

## College & Career Center March 2017 Announcements

### Career Guest Speakers in the College & Career Center

#### **Week of March 20th ~ (11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)**

**Wednesday, March 22nd - Peter Cadoux**, is one of the most prestigious architects in New England who earned his Bachelors of Fine Arts and Bachelor of Architecture degrees from the Rhode Island School of Design. His work has been featured both nationally and internationally. In addition to the numerous award winning homes he designed, he also recreated the magnificent Levitt Pavilion.

**Thursday, March 23rd - Joyce Quinlan, RN** trained in Ireland in Psychiatry, Telemetry and general nursing. She has worked with Norwalk Hospital for twenty-eight years in Psychiatry, Medical/Surgical and Telemetry and ICU for the past eleven years.

**Friday, March 24th -Producer /Director Allyson Mandelbaum** has worked on many shows that shaped the TV landscape such as: Queer Eye for the Straight Guy, Wife Swap, Nanny 911, My Super Sweet 16 and Catfish. She was director of Unscripted Programming at AMC working on Small Town Security (nominated for two GLAAD awards), Freakshow and The Making of the Mob. Allyson is currently head of development at Storyville Entertainment in NYC.

### 2017 Scholarships

**Dunkin' Donuts** - \$1,000 to eligible seniors in Connecticut. Visit [www.dunkindonuts.com/scholarship](http://www.dunkindonuts.com/scholarship).

**Deadline: March 15, 2017.**

**Westport PBA Foundation: Chief Bill Stefan Scholarship** for seniors pursuing a degree in law enforcement or a related field of study who have participated in an athletic program in their junior and/or senior year. **Deputy Chief John Anastasia Scholarship** for seniors pursuing a law enforcement or a related field of study who has participated in community service in their junior and/or senior year. Come to the College & Career Center for an application.

**Deadline: March 31, 2017.**

#### **Southern Fairfield County Retired Teacher's Association (Glenn Moon Scholarship)**

One 4-year (\$2,000 per year) for Connecticut high school seniors who are planning a career in teaching. Also, **5 Book awards** of \$500 each are given by the local chapter of retired teacher. Apply online: [www.atct.org](http://www.atct.org)

**Deadline: March 31, 2017.**

**VFW Post 399 Westport: The Young American Creative Patriotic Art Contest** - Grades 9-12. Visit <https://vfwauxiliary.org/scholarships/young-american-creative-patriotic-art-contest/>

**Deadline: March 31, 2017**

**Joe Lieberman Connecticut Scholarship Fund** assists high school seniors from Connecticut. Up to five \$1,500 renewable scholarships are awarded. Must have a min. GPA of 3.5 and must demonstrate outstanding leadership potential and a record of community service. Application materials are available at: <https://www.scholarsapply.org/lieberman>.

**Deadline: April 1, 2017.**

**Horace C. Hurlbutt Memorial Fund & Westport-Weston Foundation** - For seniors who are

residents of Westport and Weston. Grants are based primarily on financial need, community service and academic record. Visit: <https://westportfoundation.wufoo.com/forms/application-for-tuition-assistance-20172018/>

**Deadline: April 15, 2017.**

**The Fairfield County Tax Collectors' Association** offers two \$250 scholarships. Essay topic: "How State and Local Taxes Can Affect My Education". Come to the College & Career Center for an application.

**Deadline: April 15, 2017.**

### **Connecticut High School Accounting Scholarship:**

(10) merit based scholarships of \$500 each are awarded to Connecticut high school seniors who are planning to pursue the accounting major and career path. See your counselor to be nominated. No more than two students per high school can be considered. Completed application must be **submitted** by students by **Monday, April, 17, 2017**

### **The Connecticut Parks Association - Dennis Malone Memorial Scholarship Award**

**Program - \$1,000.** For high school seniors who are pursuing a career in park management, forestry, horticulture, agronomy, or a closely related field. Applications are available at [www.ctparks.org](http://www.ctparks.org).

**Deadline: Must be postmarked no later than April 19, 2017.**

### **Orthopaedic Specialty Group Education Foundation Scholarship**

Offers six \$2,500 scholarships to anyone who is a resident of New Haven or Fairfield County pursuing post-secondary training (four-year or advanced degree) in a musculoskeletal care related field. To apply refer to <http://www.osgpc.co/education-foundation/> for criteria and application details or [www.osgpc.com](http://www.osgpc.com)

**Deadline: Friday, April 24, 2015.**

**Milton Fisher Scholarship for Innovation and Creativity** - A four year scholarship of up to \$20,000 for exceptionally innovative and creative high school juniors, seniors and college freshmen who are from Connecticut and the New York City metro area. Apply online: [www.rbffoundation.org](http://www.rbffoundation.org).

**Deadline: April 30, 2017.**

### **The Miracle League of Connecticut ~ The Peter Ladd/Johnny Moran Memorial Scholarship**

Awards \$2,500 to a senior from a Connecticut high school who contributes to their community through volunteer service. Visit [www.miracleleaguect.org/scholarship](http://www.miracleleaguect.org/scholarship).

**Deadline: May 1, 2017.**

**CTDollarsandSense.com** - a web portal for Connecticut students and parents to find out how to plan, save and pay for college, which provides information from the Connecticut Higher Education Trust (CHET), the Connecticut Higher Education Supplemental Loan Authority (CHESLA), the office of Higher Education, the Department of Banking, and the Department of Consumer Protection.

## **Summer Programs**

### **The University of New Hampshire Peter T. Paul College of Business and Economics**

invites area rising seniors considering a career in the \$3.5 trillion high-growth service industry of hospitality management to participate in a one-week residential hospitality management summer program

July 16<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> 2017. Due to the generosity of private donors, the tuition for the summer program is set as low as possible to insure as many students participate. For the 2017 summer program the fee will be \$325. For full details on the program <http://paulcollege.unh.edu/departments/hospitality-management/summer-program>.

### **The University of Delaware Fashion Apparel Department is offering a Fashion Summer Workshop from July 17th- 28th, 2017.**

This is a two week workshop that introduces students ages 15+ to the fashion design program here at the University of Delaware. Activities include portfolio development, an industry overview, and information about the application process into our program. There are daily lessons that include fashion drawing, writing a concept statement, mood board development, and photography. A university tour and field trip to a neighboring museum is included. The cost is \$700. <https://www.udel.edu/fashion-workshop>. If you have any other questions, direct them to: [kroelse@udel.edu](mailto:kroelse@udel.edu)

**Health and Biomedical Sciences Summer Camp<sub>2</sub> will be held at Lebanon Valley College from June 25-30 and July 23-28, 2017.** The goal of the [Health and Biomedical Sciences Summer Camp](http://www.lvc.edu/academics/summer-community-programming/health-biomedical-sciences-camp) is to provide a window into the scientific basis of human health. Through lectures and **hands-on laboratory investigations** in state-of-the-art laboratories, students will be introduced to the fundamentals of molecular biology, pharmacology, immunology, biochemistry and medical ethics. For more information, visit (<http://www.lvc.edu/academics/summer-community-programming/health-biomedical-sciences-camp/>) or contact Dr. Courtney Lappas at [lappas@lvc.edu](mailto:lappas@lvc.edu).

### **Chevron's Frontiers of Energy Resources Summer Program 2017**

**20 outstanding high school students (rising juniors and rising seniors are eligible to apply) from across the U.S. to attend the Chevron sponsored summer educational camp, "Frontiers of Energy Resources", hosted at the University of Southern California and scheduled for June 25 – 30, 2017.**

Selected students are responsible for their own transportation to USC. While on campus, room and board will be covered by Chevron. Applicants should visit <http://cisoft.usc.edu/uscchevron-summercamp/> to access the online application and download the teacher recommendation form. **The application deadline is April 7, 2017.** For further information please contact me at [cisoft@vsoe.usc.edu](mailto:cisoft@vsoe.usc.edu).

### **Opportunity for math/finance students:**

An actuary is a business professional who uses mathematical and financial tools to help identify and manage risk, so it's a great career for students who are strong mathematically but who are not necessarily interested in teaching. It's also great for students who like business and have good math aptitude. A one-week summer program for rising high school seniors who want to learn more about the profession is available.. Here's a link to the program web site: <http://www.lvc.edu/academics/summer-community-programming/actuarial-science-camp/>

**Student Leadership Academy (SLA) at Villanova University. This summer SLA will be held on July 24 – 27<sup>th</sup>!** This is a great opportunity for any student that is looking to build up their leadership skills and make a difference in the fight against childhood cancer!

**This program is FREE to all students admitted into the program and it is open to rising sophomores – seniors in high school.** . Visit [www.ALSFLeadershipAcademy.org](http://www.ALSFLeadershipAcademy.org) for more information and to apply. **They are currently accepting applications now through April 15, 2017.** Contact Gayla Carr, at [G.Carr@AlexsLemonade.org](mailto:G.Carr@AlexsLemonade.org) or 610-649-3034 with any questions or concerns you may have!

### **Columbia Engineering Summer High School Academic Program for Engineers (SHAPE).**

**This is an exciting new program for high school students to take STEM courses on Columbia's campus in two separate three-week sessions over the summer.** SHAPE is a rigorous, selective program for rising sophomores, juniors and seniors who have demonstrated achievement in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) subjects. Students must live within commuting distance to Columbia's Morningside Heights campus. **The regular application deadline is Friday, March 31, 2017.** Interested students can review the [SHAPE website](http://www.columbia.edu/~engineeringoutreach/) for further details; questions can be directed to [engineeringoutreach@columbia.edu](mailto:engineeringoutreach@columbia.edu).

## **College Fairs and Community Events**

**9th Annual AITE Spring College Fair, Monday, March 27, 2017 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm** Academy of Information Technology and Engineering, 411 High Ridge Road, Stamford, CT. Featuring but not limited to STEM majors. For more information please contact Josh Bogard [jbogard@stamfordct.gov](mailto:jbogard@stamfordct.gov) or Christine Bisceglie [cbisceglie@stamfordct.gov](mailto:cbisceglie@stamfordct.gov)