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#### 1) Coffee Hour: Co-Ed Soccer Tournament

International soccer comes to Wright State! Are you a highly skilled soccer player? Or an amateur at best? It does not matter! Come join us and enjoy a memorable day showing off your skills at the soccer tournament event.

The tournament will be between **undergrads and grad students.** LEAP students are free to join whichever group they wish. **Please make sure you sign up at the international office (UCIE –E190 Student Union) to participate in the tournament** 

When: Friday, September 21, 2012

Where: Field 4 in front of the Russ Engineering

Time: 3PM



#### 2) Pictures from Welcome BBQ

Thank you to everyone who attended the Welcome BBQ picnic last Friday. If you would like to check out the pictures taken by the school's Guardian Newspaper photographer during the picnic, please visit the Facebook webpage via this link: <a href="http://www.facebook.com/WSU.UCIE/posts/141285832682101#!/media/set/?set=a.411462882249470.96774.100001572862505&type=1">http://www.facebook.com/WSU.UCIE/posts/141285832682101#!/media/set/?set=a.411462882249470.96774.100001572862505&type=1</a>



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#### 3) Attn Indian Students: Scholarship Application Opportunity

There is a scholarship opportunity for "continuing" Indian students who will have completed two terms of grades by the beginning of Fall Semester 2012. The Raj Malhotra scholarship is limited to **citizens of India** and is to be used for tuition only. The scholarship applications can be found on the web site below:

http://www.wright.edu/ucie/students/finaid/finaid.html

Below are several other eligibility requirements as specified below:

- A. Must be on a student visa; and in valid visa status
- B. Must maintain a minimum 3.0 g.p.a. (cum.) for undergraduate students or 3.25 g.p.a. (cum.) for graduate students
- C. Must have been enrolled at Wright State University for a minimum of two terms prior to Fall Semester 2012
- D. Must have demonstrated financial need
- E. Must be eligible to use scholarship funds toward tuition during the 2012-2013 academic year
- F. Must not be receiving a graduate assistantship or tuition waiver for the selected academic term

Application deadline: September 15, 2012

#### 4) Fall 2012 Coffee Hour Schedule

The International Cultural Exchange (ICE) is planning an event for every other week this semester. ICE is a student organization that sponsors events to allow international students to experience American culture, culture of other nations and have fun in an informal setting. Our upcoming events are:

September 21st, 3PM - Soccer Tournament

October 5th, 3PM - Jeopardy!

October 26th, 3PM - Halloween Pumpkin Carving & Halloween Haunted House

**November 2nd, 3PM - Indoor Games** 

November 30th, 3PM - Potluck

Join our Facebook group to stay up-to-date with new events being planned for this semester: http://www.facebook.com/groups/8651726324/







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#### 5) Survey and Gift Card Opportunity for New International Students

Are you an <u>international student</u>? Are you <u>new</u> to the United States? Here is your opportunity to receive an Amazon.com gift card plus a chance to win an additional gift card by easily participating in a survey study!

#### **Eligibility**

<u>First-year</u> undergraduate or graduate <u>international</u> students in the United States

#### Purpose of Study

The current study seeks to examine the quality of cross-cultural experience among new international students in the U.S. and various factors that may contribute to cross-cultural adjustment.

#### **How to Participate**

You can easily participate in the study and be rewarded by clicking the following link:

#### https://atrial.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV\_dmRi0J8xfMNyRNj

You will need to fill out four short surveys across a five-month period. Upon completing the first survey, you will be asked to provide an e-mail address via which you can be reached for the following surveys. You will be compensated upon the completion of the study after the 4<sup>th</sup> assessment.

#### **Confidentiality**

Participation in this study is completely voluntary and confidential. The surveys will **NOT** request any sensitive information.

#### **About the Investigator**

Mengqiao Liu is a doctoral student in the Department of Psychology in Wayne State University. This study is supervised under Ph.D. advisor and has been approved by the IRB board of the university. If you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to contact mengqiao.liu@wayne.edu or (765)532-0547.

#### Thank you!

