



THE CURRENT

University of Louisville Honors Program Newsletter

Honors Calendar At-A-Glance:

March 11	HSC Dip Off
March 13	Travel Seminar Applications Due Applications for HSC Due
March 24	World Scholar Applications Due
March 31	Vietnam War Presentation White Squirrel Submission Deadline

**Make sure to read through this entire newsletter for other important dates and deadlines.*

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This edition of The Current features pictures of Honors advisor Luke Buckman's office. He has lots of interesting keepsakes!

FEATURE ARTICLE

Faculty Focus: Dr. Karen Hadley

We ran this feature in our last issue, but discovered later that not everyone received the issue. This is an updated version of the Faculty Focus feature that ran two weeks ago.

Dr. Karen Hadley was recently nominated for our Faculty Focus feature. As a departmental Honors Fellow in English, Dr. Hadley has taught Honors interdisciplinary seminars, Hon 217, and Hon 101 courses for most of the last decade. In addition to her teaching, Hadley continues to provide valuable mentorship and support to many undergraduates at the University of Louisville. We are incredibly pleased to feature her in this issue.

1. You have taught a variety of courses for the University Honors Program, including Honors 101, Honors 217, and three interdisciplinary seminars you developed on Jane Austen, William Blake, and Frankenstein. Which of these has been your favorite to teach, if you have one?

Some of the most enjoyable teaching I've done here at the University of Louisville has been in my interdisciplinary honors courses. It's exciting teaching upper-division Honors students from among the best in the college: the level of motivation and engagement, and the variety of interests and concerns together is stimulating all around. If I had to choose a favorite among the several I've taught—on William Blake, Jane Austen and Film, and Frankenstein—it would have to be the seminar on Jane Austen and film. I often get a number of (female) students who are true "Janites," who have memorized more detail about the novels than I have. Then I get only a couple of guys who are almost always there at the request (or order) of their girlfriends. The guys become our "experts" on the "men's perspective" in reading/viewing Austen, if there is such a thing.



2. What has been your most memorable teaching moment in Honors?

A fantastic moment that grew out of one of my Austen seminars was an Austen Tea Party put on by one of my students, Lisa Board, at a real Tea Parlor (Sisters in Oldham County). The class and others were invited for an evening of Austen-inspired activities and complete tea service: hostess, servers, and other actors in period costume; harpist serenading us with English Country tunes; dance instructor who led us through a variety of English Country Dances; sweet and savory delicacies prepared from recipes that Austen would've been familiar with (and named after Austen characters); and of course our choice from authentic brewed teas presented in china tea service. What an evening!

3. What's your favorite spot in Louisville?

My favorite hang out is at Days Café on Bardstown Road just off of Edenside. I dig the laid back atmosphere, the comfy chairs and the regulars who occupy them, the rotating art installations, the poetry jams, the Monday specials, the

baristas, and the quality of coffee/coffee drinks. Also it's in the Highlands, where I spend most of my time when I'm not on campus.

4. **What tips do you have to students for making the most of their undergraduate experience?**

I always tell my Honors Orientation (Gen Ed 101) students to value their Gen Ed requirements. Too often they fill this coursework as a step on the ladder toward graduation, but in many cases, they discover a field that they're interested in pursuing, and that they wouldn't have known existed if they hadn't been required to take the class. I also encourage students to make the most of their coursework by getting to know instructors and by developing a real scholarly interest in their fields of study. College is an absolutely unique experience in your life, and you want to take advantage of it before you take on a permanent job, a family, and other responsibilities.

5. **Last good book you read? Film you saw? Song or album you heard?**



Outside of reading for my courses, I confess that I'm a total media slut: I get a couple of newspapers and way too many feeds regarding global & presidential politics, cultural news and stuff dug up by media watchdogs.

5a. **If you were on a desert island, which song would you take with you on your new iPhone?**

I like the music from the Great American Songbook: early 20th century American classics by composers such as Jerome Kern, the Gershwins, Irving Berlin, Cole Porter, Rogers & Hammerstein & Fats Waller, and recorded at that time by artists such as Louis Armstrong, Glen Miller, Fred Astaire, Nat King Cole, Billie Holliday, Sarah Vaughan, Judy Garland, and others. I also enjoy them as Jazz Standards and in their most recent incarnations recorded by artists such as Lady Gaga, Linda Ronstadt, Michael Feinstein, Bette Midler, Queen Latifah, Keith Richards(!) and others.

6. **What's your favorite place to eat in Louisville?**

For lunch, I like The Café near Louisville Stoneware. They've got a fun breakfast/lunch menu, and the most enormous slices of cake in town (dessert is my favorite food group).

7. **What do you like best about working with students?**

Some of my best moments with students are later in the semester, and even after the semester has ended—sometimes years later. In the classroom, I always make it clear how my coursework is designed to be relevant not only to other classes in the college, but also to professional and life experiences beyond. My best moments are when students “get it”: when they make new intellectual discoveries or connections with other coursework; when they realize that their ability to think critically helped them to sort through the rhetoric of a current election cycle; or that their ability to communicate in writing unexpectedly helped them land a coveted job or admission to medical school. I have a file of notes and e-mails from students who have felt that lightbulb go on over their head when they make the connection--I've never thrown one away.

Interested in seeing a faculty member featured in *The Current*? Send your nomination, including why you would like to see this faculty member featured, to luke.buckman@louisville.edu.

HONORS NEWS

Honors Etscorn Scholarship Applications

Applications for academic scholarships with a value up to \$5,000 for the 2015-2016 academic year are now available.

Out-of-state students are eligible to apply. The application and its criteria, along with instructions, may be accessed at the University Honors Program's Scholarships page: <http://louisville.edu/honors/scholarships/university-honors-program-etscorn-scholarship>. These scholarships are funded through generous donations by the Etscorn Foundation. Completed applications, including all letters of recommendation, are due **Friday, April 10, 2015** by 4:00 P.M.

The White Squirrel



The White Squirrel, UofL's Literary & Arts Magazine, is currently accepting submissions for the 2015 edition! Send your poetry, short fiction, non-fiction, photography and visual art to uoflwhitesquirrel@gmail.com by **March 31st**. View submission guidelines here: <http://bit.ly/1CxYGa9>.

Fall 2014, Volume XI is on sale now for \$5 in the Etscorn Honors Center and Carmichael's Bookstores.

Honors Opportunities

Fall 2015 - Overseers' International Travel Seminar:

J.R.R. Tolkien in Print & Film

with travel to
New Zealand



HON 336-01 / HON 346-01
Mondays & Wednesdays, 2:00-3:15 PM
with Dr. Michael Williams
Applications Due
MARCH 13th by 12:00 PM

Reminder that applications for the Overseers International Seminar must be submitted online by this Friday at Noon. Applications are available here: <http://louisville.edu/honors/current-students/honors-travel-seminars/fall-2015-overseers-international-seminar>

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HONORS EVENTS

Unheard Tales of the Vietnam War: A South Vietnamese Perspective From Louisville

The Vietnam War is commonly remembered in the United States as the most tragic American conflict of the twentieth century. But this war also saw more than a million South Vietnamese soldiers serving their cause with incredible courage and bravery.

Please join us when veterans of the Army of the Republic of Viet Nam, a former cabinet member of the South Vietnamese government, and the wife of an imprisoned South Vietnamese soldier reflect on this conflict, share their memories of the fall of Saigon, tell us how their lives changed under Communist rule, and recount how they ultimately escaped from Vietnam and settled in Kentucky.

A moderator will ask questions and show clips from Moving Voices, an oral history project that collects stories from South Vietnamese veterans and refugees in Louisville (<http://movingvoiceskyeng.blogspot.com>).

Tuesday, March 31, 2015, 6pm, Chao Auditorium

Ekstrom Library, University of Louisville Belknap Campus

Reception to follow

Presenters:

Dr. Gary Minh Tran – Cabinet member and Vice Minister of Agriculture for the Republic of Viet Nam under President Nguyen Van Thieu

Hung Le – Officer in the Army of the Republic of Viet Nam, captured and imprisoned by the North Vietnamese Army in 1975

Khue Tran – Officer in the Army of the Republic of Viet Nam, captured and imprisoned by the North Vietnamese Army in 1975

Hao Tran – Wife of Khue Tran, who fought for the Republic of Viet Nam and was then imprisoned in a reeducation camp by the North Vietnamese Army

Tung Nguyen – Fighter Pilot in the Air Force of the Republic of Viet Nam, captured, and imprisoned by the North Vietnamese Army in 1975.

HONORS STUDENT COUNCIL

2015-2016 HSC Elections

Honors Student Council is now accepting applications for next year's council! If you are interested in getting involved in the Honors student community, developing leadership skills, and giving back to the local community, this is an outstanding opportunity. You can nominate yourself for either an elected or appointed position (see below for a full list). This is your opportunity to become a part of HSC and help design academic, fundraising, social, publicity, and service events for next year's Honors students! If you are interested in pursuing a position on HSC, the deadline to submit your application is **Friday, March 13 at 4:00 PM**. Applications are available under the Honors Student Council webpage (<http://louisville.edu/honors/student-organizations/honors-student-council-hsc>) and include descriptions for each position. Applications should be emailed to luke.buckman@louisville.edu by **March 13**.



HSC Zombie Walk, 2014



HSC Cardinal Hoedown 2014



Trivia Night 2014



HSC Members 2014-2015

Elected positions include:

- President
- Executive Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Vice President for Academics
- Vice President for Publicity
- Vice President for Service
- Vice President for Social Events
- Vice President for Special Events

Appointed positions include:

- Academic Chair
- Publicity Chair
- Service Chair
- Social Chair
- Special Events Chair

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Harry S. Truman Scholarship Finalists

For the first time ever, we have TWO students interviewing as Regional Finalists for the 2015 Harry S. Truman Scholarship: Juniors Amanda Allen and Stephanie Dooper! This highly competitive federal award recognizes exceptional U.S. College and University juniors who demonstrate academic excellence in combination with a record of leadership and community service. Each Truman Scholar receives up to \$30,000 for graduate study from the Truman Foundation and scholars also receive priority admission and supplemental financial aid at premier graduate institutions. Stephanie and Amanda will be interviewing at Vanderbilt University on Monday, March 16th. Let's all wish them the best of luck!



A Louisville native, Amanda is a junior double majoring in Political Science and Communication. She is a Woodford R. Porter Scholar, a Harlan Scholar, and during her time at UofL, she has been involved with numerous campus organizations, including the Engage Lead Serve Board, the Student Government Association Task Force Freshman Program, REACH, and Mock Trials. Amanda also has extensive government experience. She has participated in the Frankfort Legislative Internship Program, has served as a Staff Assistant for Councilwoman Tina Ward-Pugh, has interned for Congressman John Yarmuth, and has worked for Alison Grimes' recent campaign for the U.S. Senate. Amanda's interest in politics centers on creating educational equity through policy reform, and this interest further extends to her volunteer work.



Stephanie is a junior double majoring in Political Science and Liberal Studies. She is a Harlan Scholar, and she is extremely involved with various campus organizations, including Habitat for Humanity, Freshman LEAD, the Clinton Global Initiative, and i2a (Ideas to Actions). She is also the founder of UofL's chapter of the Roosevelt Institute, which is an organization focused on writing public policy and building leadership. The Roosevelt Institute also selected Stephanie's permeable pavement policy proposal out of a national competition and will be publishing this proposal later this year. Stephanie's academic interests focus on equitable and sustainable housing.

Mary Churchill Humphrey Scholarship Applications

Mary Churchill Humphrey endowed the University of Louisville Centenary Memorial Scholarship in the late 1940s. This generous scholarship has enabled graduates of the College of Arts & Sciences to pursue advanced study in the United Kingdom for more than fifty years. Competition for the scholarship is open to students majoring in all disciplines within the College of Arts & Sciences. To be eligible, a student must have at least one A&S major and be a resident in the College of Arts & Sciences.

Candidates may apply to study at ANY English, Scottish, Welsh, or Irish University. The MCH may be used to complete a one-year graduate degree or be used in the first year of a longer graduate degree program. The MCH scholarship will cover a significant proportion of the winning scholar's tuition, room and board, fees, other living expenses and transportation. However, given the rising costs of higher education and living expenses in the United Kingdom, students applying for the MCH should expect to meet some portion of their expected budget with personal funds or a graduate school loan. The exact amount of this year's MCH monetary award has not been set.

Eligibility and the application: Academically distinguished College of Arts & Sciences seniors, graduate students, and recent graduates (since 2008) are encouraged to apply.

All potential candidates should schedule an appointment with Dr. Condon (those out of town may email her). Contact Heather Turner (heather.turner@louisville.edu, 502-852-1515) to receive the application PDF.

Mary Churchill Humphrey Scholarship Timeline:

Tuesday, March 17th 2015:

- Statement of Intent: email Dr. Condon (CC Heather) by this date with your intent to apply for the MCH Scholarship. In your email include:
 1. Name, major(s)/minor(s), graduation date.
 2. Intended university/program in the UK and alternate(s).
 3. List of your three intended recommenders.

Tuesday, March 31 2015:

- ALL application materials are due in hard copy and electronic form to Heather Turner in the Overseer's Honors House.
- Materials Include:
 - MCH Application, including resume, budget, and essay.
 - ALL college transcripts, including transfer credits.
 - Discipline specific research sample (not to exceed 20 pages).
 - THREE letters of recommendation from faculty mentors.

Friday, April 10th 2015:

- Campus Interview Day; All candidates in Kentucky must be able to attend the interview. Students at a significant distance away will be interviewed via Skype.

Etscorn International Summer Research Awards

This is an exciting opportunity for undergraduates that will allow UofL students to study and conduct research overseas this coming summer. These awards are open to students from all disciplines. To be eligible to receive the funding, students must be able to demonstrate plans for continued enrollment at UofL in fall 2015. Students are responsible for creating their own proposed summer plan. Past recipients have conducted independent research, taken specialized courses in their field, completed professional internships, or undertaken intensive study at overseas language institutes.

Awards will be offered in increments from \$2,500 to \$5000, depending upon the cost of the program and the student's level of funding from other sources. Applicants need to propose a preferred and alternate program and budgets for both (unless the student has already been accepted into the preferred program). For more info about this opportunity or to schedule an appointment to meet with Dr. Condon, please contact Heather Turner at 502-852-1515 or heather.turner@louisville.edu.

Application Process:

1. Complete the application and essay (contact Heather Turner for application).
2. Attach a one to two-paged resume.
3. Request official transcripts for all college-level work completed at any university or study abroad program.
4. Request letters of recommendation from two faculty members (i.e. professors), directed to your specific summer plan of study abroad and how it will fit into your overall undergraduate plan, enhancing your academic profile.

Application Timeline:

Monday, March 16th 2015

- By this date you should communicate which programs you are considering by email to Dr. Condon (CC Heather). Please include in this note your major, minor and year toward your degree.

Monday, March 30th 2015:

- Deadline for submission of all hardcopy application materials; submit to Heather Turner in the Overseers Honors House.

Monday, April 6th 2015:

- From the pool of applications, the most competitive candidates will be invited to interview on this date.

Selected Student Profile:

- Proposed program is intense and academically rigorous and at least three weeks long.
- Intent to apply for prestigious national scholarships (ex: Goldwater, Fulbright, Marshall, Mitchell, Boren, NSF), with this summer program as a significant step toward future goals.
- Chosen course of study is something beyond what is available at UofL.
- Country of choice is not under State Department warning.
- Cost of program is reasonable relative to the length of the program.
- Your proposed project activity is eligible to receive course credit from UofL.
- A GPA of 3.6 or above will be typical of finalists.

World Scholars Competition

Announcing the spring competition for World Scholars funding to support a semester or year of study abroad in 2015-16!

The World Scholars Program provides select undergraduate students with up to \$8000 of funding to support a significant study experience in a country or region of the world whose principal language is not English. Applicants must be actively committed to achieving fluency in the language of that country or region. They must also be declared majors or minors in any of the non-language disciplines offered by the College of Arts and Sciences and endeavor, to the degree possible, to study the material of that discipline while abroad (whether through full-immersion coursework, service learning, internship placement, directed study, etc.). Students studying any of the modern languages offered at the University of Louisville (Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, Russian, and Spanish) are encouraged to apply. Full details and application at <http://louisville.edu/artsandsciences/student/world-scholars>.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: TUESDAY, MARCH 24TH.

Interested? Get started now!

1. Review application requirements at <http://louisville.edu/artsandsciences/student/world-scholars> to be sure you're eligible.
2. Make an appointment with Virginia Hosono, associate director of Study Abroad and International Affairs (vlhoso01@louisville.edu), to explore study abroad options that meet the requirements of the program.
3. Line up your letters of recommendation and language evaluation. (Forms included in the application packet.)

Questions? Contact application committee chair Dr. Greg Hutcheson at gshutc01@louisville.edu.

FROM OUR FRIENDS

Health Promotions



Stop by the Wellbeing Station in the SRC
March 12th from 5-7pm
for information and resources on how to have a fun and safe SPRING BREAK!

Event includes FREE:

- * Sexual Health Resources
- * Hydration Station
- * Skin Cancer Screenings from KentuckyOne Health
- * Spring Break giveaways from SAB

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Applications are now available to become a REACH Ambassador! Applications are available at <http://www.reach.louisville.edu/applications/ambassador/>.



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Questions?
502.852.8106
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REACH is Now Hiring Ambassadors for 2015-2016



- Apply anytime Feb. 2nd - Mar. 13th
- Ambassadors mentor incoming UofL freshmen
- Must be a second year student
- Must have at least a 2.0 GPA
- 3 paid hours per week

Ambassadors Gain:

- Mentoring certification
- Leadership, communication, and organization skills
- Stronger connections to campus and students
- Networking opportunities
- Family dynamic
- Soft skills

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REACH offers a wide variety of roles in an academic setting. As a REACH GSA you will have the opportunity to:

- Work with a diverse array of students, faculty, and professional staff
- Develop skills in areas such as tutoring, teaching, public speaking, supervising, event planning, technology, and data collection
- Earn in-state tuition remission and a monthly stipend
- Work in an environment that supports your academic goals

For complete details including the requirements and online application, visit <http://reach.louisville.edu/applications/gsa/>.

REACH
Graduate Student Assistant

Priority deadline is March 6. Applications received by then will be given first consideration. Final deadline is March 20.

PEACC Events

Urban Living 101: The Homeland

Wednesday, April 1

7:30-8:30PM at Cardinal Towne - The Avenue.

Are we safer today than before September 11, 2001? How do we prevent potential strikes in the homeland? From recent explosions of violence—Boko Haram in Nigeria, by the Taliban in Pakistan, Al Qaeda in Paris and acts of terror in Yemen and Iraq, there is heightened concern about attacks on American soil. What are Louisville officials doing to stop the spread of terrorism and threats in our community?

The Gray Area: Guantano Bay—What is the Argument for Keeping it Open or Closing it?

Wednesday, April 8

7:30-8:30PM at Cardinal Towne - The Avenue.

It was 13 years ago that the United States government opened a prison on the island of Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; and it was 6 years ago that President Barack Obama made a campaign promise to close the detention camp and move detainees to prisons on American soil before he leaves office. What do you believe? Should the U.S. close its prison? Join The Gray Area discussion.

A Time for PEACC with ROTC

Wednesday, April 15

7:30-8:45PM at Cardinal Towne - The Avenue.

In honor of Sexual Assault Awareness month PEACC and ROTC join forces with community partners and abuse survivors to come together in this musical program to inform, uplift, inspire and call to action, as an unconventional way, of taking on the often tough-to-talk-about issue of sexual assault and all forms of interpersonal violence. Join us for an evening of inspiration and motivation to address a hard hitting problem that's close to home. The numbers are significant—that's what we all have at stake.

Meat & Potatoes: Semester Finale

Wednesday, April 22

7:30-8:30PM at Cardinal Towne - The Avenue.

Meat & Potatoes—a monthly forum that provides a college male perspective on the day's headlines promotes positive communication and advocacy for today's college man as he navigates through university life. If you like to debate, learn about ongoing issues, eat free food and hangout with friends—or just enjoy serious dialogue with some laughs, then Meat & Potatoes is right up your alley!

Red Barn Scholarships

Florence M. Strickler Red Barn Scholarship

Could you use one of at least two \$1,700 scholarships from the Florence M. Strickler Red Barn Alumni Association (RBAA) for the 2015 Fall semester?

If so, please complete the enclosed application and return the completed application with two letters of recommendation to George Howe at the Red Barn Programs Office which is located in the Red Barn to your left as you enter the hallway from the single door with the awning marked "Intersection" on the South side of the Red Barn on or before **Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at 5pm.**

To be eligible for this scholarship, you must have a completed application WITH TWO LETTERS of recommendation attached and turned in by Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at 5pm. PLEASE NOTE THE DEADLINE WILL NOT BE EXTENDED AND APPLICATIONS MUST BE TURNED IN BY 5PM AS INDICATED.

If you are also applying for the Dennis C. Golden Torchbearer Scholarship, the Essie Jenkins Torchbearer Scholarship or the Bridgette Pregliasco Torchbearer Scholarship, you need to have two letters of recommendation for each of them also. The same persons who gave you reference for one of the scholarships could also give you reference for the other scholarships, but you need to have TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION ATTACHED TO EACH APPLICATION that you turn in.

Bridgette Pregliasco Torchbearer Scholarship

Could you use a \$500 Bridgette Pregliasco Torchbearer Scholarships from the Dennis C. Golden Torchbearer Program for the 2015 Fall semester?

If so, please complete the enclosed application and return the completed application with two letters of recommendation to George Howe at the Red Barn Programs Office which is located in the Red Barn to your left as you enter the hallway from the single door with the awning marked "Intersection" on the South side of the Red Barn on or before Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at 5pm.

To be eligible for this scholarship, you must have a completed application with two letters of recommendation attached and turned in by Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at 5pm. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE DEADLINE WILL NOT BE EXTENDED AND APPLICATIONS MUST BE TURNED IN BY 5PM AS INDICATED.

If you are also applying for the Dennis C. Golden Torchbearer Scholarship, the Essie Jenkins Torchbearer Scholarship or the Florence M. Strickler RBAA Scholarships, you need to have two letters of recommendation for each of them also. The same persons who gave you recommendations for one of the scholarships could also give you recommendations for the other scholarships but you need to have two letters of recommendation attached to each application that you turn in.

Essie Jenkins Torchbearer Scholarship

Could you use a \$500 Essie Jenkins Torchbearer Scholarship through the Torchbearer Program for the 2015 Fall semester?

If so, please complete the enclosed application and return the completed application with two letters of recommendation attached to George Howe, Director of Red Barn Special Programs, at the Red Barn Programs Office which is located in the Red Barn to your left as you enter the hallway from the single door with the awning marked "Intersection" on the South side of the Red Barn on or before Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at 5pm.

To be eligible for this scholarship, you must have both a completed application and two letters of recommendation attached turned in by Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at 5pm. PLEASE NOTE THE DEADLINE WILL NOT BE EXTENDED AND APPLICATIONS MUST BE TURNED IN BY 5PM AS INDICATED. PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS. PLEASE MAKE THIS VERY CLEAR TO PERSONS WRITING RECOMMENDATION LETTERS FOR YOU.

If you are also applying for the Dennis C. Golden Torchbearer Scholarship, the Florence M. Strickler Red Barn Alumni Association (RBAA) Scholarships or the Bridgette Pregliasco Scholarship for Adult Learners, you need to have two letters of recommendation for each of them also. The same persons who gave you references for one of the scholarships could also give you references for the others scholarships, but you need to HAVE TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION ATTACHED TO EACH APPLICATION THAT YOU TURN IN.

Dennis C. Golden Torchbearer Scholarship

Could you use a \$500 Dennis C. Golden Torchbearer Scholarship through the Torchbearer Program for the 2015 Fall semester?

If so, please complete the enclosed application and return it together with two letters of recommendation to George Howe, Director of Red Barn Special Programs, at the Red Barn Programs Office which is located in the Red Barn to your left as you enter the hallway from the single door with the awning marked "Intersection" on the South side of the Red Barn on or before Wednesday, April 22, 2015 at 5pm.

To be eligible for this scholarship, you must have a completed application with two letters of recommendation ATTACHED, and turned in by 5pm on Wednesday, April 22, 2015. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE DEADLINE WILL NOT BE EXTENDED AND APPLICATIONS MUST BE TURNED IN BY 5PM AS INDICATED.

Please note that there will be NO EXCEPTIONS. Please make this very clear to the persons doing reference letters for you.

FROM OUR FRIENDS

If you are also applying for the Essie Jenkins Torchbearer Scholarship, the Florence M. Strickler Red Barn Alumni Association (RBAA) Scholarship or the Bridgette Pregliasco Torchbearer Scholarship, you need to have two letters of reference for each of them also. The same two persons who gave you references for one of the scholarships could also give you references for the other scholarships, but you need to have two letters of recommendation with each application turned in – NO EXCEPTIONS.

Please note that that each application is online at <http://louisville.edu/studentactivities/facilities/red-barn-1>
Please note applications must be typed and recommendations should be on appropriate letterhead stationery.

If you need more information, please e-mail gjhowe01@louisville.edu, or call (502) 852-7467.

Digital Filmmaking Production Workshops

UofL's Digital Media Suite is now offering Digital Filmmaking Production workshops every Monday and Tuesday from 2:00-3:00 in their Media Suite. For more information, please visit louisville.edu/digitalmediasuite.com.



The poster features a central graphic with the letters 'DMS' in a large, colorful, pixelated font. The 'D' contains icons for Adobe Illustrator (Ai), Photoshop (Ps), and InDesign (ID). The 'M' contains icons for Premiere Pro (Pp) and After Effects (Ae). The 'S' contains icons for Audition (Au) and Encore (En). Below the graphic, the text reads: 'Digital Filmmaking Production Workshops', 'Every Monday & Tuesday', '2:00 - 3:00'. A list of topics and dates is provided: 'Introduction to Premiere Pro' (Feb 9 & 10), 'Basic Editing' (Feb 16 & 17), 'Advanced Techniques' (Feb 23 & 24), 'Sound Design' (March 2 & 3), and 'Color Correction and Finishing' (March 9 & 10). The website louisville.edu/digitalmediasuite is listed at the bottom.

University-wide Undergraduate Research and Community Engagement Symposium

April 14, 12:30 to 4 p.m., Shumaker Research Building, Room 139

The Office of the Executive Vice President for Research and Innovation is sponsoring the annual Undergraduate Research Symposium. Students, faculty and the community can discuss cutting-edge research topics, examine the connection between research and education and explore the broad range of research at UofL. Deadline for electronic abstract submission is **April 9**.