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Fred J. Aves Foundation
Scholarship Application Form

Eligible students must:
• Have a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher
• Major in a Career and Technical Education (CTE) or vocational field
• Submit a copy of a current registration form and unofficial transcript
• Meet the submission deadline—October 24, 2011

Student Information

Name:

Last
First

Address:

Street Address

City State Zip Code

Home Phone (   )

Work or Other Phone

E-Mail Address (if applicable)

Student ID #

Total Units Completed: _________ Grade Point Average (Estimate): _________
Career Goal (What do you want to do and for whom do you hope to work?):

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Educational Background (other colleges attended, high school etc):

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Why do you want this scholarship?

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Personal Information (Financial status—are you head of household? are you supporting children or parents? Have you immigrated from another country?):

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Faculty Referral and Recommendation

Faculty Name:

Last                                               First

College:                                     Department:

Faculty Phone Number:                           Email Address:

I am referring ________________________________ for the AVES Scholarship.

(Student Name)

Faculty Comments:

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Faculty Signature: _________________________________ Date: _______________
List One Employment or Volunteer Work Reference

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Please Read and Sign

If selected to receive this scholarship, I assure the Foundation Office that I will be enrolled in the Spring 2012 semester. I also agree to write a thank you letter to the Fred J. Aves Scholarship Foundation before the scholarship check is released to me.

__________________________________  __________________________
Signature        Date

Completed applications can be emailed or brought in to the offices listed below. You may also call the office for further information about the Aves scholarship.

Los Angeles City College
The Los Angeles City College Foundation
323-953-4011
info@laccfoundation.org

East Los Angeles College
The Los Angeles City College Foundation
323-265-8901
peralthp@elac.edu

Los Angeles Harbor College
CTE Deans Office
310-233-4041
sanches@lahc.edu

Los Angeles Mission College
CTE Dean’s Office
818-364-7640
ondoyn@lamc.edu

Pierce College
The Foundation for Pierce College
818-710-4206
foundation@piercecollege.edu

Los Angeles Southwest College
Career Center
323-241-5406
lockrist@lasc.edu

Los Angeles Trade-Tech College
University Transfer Center
213-763-7154
esparzdr@lattc.edu

Los Angeles Valley College
The Los Angeles Valley College Foundation
818-947-2619
castlrv@lavc.edu

West Los Angeles College
CE-Academic Affairs
310-287-4487
kawashg@wlac.edu
Become Industry-Certified While Earning an Associate Degree/State Approved Certificate with the Finest Instructors-Led Training

The department chair of Computer Science and Computer Application division, Associate Professor Anna Chiang will provide 1 on 1 course advice and career path consultation. This is also for students who want to learn about the computer programs at WLAC and the computing & information technology career pathways.

These programs lead to career opportunities such as:

- Microsoft and CISCO Network Engineer
- Computer & Network Support Technician
- Information System Security Administrator
- Linux Web Service / Cloud / Virtualization Administrator
- Microsoft & Oracle Database Administrator
- Computer Programmer
- Web Design / Development & Support
- Office Administrator & Legal Secretary

When: Every Mon, Tues, Wed & Th 3:30-5:30 pm
Where: CE229, 310-287-4253

Please make appointment with Ms. Chiang via e-mail ChiangA@wlac.edu

Special Orientation Event for First-Time Online Students

When: Aug 27 Saturday afternoon at 2:00 pm
Where: CE105A
We at Universal Studios Hollywood have a unique opportunity for those with the right balance of technical skills, communication skills and the drive to know more. We recognize that we will need to develop the skills necessary to maintain the complex, automated control systems used to create such a special entertainment venue.

We offer the most unique work environment you will be able to find. Everyday presents new challenges and new opportunities to prove your skills. We need real professionals who recognize the complexity of the controls systems and the interaction of these components. We need responsible individuals who can complete these tasks and document clearly the maintenance and repair process. If you believe that you could be a part of our team; take the time to complete the application and let’s talk soon!

Tim Ragus

Universal Studios Hollywood
Technical Services

Location
Technical Services Department
100 Universal City Plaza,
Bldg 6511/02
Universal City CA 91608
Universal Studios Hollywood ("USH") is a world-renowned theme park filled with shows, rides, and other attractions for our worldwide guests to enjoy. The Technical Services department is responsible for maintaining USH shows, rides, attractions and facilities in peak operating condition to ensure our guests, who come from far and wide, have the ultimate theme park experience. To do that, we employ skilled technicians from various crafts, including electrical, sound, video, animations and maintenance.

USH is offering an unpaid internship and development program designed to introduce participants to the technical fields used in the amusement park industry and to acquaint them with all aspects of the business from control systems, ride & show maintenance, state and federal compliance, planning, budgets and communication.

Selection: Applicants must submit the following:

- The internship application
- One letter of recommendation
- An essay answering the following two questions:
  - Why did you choose this technical career:
  - How would this internship influence your education and career plans?

Eligibility: Candidates must be at least 18 years of age, enrolled in, or have successfully completed an Associate’s degree (AA/AS) or a Certificate Program from a two-year college or technical school in a related field.

General Information: Selected applicants will have the opportunity to attend on-site classes designed to expand their knowledge of operating systems, general maintenance programs, state compliance codes and theme park equipment and ride safety procedures. Upon successfully completing the classroom curriculum, interns will have the opportunity to shadow field technicians.

Completion of this program does not guarantee employment at Universal Studios Hollywood.

- Full Course content will cover 40 hours of Classroom work and 20 hours of in the field shadowing of selected Technical Services Employees.
- Classes will be held twice weekly in 4 hour sessions in the on site Learning Center for a total of 8 hrs. a week.
- Students will be given free parking.
- The five (5) Learning modules will cover 40 hours of classroom work.
- The first class offering will begin in January of 2011
- Books and materials will be provided to each student at no cost.
- Full course content will cover 5 weeks.
- Students who fulfill the requirements of the program will be issued a certificate of completion.
Application

Send completed application to the Dept. Head/Program Chair at your Location/School

Student Information
NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE: ___________________________ ________________
CURRENT ADDRESS___________________________________________________

PRIMARY PHONE NUMBER_____________________________________________
ALTERNATE PHONE NUMBER____________________________________________
EDUCATION/CERTIFICATED PROGRAM_____________________________________
MAJOR/TECHNICAL PROGRAM____________________________________________
CURRENT GPA___________________________________________________________
DATE EXPECTED TO COMPLETE OR GRADUATE________________________________

WORK EXPERIENCE
List your current or last employer or submit a current resume.
EMPLOYER_____________________________________________________________
ADDRESS______________________________________________________________
SUPERVISOR___________________________________________________________
TELEPHONE NUMBER___________________________________________________
DATES OF EMPLOYMENT: ______________________________________________
TITLES/DUTIES___________________________________________________________

STUDENT SIGNATURE_________________________________
DATE:_________________________________________________________________

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The (5) courses offered below are all independent programs and there are no prerequisites required. The student may enter this program at any time. Each course is designed to teach the basic concepts in the classroom and allow the student to perform or observe the practical application of these principles. The student will report on their observations as part of the class curriculum.

**Systemic Contamination Control**
The student will learn how to select and evaluate hydraulic fluid and lubricating oils. A review will be conducted on sampling methods, spectrographic analysis and how to control contamination in a hydraulic system. Students will evaluate lab analysis and report on recommended action.

**Quality Control**
The student will learn how to perform non-destructive evaluation of components using a variety of current measurement and examination methods. The student will report on compliance and the evaluation process.

**Equipment Inspections**
The student will learn the complexity of the daily inspection process and the importance to ride safety. Students may perform or evaluate this process and report on continuous process improvement.

**Energy Conservation**
The student will learn how to conduct an energy audit for lighting and motor controls. A review of how energy is consumed and billed in an industrial environment will be included. The student will review and evaluate energy consumption in a test environment.

**Compliance**
The student will learn the many areas of compliance and the role it plays in keeping the workers and the guests safe. A review of the lock out/tag out process, confined work spaces, and fall protection will be conducted. Students will report on the compliance process.
4) New courses under development:

- CISCO CCNP
- Advanced Linux-Virtual and Cloud Computing (CS 967)
- Apple Application Development using Objective C
- Enterprise Information System using SAP
- Apple System Administration
- VMware and EMC (Information Storage) – CS 987

5) Phone screen hiring appointments with EMC Recruiter for Certified Students!

EMC hires recent college graduates and interns into a variety of positions within their global services organizations through the EMC Global Services Associate Program (GSAP). Now all U.S. student members who earn an EMC Proven Professional Information Storage Associate (EMCISA) certification will automatically be invited to an informational interview with an EMC Global Services recruiter. Please email Anna Roine at anna.roine@emc.com for details.
6) **Healthcare IT Conference**: March 9, 2011

[http://resources.wlac.edu/userfiles/csit_caot/HealthCareIT.pdf](http://resources.wlac.edu/userfiles/csit_caot/HealthCareIT.pdf)

**Healthcare IT Certification Exam**
There has never been a better time to become an Healthcare IT Professional. Certification Exam will be coming soon. For details, please email the Division Chair Professor Anna Chiang at [chianga@wlac.edu](mailto:chianga@wlac.edu) then visit [http://www.HITProExam.org](http://www.HITProExam.org)

**Healthcare IT Fellowship Internship**
The HIT Fellowship program internship application deadline, hosted by Health Career Connection (HCC) in partnership with SoCal HIMSS, has been extended from March 11, 2011 to April 15, 2011

The application link is located at: [http://tbe.taleo.net/NA8/ats/careers/jobSearch.jsp?org=HEALTHCAREERS&cws=7](http://tbe.taleo.net/NA8/ats/careers/jobSearch.jsp?org=HEALTHCAREERS&cws=7)
7) College Student Email
http://www.wlac.edu/studentemail.pdf

8) Degrees and Certificates Petition
http://resources.wlac.edu/userfiles/csit_caot/Graduation.pdf
NOTE: Students must file for petitions 3 months prior to the end of the semester.

9) Internship
http://resources.wlac.edu/userfiles/csit_caot/Employment.pdf

10) Career Path & Consultation
http://resources.wlac.edu/userfiles/csit_caot/CareerConsultation.pdf