prior to entering graduate school to defray costs of application, moving expenses, etc. This scholarship may be combined with other awards, and in some circumstances may be deferred. Eligibility is limited to Juniors planning to pursue graduate degrees who meet superior standards of intellectual ability, scholastic achievement and personal promise, and who are currently eligible for financial aid. *Students must be nominated by the St. John's College Fellowship Committee in Santa Fe.* Students from both campuses need to submit their applications to this one committee. *The on-campus deadline is Monday, February 7th, 2008.* For more information, contact Margaret Odell at x6067, or visit www.BeineckeScholarship.org.

Environmental Studies Scholarship: The Morris K. Udall Foundation offers approximately 80 \$5,000 scholarships for either studies related to the environment *or* for Native Americans or Alaska Natives studying in fields related to health care or tribal public policy. To qualify for scholarships related to environmental studies, you must: 1. be a sophomore or junior, 2. have been doing environmental conservation internships, or environment related summer jobs, or

study programs, AND 3. plan to pursue graduate environmental studies programs or a career in conservation. Applicants should become familiar with the Udall Foundation and the man whose name it bears. It would be wise to use the following resources when writing your essay: www.udall.gov. You must be nominated by the on-campus fellowship committee. *The on-campus application deadline is February 4th, 2008.* For more information, stop by the Career Services Office to see Margaret Odell, the on-campus Udall representative, or visit www.udall.gov.

Top Ten Tips for Winning Scholarship Applications: The following tips by Kay Peterson, Ph.D, come from FastWeb at Monster.com. You can register at www.fastweb.com and get e-mail updates and information on hundreds of scholarships.

TIP #1: Apply only if you are eligible. Read all the scholarship requirements and directions carefully and make sure you're eligible before you send in your application.

TIP #2: Complete the application in full. If a question doesn't apply, note that on the application. Don't just leave a blank. Be sure to supply all additional supporting material, such as transcripts, letters of recommendation and essays.

TIP #3: Follow directions. Provide everything that's required. But don't supply things that aren't requested—you could be disqualified.

TIP #4: Neatness counts. Always type your application, or if you must print, do so neatly and legibly. Make a couple of photocopies of all the forms before you fill them out. Use the copies as working drafts as you develop your application packet.

TIP #5: Write an essay that makes a strong impression. The key to

writing a strong essay is to be personal and specific. Include concrete details to make your experience come alive: the 'who,' 'what,' 'where,' 'when', and 'why' of your topic. The simplest experience can be monumental if you present honestly how you were affected.

TIP #6: Watch all deadlines. To help keep yourself on track, impose your own deadline that is at least two weeks prior to the official deadline. Use the buffer time to make sure everything is ready on time. Don't rely on extensions—very few scholarship providers allow them at all.

TIP #7: Make sure your application gets where it needs to go. Put your name (and Social Security number, if applicable) on all pages of the application. Pieces of your application may get lost unless they are clearly identified.

TIP #8: Keep a back-up file in case anything goes wrong. Before sending the application, make a copy of the entire packet. If your application goes astray, you'll be able to reproduce it quickly.

TIP #9: Give it a final 'once-over.' Proofread the entire application carefully. Be on the lookout for misspelled words or grammatical errors. Ask a friend, teacher or parent to proofread it as well.

Tip #10: Ask for help if you need it. If you have problems with the application, don't hesitate to call the Career Services office.

CARETAKER CORNER

Not sure what to do with yourself for six months or a year after you graduate? Looking for a way to spend Winter Break or the summer? *The Caretaker Gazette*, a bi-monthly publication, lists dozens of caretaker opportunities in the United

States and worldwide. Many positions have free room and board in exchange for work, caretaking, or cooking. Some positions have large salaries attached. This publication is available on the job board located in the basement of Weigle Hall. Some featured positions are:

1. Become a resident gardener at the Kingbilli Country Estate in Australia. You are provided with your own furnished bluestone cottage, which has a Jacuzzi and creek-side gazebo. Electricity, gas, dial-up wireless, satellite TV, and much more are provided in exchange for part-time work involving gardening, cleaning two guest cottages, habitat conservation, and general maintenance. For more information visit <http://www.kingbilli.com.au> and click "long-term volunteer vacancy."

2. Experience tropical sustainable living in Belize, no experience necessary. Caretaker needed for Dem Dats Doin, a self-sufficient integrated homestead. A minimum commitment of four weeks or more, anytime of the year. Email demdatsdoin@bt.net for more information.

3. A house-sitter is needed in Point Richmond, about 30 miles from San Francisco for December 20th-February 22nd or beyond. The home is in the historical district, with a great view of the Bay. Cat and plant care are needed. The home has HD TV and high speed internet. Email Jeff at kirken@comcast.net for more information.

4. House-sitter needed for a home in Western Colorado for December 21 till January 3rd. Dog care is needed for two dogs in this home near prime ski areas. Email brotho07@comcast.net for more information.

5. Interested in becoming a hermit? A community of hermits is now

forming. Call 303-455-7287 for details.

6. Spend the winter on a Maine Island. A dog and house-sitter is needed from December 23rd until April 2008. Live on Isleboro island with two active dogs. The island has 600 people, one store, small school. It is very quiet, with regular ferry service to the real world. Email Diana@free.midcoast.com

TEACHING RELATED

History Teaching Fellowship:

The James Madison Fellowship Program offers a \$24,000 scholarship for graduate school study to those individuals who wish to teach American government, history and/or social studies. Fellows can attend any institution of higher education in the US for an MA, an MA in Teaching, or a Master of Education degree with an emphasis on American history, government, or political science. After earning a master's degree, each James Madison Fellow must teach American history, American government, or social studies in grades 7-12 for no less than one year for each full academic year of study under the fellowship. *The application deadline is March 1st, 2008.* For more information, stop by the Career Services Office to see Margaret Odell, the Madison campus representative, call 1-800-525-6928, or visit www.jamesmadison.com

INTERNSHIPS

Institute for Human Studies: A variety of internships and fellowships are offered for the summer through the Institute for Humane Studies at George Mason University. The Koch Summer Fellowships offer public policy and non-profit leadership internships in Washington, DC, and at state-based organizations.

There are also journalism, broadcast journalism, and production internships offered at major newspapers, news outlets, and production houses across the country. IHS also offers scholarships, seminars, writing contests and a variety of other resources. For more information on these possibilities visit <http://www.TheIHS.org>

Featured Internship Opportunity - the Undergraduate Research Experience:

Students interested in careers in medicine, science, research, and math should seriously consider these incredible undergraduate research opportunities. Often referred to as SURFs (Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship), REUs (Research Experience for Undergraduates), and other acronyms, these highly-regarded programs offer unique research opportunities for undergrads.

These are PAID research programs at some of the most prestigious universities and organizations in the nation. Many of these programs also include free room and board; some even cover travel expenses.

Here is a brief look at just one of the programs to give you an idea what they are like:

Mayo SURF

The Mayo Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF) Program is sponsored by Mayo Graduate School. Each year, 70-80 undergraduate students from around the United States go to the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN, to work beside both young and established scientists on a broad range of biomedical research questions. The program begins May 31st, 2005 and ends August 5th, 2005.

Participants conduct their own small research project or work on part of an ongoing research investigation.

They also participate in a special weekly seminar series that focuses on rapidly progressing research areas.

This program pays participants a stipend of \$4,000 (minus taxes) for 10 weeks. Students are responsible for their own travel, housing, and meals. Most students live together in a convenient summer student housing area which costs about \$120/week.

Where to find undergraduate research opportunities

The National Science Foundation (NSF) has the largest REU program in the nation. NSF funds a large number of research opportunities for undergraduate students through its REU Sites program. An REU Site consists of a group of ten or so undergraduates who work in the research programs of the host institution. Each student is associated with a specific research project, where he/she works closely with the faculty and other researchers. Students are granted stipends and, in many cases, assistance with housing and travel. For more information:

http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=5517&from=fund

The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) also has an extensive program. The Career Services office will work closely with students interested in the NIST program to assure NIST that SJC students meet their specified science requirements. *Application deadline is February 15th, 2008.* For more information visit www.surf.nist.gov/surf2.htm

You can find more opportunities by *Googling* "surf undergrad," "summer research," or similar keywords, or stop by Career Services for more information.

Featured Websites: Check these out for extensive lists of internship opportunities.

- **BIOLOGY:**
www.columbia.edu/cu/biology/ug/intern.html
- **PRE-MED:**
www.rit.edu/~gtfsbi/Symp/premed.htm
- **GOVERNMENT:**
www.studentjobs.gov/d_internship.asp
- **CONSERVATION:** www.thesca.org/

WORK/STUDY/TRAVEL ABROAD

Masters and Doctoral programme in Humanities and Cultural Studies:

The London Consortium offers innovative, multi-disciplinary post-graduate programmes combining taught courses and individual research, theoretical exploration and practical insight. New courses include; Godard's 'Contempt': Text and Pretext, Cultures of Collecting, Flat Baroque: 'Special Effects' or the Rigging of the Whole Wide World. The consortium is in association with the Architectural Association, School of Architecture at Birkbeck College, and the University of London Institute of Contemporary Arts. For more information visit <http://www.londonconsortium.com>

FACULTY

Fellowships at the Huntington:

The Huntington is an independent research center with holdings in British and American history, literature, art history, and the history of science and medicine located in San Marino, California. The Huntington will award scholars over one hundred fellowships for the academic year 2008-2009. These

fellowships derive from a variety of funding sources and have different terms. Recipients of all fellowships are expected to be in continuous residence at the Huntington and to participate in and make a contribution to its intellectual life. Fellowships offered include:

1. Huntington Fellowship: Candidates must have a PhD or equivalent or be a doctoral candidate at the dissertation stage. The fellowship lasts one to five months. The award is \$2,500 a month.
2. Huntington-British Academy Fellowships for Study in Great Britain: Candidates must have a PhD or equivalent. The fellowship is one month.
3. Barbara Thom Postdoctoral Fellowship: Candidates are non-tenured faculty. The fellowship will be nine to twelve months with an award amount of \$40,000. The award is intended to support non-tenured faculty members who are revising a manuscript for publication. Applicants must be perusing scholarship in a field appropriate to the Huntington's collections.
4. Mellon Fellowship: Candidates must have a PhD or equivalent, the fellowship tenure is nine to twelve months with an award of \$40,000. Applicants must be perusing scholarship in a field appropriate to the Huntington's collections.

Application deadline for all fellowships is December 15th, 2007. For more information on the application

procedures visit the Huntington's website at <http://www.huntington.org>

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**JOB AND CAREER
OPPORTUNITIES**

Did you score well on the SAT, GRE or LSAT? Kaplan Test Prep is seeking part-time teachers in the Santa Fe area to prepare students for admission exams. They are looking for teachers for the following programs: ACT, SAT, GRE, NCLEX, GMAT, LSAT, and MCAT. If you scored well on one of these tests and would like to help others do the same, apply today! Teaching with Kaplan is a way to make a difference in students' lives, earn excellent pay and benefits, and develop your presentation and people-management skills. Applicants should be great presenters, believers in the effectiveness of Kaplan's methods, caring and compassionate mentors of students, and responsible employees. Teaching rates change based on success in the classroom.

To learn more about teaching rates, benefits packages including health insurance and course discounts, to apply, please call 1-800-527-8378 or visit <http://www.kaptest.com/teach>

Defense Intelligence Scholars Program: Provides recent grads and entry-level professionals seeking a career in intelligence a remarkable opportunity to obtain a quality education to get their career off to a quick start. The program includes a paid internship, year-long studies leading to a Master of Science in Strategic Intelligence (MSSI) degree, and conditional employment with the DIA. Scholars receive a salary and government benefits throughout the entire program. Eligibility requirements are US citizenship of applicant and immediate family members, BA, GPA of 3.0 or higher, GRE scores (500 minimum for

Verbal, 4.0 for written). Applicants are especially sought with foreign language expertise in Arabic, Farsi, Chinese, Russian, Urdu, Pashto, and Korean. *Deadline is November 30th, 2007 for summer admissions.* Call 202-231-8228 for more info on DI scholars program or go to the website, <http://www.dia.mil/employment/student/DefenseIntelligenceIntelScholarsProgram.pdf>

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