### **UCIE** Newsletter



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#### 1) Travelling During the Break

Those choosing to travel <u>outside</u> the US between Fall and Spring semester should turn in a request for a Travel Signature ASAP. Please submit the request form along with your I-20/DS-2019 at the front desk.

http://www.wright.edu/ucie/student/files/immigrationI20DS2019.pdf

Delaying this process will put you at risk of not obtaining a travel signature before you leave for your trip. \*\*\*It takes about 5 - 7 business days to process a travel signature.\*\*\*

\*\*Please be reminded that each travel signature is good for 1 year, so if you have a signature on your I-20 that is less than 1 year old, you do not need a new one.



#### 2) VOTE Today!!!! International Photography Contest

Last 2 days to vote... Voting ends tomorrow, November 14th at 5 PM.

You can be a part of the Photo Contest by voting for the photo you think deserves the "People's Choice Award". To vote, simply visit the **University Center for International Education (UCIE)** office window to look at the photos and vote for the one you like the best.

The voting slips are available in front of the UCIE office window. Please drop the voting slips at the UCIE front desk.



The photographs are on exhibit from November 7—November 14

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#### 3) International Education Week Events:

International Education Week is an opportunity to celebrate the benefits of international education and exchange worldwide.

During this week University Center for International Education promotes programs that prepare Americans for a global environment and attract future leaders from abroad to study, learn, and exchange experiences in the United States.

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK 20 12

Join us to celebrate this week with fun events:

#### **International Game Night**

Come to a night of fun and games. Play different interactive board games from around the world and also enjoy some light refreshments.

When: Tuesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>

Where: E190, UCIE Conference Room

**Time:** 05:30PM

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#### **International Movie Night**

Join us to watch the "The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel" and enjoy the hysterics of the melding of two cultures. Pizza will be served!!!

**When:** Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> **Where:** E190, UCIE Conference Room

**Time:** 05:30PM



#### **International Photo Contest Award Announcements**

Last 2 days of voting (Voting ends Nov 14th)!!! Vote for the best photo from the display and then join us in recognizing those who participated, and enjoy viewing photos from around the world!

International Photo Contest award winners will be announced at this event.

Pizza and refreshments served!!!

When: Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup>

Where: E190, UCIE Conference Room

**When:** 12:30 PM



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#### 4) USAC Thanksgiving Celebration

The Wright State University Unclassified Staff Advisory Council (USAC) will be hosting a Thanksgiving Dinner Celebration. There will be lots of food, games and fun activities as well.

When: Thursday, November 22, 2012

Where: WSU's Forest Lane Community Center (near Lot 4)

Time: 12:00 PM

Please rsvp by email to sommer.todd@wright.edu



#### 5) Special Holiday Treat: Join an American Family for Thanksgiving

Would you like to join an American family for a Thanksgiving meal? It'll be a great opportunity to enjoy traditional American holiday foods, learn about the American culture as well as share your country's own culture with them. There are people that want to welcome you into their homes to be part of their family for the holidays.

Please click on the attached link and sign up for holiday hosting this Thanksgiving. <a href="http://dayton.ifiusa.org/holiday-hosting/">http://dayton.ifiusa.org/holiday-hosting/</a>



When: Thursday, November 22, 2012

\*\*\*Deadline to sign up: Wednesday, November 14, 2012\*\*\*

\*\*\*If you will be needing transportation, your host family will arrange for you to be picked up\*\*\*

If you will like to celebrate this Thanksgiving with an American family, you need to either visit the website above or stop by the UCIE office to complete the form. If you have any dietary restrictions, you can note them on the form as well.

For any questions, please contact Gloria Kelios at g.kelios@ifiusa.org