



Upward Bound Program



UB Students Complete Summer Program

Environmental Studies was the academic topic this summer. Students examined environmental issues and influences including basic ecological systems, climate, pollution, wildlife, management and quality control.

Students completed their class with a poster project that highlighted an aspect of environmental issues and these were displayed during the Awards Ceremony. The Lecturer for the Course was U.W. Professor Amanda Henck and the Quiz sections instructors who assisted were Rachel Mitchell, Angela Leung, Jessica Kocian and Erik Gjesfjeld.

Other courses this summer featured algebra, geometry, pre-calculus, political science seminar, ASL Class, college prep, research, web design, hip hop/step and ballroom dance.

The ASL students exhibited their newly acquired expertise by using ASL during the Awards Ceremony. Next summer will feature more opportunities for ASL to show their skills with ASL I & II advanced classes.

Also this summer, 12 Upward Bound Bridge students successfully completed their first quarter at the University of Washington. Congratulations to Ali Hussna, Au Duong, Yuen Cheng, Bethlehem Haile, Faiza Ibrahim, Ivan Lo, Jennifer Nguyen, Sandy Nguyen, Tylor Prather, Teresa Ta, Dawn Tuason and Charles Yuen. **CONGRATS TO ALL UW UB Students for their success!**



Who Are the U.W. Upward Bound Students?

Most UB Students are the first in their families to go to college and/or low-income. The program is 100% federally funded by the Department of Education at \$423,317 annually. Listed here are the U.W. U.B. students:

Cleveland 2012
Alvarado, Amanda
Babs, Robert
Brown Alicia
Hudson, CurDesia
Huynh, Wilson
Iese, Akerei
Ku, Adam
Le, Thomas
Lu, Julie
Liu, Lorna
Mohammad, Azizah
Ngo, An-hong
Ramson, RaQuia
Siu, Sonia
Smith, Olivia
Vallencia, Zoe
Walton, Dwight

Cleveland 2011
Baker, Kanisha
Clhoun, Jazmine
Cheatham, Jasmine
Cirone, Steven
Fernandez, Jalenson
Floresca, Emil Mark
Guriman, Jennifer

Le, Jullie
Moham, Rofyash
Mohamed, Maimuni
Nguyen, Ha
Nguyen, Myhoa
Tong, Alex
Weicuss, Sianna
Williams, Amethyst

Cleveland 2010
Alkadir, Mimi
Hooper, Sherese
Lam, Michael
Velasco, Jessica
Williams, Christopher

Garfield 2011
Avila, Erika

Nathan Hale 2011
Taylor, Marquez

Franklin 2012
Gsbuyo, Jessica
Hui, Rayman
Kwong, Ricky
Mburu, Flechia

Franklin 2011
Ahmed, Asma
Au, Tony
Chen, Annie
Chin, Jacob
DeFilippis, Jamika
Le, Joshua
Newson, Taylor
Nguyen, Quynh Nhu
Pham, Jenny
Rosas, Cassandra
Than, Tuyen
Tong, Kathy
Wei, Hannah
Wells Daniels,
Michael
Wong, Andrew
Wong, Jennifer

Franklin 2010
Abdulle, Farhiya
Abera, Samuel
Balfour, Anthony
Bermudez, M. Jane
Davis-Lewis,
Elandra
Dugar, Michael
Grace, Sadreika
Huang, JiaJun
Jackson, Amari
Jamerson, Dorthy
Johnson, Kionna
Ma, Melanie
Mitchell, Phylicia
Ng, Annie
Nguyen, Daniel
Pruitt, Jade
Roberts, Brea
Rudio, Philip
Sivilay, Phounsouk
Tolson, Isiah
Tran, Stephanie
Tu, Sushen
Wanjiku, Cynthia



Academic Classes, Tutoring & News 2009

Writing Clinic Semester 1&2

Donna Bolima will be at Clev. Rm. 2119 every Tuesday, and at Franklin in the counseling office or Lib every Thursday beginning Sept. 10th for writing clinic. Pick up a request to report if needed to get help with papers and writing.

Math Tutoring Semester 1&2

Will Pirrie will be at Franklin Lib. Tues/Wed, and Cleveland Rm. 2119 Thurs/Fri for math tutoring. Pick up a request to report if needed for Math help.

Expository Writing

SAT/Career/College Prep Class for Juniors Sem 2

All juniors should make sure they are registered for the UB SAT class in their schools Junior year (2nd semester Franklin, & Cleveland). These classes will help students improve their SAT scores anywhere from 50-250 points in math and/or verbal. We will also work on basic reading and writing skills. If there is a schedule problem, see Fina.

Senior Counseling: UW App Deadline Dec 1st!

Fina is in both schools every week. She is in Cleveland Monday (Rm 2260), Franklin Tuesday (2nd Floor, Counseling Conference Room). She is there to help and needs to hear from you ASAP on where you are in this process. Time is ticking, so don't wait! Make sure you have all the required credits you need each year to enter college. *Seniors get your essays to Fina ASAP!

Sophomores and Juniors!

Remember that you should not wait until Senior year to complete your service hours. *Also* be sure to check in from time to time to see Fina if needed!

NEW! Saturday College Prep Workshops—Get Ahead Now!

SR. PROJECT —*Get it done fast and be free 2nd Semester! Ha!* 9/12, 9/19, 10/17, 10/24, 10/31 9-1, *Rm 170, Schmitz Hall*

Career Exploration Health Sciences, Business —get a head start on your career path! Watch for more details on events in *Nov/Dec*

UPCOMING DATES (Srs. register now for Nov 1st SAT ASAP!)

SAT TEST 10/10, 11/7, 12/5, 1/23, 3/13, 5/1, 6/5

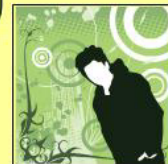
SAT Sr. Work Shops 9/26, 10/3 9-12 *Instructional Ctr.*

PSAT Jr. Work Shops 9/26, 10/3, 10/10 9-12 *Instructional Ctr.*

Seattle College Fair Coming up! 10/18 12-4 & 10/19 9-12
Seattle Convention Center

Our Upward Bound Attendance expectation is 96%. This means that you should not miss more than 4 days of school per quarter (excused or unexcused). Studies show that low attendance is one big factor in low G.P.A. We want only the best for our Upward Bound Students!

Did You Know?



Juniors! SAT CLASSES 2nd Semester Frank/Clev *SAT Info Web Site: <http://www.collegeboard.com>



UB Students Complete Summer Programs



This summer Upward Bound Students participated in various summer academic programs. The Math/Science programs specifically give each student a sense of what it is like to live in a university environment, or focus on a specific academic discipline, while utilizing access to instructors, tutors and resources. If interested in attending an academic enrichment program in the summer, contact Fina or Donna for apps/ info in January. Here are the students who participated in various programs this summer:



Brea; MPC Math/ Sci Participant



"The MPC Math/Science Prog. Allowed me to meet other students from around the West Coast and learn about Marine Ecology."
-Mary Jane



Daniel; Obama Internship in DC

"The Microsoft internship allowed me to assist executives with presentations and videos. I also learned html. It was life changing!"
-Phounsouk



Good Bye Maria —We love you! Welcome aboard Yoshi! —Our Maria has graduated and found a new gov. job with the City of Renton. Yoshi who is also a UB Alumni will now take her place! Ah Life!

Left to right: Brea R, Mary Jane B (Frank HS, Math/Science Monterey Penn, CA, Daniel N (Internship Washington D.C.), Phounsouk S (Microsoft Internship) **CONGRATS on your success!**

***Did You Know? UB has a Web Info Site: <http://depts.washington.edu/ub/>**

Technology Classes



"Coffee: The Rio Venti" Cynthia W-Franklin HS, Sushen T-Franklin HS, Chris W-Cleveland HS



"The Chinese Civil War" Rayman H-Franklin HS, Akerei I & Autumn D Cleveland HS



"Seattle: The Internatioal City" Jia Jun H-Franklin HS, Annie N-Franklin HS, Hannah W-Franklin HS, Jazmine C-Cleveland HS



"The Horrors of Human Trafficking" Sherese H-Cleveland HS, Jessica V-Cleveland HS, Michael D-Franklin HS, Samuel A-Franklin HS

ThinkQuest TRIO Educational Web Competition

Every year our students enter the National TRIO ThinkQuest Web Competition. Students spend about six weeks (plus weekends and after school) researching, writing and creating educational sites using Dream Weaver, Flash and other interactive applications. Congrats TTQ'ers! Our new competitors this year are shown to the left. Last year we took best of Contest in the Nation, as well as gold and silver medals. To See the new winners when they are announced in October, go to:

<http://depts.washington.edu/trio/>

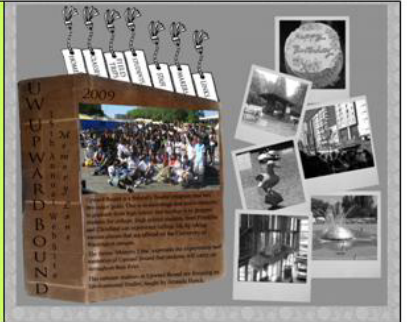


"Smoking" Jade P Frankin HS, Wilson H & Emil F Cleveland HS

ONLINE MAGAZINE CLASS

A UB tradition since 1985, Upward Bound students once again published a Summer Online Magazine whose theme was "Memory Lane." View the Upward Bound Student generated Magazine on the web at:

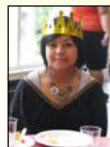
<http://depts.washington.edu/uboma>



Senior Bridge & College Admissions 2009



U.W. Upward Bound Bridge students successfully completed their first 12 credits for Summer quarter. By participating in the UB Bridge Program, students were able to get a good head start on the Fall rush at University of Washington and brush up on strategies and resources needed to tackle their college academics (Bridge students pose for a snap shot below-left).



UB Senior College Admissions List 2009:

- University of Washington:** Tylor Prather, Ivan Lo, Teresa Ta, Bette Haile, Dawn Tuason, Au Doung, Charles Yuen, Yuen Cheng, Sabella Habties, Faiza Mohamed, Sandy Nguyen, Jennifer Nguyen, Mersaides Sanders, Rosa Nguyen, Mathew Ma
- Seattle U** — Khadra Mohamid, Tony Tran
- Washington State U**—Alana Cotton
- Wesleyan University**—Hee-Kyong Kang
- Western Washington U**—Dagem Adane
- Evergreen State College**—Sonny Nguyen
- South Seattle CC**—Kareem Mohamed
- Seattle Central CC**—James Williams, Bentley Artison, Kimberly Natavio, Tam Lam, Efren Evangelista
- North Seattle CC**—Elizabeth Khronek, Alyssa Mulholland



Janel B. & Solomon R.

UW UB Bridge Mentors & current UW Students



UB Sr Dinner & UW Grad Pics



Congrats Frank & Cleve UW UB college Grads!



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UW Upward Bound Program

UW UB REGULAR STAFF:

Leny Valerio-Buford, *Director*, Donna Bolima, *Instructor/Staff*, Maria Garcia/Yoshi Ueda, *Prog. Coord*, Fina Marino, *Counselor*, Dave Wolczyk, *Tech Support*, Will Pirrie, *Instructor/Staff*



Random Summer Pics!



College Prep Reminders!

Juniors need to begin seriously looking at the colleges they want to apply to. In addition, if the institution they want requires SAT II Subject Tests, they should see Fina or Donna to register.

The U.W. now has new criteria for college application. They no longer use an Admissions Index. Major things they will look at include GPA, SAT scores, school and community activities/contributions, economic disadvantage, ability to overcome personal adversity, exceptional creative talent, taking challenging classes and strong personal statements. For more info see: www.admit.washington.edu

4 Yr College Bound Requirements:

- 2-3 years of the same Foreign Language
- 4 years Language Arts
- 3 years Math (Algebra & above)
- 3 years Social Sci. (with Amer Gov)
- 2 years Science (with 1yr Lab Science)
- .5 -1.0 credits Fine Arts
- 60 Hrs Community Service
- Senior Project (Varies at each school)
- GPA of at least 3.0 and above
- *(.50 credit counts for 1/2 year)

Fina's Schedule/Location:

Clev-Mon Rm 2260, Frank-Tues/Counseling Conference Room, 2nd flr, Wed UB Office

