

TRIO/SSS Spring Workshops 2016

TRIO/SSS plans a variety of workshops throughout the school year to provide support for students. The focus is to enhance academic skills, financial literacy, and life skills.

**WE ARE CALLED
RESPONSIBLE
LEADERS**

Mark your calendars! Plan to attend at least two workshops this semester. For each workshop you attend, you will get one entry in the drawing to win an iPad!

To register: call (612) 330-1311, email triosss@augsborg.edu, or stop by our office in the Gage Center in Lindell Library.

Workshops at a glance

JANUARY

Professional Communication

Wednesday, January 20

5:00 pm—6:00 pm

Location: OGC 100

*Sponsored by Traveler's Edge

Welcome Back/Meet and Greet

Thursday, January 21

1:00 pm—3:00 pm

Location: TRIO/SSS Office

Scholarship Workshop

Wednesday, January 27

2:30 pm—3:30 pm

Location: Marshall Room, Christensen Center

Thursday, January 28

3:45 pm—4:45 pm

Location: Lindell 202

*Co-sponsored by TRIO/SSS & Latin@ Student Services

FEBRUARY

From Backpack to Briefcase

Tuesday, February 2

12:00 pm—1:30 pm

Location: OGC 100

Wednesday, February 3

3:15 pm—4:45 pm

Location: Lindell 202

MN Private College Job and Internship Fair

Wednesday, February 17

9:00 am —3:00 pm

Minneapolis Convention Center

**Must register by 2/12 through Strommen Center (Tell them you are a TRIO/SSS student, register online, upload resume, and attend preparation session & we will cover registration fee.)*

MARCH

Life After College

Thursday, March 31

12:00 pm—1:30 pm

Location: Marshall Room, Christensen Center

*Co-sponsored by TRIO/SSS & Student Financial Services

APRIL

FAFSA Information & Completion

Wednesday, April 6

Time: 2:30 pm— 3:30 pm

Thursday, April 14

Time: 12:30 pm— 1:30 pm

Tuesday, April 19

Time: 4:00 pm—5:00 pm

Location for FAFSA workshops: SVE 201

**Co-sponsored by TRIO/SSS, College Possible, and Student Financial Services*

End of Semester Celebration

Friday, April 22

1:00 pm—3:00 pm

Location: TRIO/SSS Office

TRIO/SSS Spring Workshop Descriptions

Professional Communication

This workshop is good preparation for the upcoming job fair and internship interviews, and very valuable in general. Tips will be shared for successful in-person, phone, and email communication with employers. There will also be an opportunity for participants to practice responding to a given scenario. **This workshop is open to all Augsburg students and meets TRIO/SSS workshop requirements.*

Welcome Back/Meet and Greet

Join us to celebrate the beginning of a new semester and to meet and welcome our new Program Assistant, Lani Moua. Treats will be available!

Scholarship Workshop

During this workshop, we will share and discuss many scholarships. Our staff has many years of valuable experience helping students earn scholarships. Several TRIO/SSS staff have also served on scholarship committees, so we know what they are looking for. This will be a hands-on workshop for you to prepare a template that can be adjusted slightly depending on the particular scholarship requirements. We want to help you save time and hopefully earn some money! **Co-sponsored by TRIO/SSS & Latin@ Student Services.*

From Backpack to Briefcase

Come learn how to dress for success and effectively network to secure that job, internship or opportunity you are seeking. There will be a focus on how to network and participants will receive a free copy of The 20-Minute Networking Meeting. This book gives details about how little meetings can lead to a big job opportunity.

MN Private Colleges Job and Internship Fair

This Fair allows employers and student job candidates to meet from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. TRIO/SSS will pay the registration fee for those who register by 2/12 and mention that they are a TRIO/SSS student, attend a preparation session in the Strommen Center, **AND** upload a resume to the Strommen Center. (See the Strommen Center website for more info: www.augsburg.edu/strommen)

Life After College

Student Financial Services will share information to help students with the transition from college student to college graduate. Some areas that may be covered are repaying loans, costs of life in the "real world," and money management. **Co-sponsored by TRIO/SSS and Student Financial Services.*

FAFSA Information and Completion

Bring your taxes, your parents' taxes, W-2's and other necessary financial information to complete your FAFSA with assistance from TRIO/SSS, College Possible, and Student Financial Services staff. **If you haven't created a FAFSA ID yet, this must be done in advance of this workshop!** Go to <https://www.ifap.ed.gov/> for directions.

End of Semester Celebration

Join us to celebrate the end of the semester. Good conversation and treats will be available!