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Fall Events 2024

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

NEW INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION
GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT CENTER • 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM

Welcome to WCU! Learn about Campus resources, academic, cultural, and social life at WCU, and how to maintain your legal F-1 and J-1 visa status. Orientation is mandated by The Department of Homeland Security.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30

WELCOME (BACK) NIGHT
ROUND1, EXTON PA • 5:30 - 8:30 PM

A fun night with bowling, games, karaoke, food, and much more at Round1 Bowling & Arcade in Exton, PA.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

COFFEE BREAK
GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT CENTER • 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Join your peers in understanding ones experiences as an International Student over a cup of coffee/tea and refreshments.

WED & THU, SEPTEMBER 25 & 26

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK (IEW) INFO SESSION
GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT CENTER • 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Learn about the different ways you can become involved in programs and cultural events during International Education Week in November.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

APPLE PICKING AT LINVILLA ORCHARDS
LINVILLA ORCHARDS, MEDIA, PA • 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Enjoy the beauty of Pennsylvania's Fall season while picking a variety of apples straight from the trees!

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

OPTIONAL PRACTICAL TRAINING (OPT) WORKSHOP
GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT CENTER • 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Learn about the Optional Practical Training (OPT) application process and discuss eligibility requirements. All students interested in working in the U.S. after graduation are required to attend this workshop during their final semester.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24

CURRICULAR PRACTICAL TRAINING (CPT) WORKSHOP
GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT CENTER • 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Learn about the Curricular Practical Training (CPT) application process and discuss eligibility requirements. All students interested in participating in an internships off-campus while still in school are required to attend this workshop.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

TURKEY HILL EXPERIENCE & SHADY MAPLE SMORGASBORD, LANCASTER PA
LANCASTER COUNTY, PA • 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Travel to Lancaster County to visit the Turkey Hill Creamery and Shady Maple Smorgasbord. Create your own ice cream delights and enjoy hearty Pennsylvania Dutch cuisine from a 200-foot-long buffet!

WED & THU, NOVEMBER 13 & 14

PREPARATIONS FOR THE COUNTRY EXPO
GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT CENTER • 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Participants in the International Education Week's Country Expo event gather to complete their posters and other materials.

MON-FRI, NOVEMBER 18-22

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK (IEW)
VARIOUS CAMPUS LOCATIONS • VARIOUS TIMES

Indulge in the joint initiative of the U.S. Department of State and the U.S. Department of Education as WCU celebrates International Education Week (IEW) featuring diverse cultural showcases and engaging activities fostering global awareness. Events aim to promote a global environment and attract future leaders.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

END OF SEMESTER CELEBRATION & STOLE CEREMONY
GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT CENTER • 12:00-2:00 PM

Join us in celebrating the end of the semester and in recognizing the graduating International Students as they receive their flag stoles to wear with their academic regalia at the commencement ceremony.

WED & THU, DECEMBER 11 & 12

FINALS WEEK STRESS BUSTER
GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT CENTER • 12:00-2:00 PM

This is an opportunity for studying, socializing with friends, playing games, relaxing, and unwinding while you enjoy some delicious food during the finals week.