

From: Non-Traditional Student Programs
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Subject: Welcome to the fall 2015 semester!



Hello,

Welcome to the 2015-2016 academic year. We have events everyday the first week to celebrate your return and so many more planned for the rest of the semester. Don't forget we have academic labs with free tutors in every department, extended library hours and a shuttle service to help get you around campus. If you need a mentor or want to mentor a new non-traditional student, please click on the link below. Again welcome and I look forward to seeing you this semester.

Cynda Alexander

Non-Traditional Student Programs Coordinator

NTSP August Events

- Aug. 18, NTSP Open House. Office of Campus Life DSC 216. Stop by for

information about all the support services and events we have for non-traditional students, a donut and a drink.

- Aug. 20-21, NTSP Info Table. DSC Foyer (by food court). Stop by for information about all the support services and events we have for non-traditional students and Campus Life.

For a list of **NTSP Fall 2015 Events**, click [HERE!](#)

Trojan Daze-Welcome Week Events

- [Aug. 17, Trojan Tip-Off/Pep Rally](#). DSC Fitness Center from 4:00-8:00. Food, T-shirts and FUN!!
- [Aug. 18, In It to Win It Game Show](#), Win free cash and prizes at this game show that mimics the popular “Minute to Win It!”
- [Aug. 18, 19, UALR After Dark](#), Student volunteers hand out survival bags to night-time and commuter students
- [Aug. 17-20, Blackboard Student Orientation Workshop](#), Orientation workshops to acquaint students with Blackboard and learning online
- [Aug. 20, Mission IMPROVable](#), A comedy team that is a mix of MTV’s “Wild ‘N Out” and “Who’s Line is it Anyway”- but with a twist
- [Aug. 17-21, Cooperative Education: Get Ready, Here We Come](#), Information, giveaways, takeaways, and opportunities.

Never miss a Campus Life event, subscribe to the event calendar [HERE!](#)

FAQ

What is a non-trad?

Are there scholarships for non-

Did You Know ...

The Non-Traditional Student Programs offers assistance to non-traditional students in making a successful academic and social transition to UALR. The NTSP

trads?

To find out the answer to those questions and more, click the FAQs button below!

[NTSP FAQs](#)

The Power of Peer Mentoring

What is mentoring all about?

What do you give?

What do you get?

[Peer Mentoring Answers](#)

[Become a Mentor](#)

[Request a Mentor](#)

Current Job Openings

Axciom has paid internship positions available for students whose interest is in accounting and finance. Click below to find out more.

[Student Jobs](#)

UALR has a Grants and Contracts Coordinator position available for

helps you navigate the university and provides information about resources, services and opportunities that we offer. For a full list of programs & services, click the link below!

[NTSP Programs & Services](#)



Highlighting Students: One Story at a Time

At 16, *Farisha* entered adulthood by obtaining her GED. At 17, she married, and, this year, she became a single mother...

Angela's journey to her graduation this fall has been long and arduous...

Read their stories [HERE](#).

What's Important to First Generation Students?

graduates. Click below to find out more.

[UALR Jobs](#)

UALRworks seeks to create year-round employment opportunities for students. Click below for contact information.

[UALRWorks](#)

Professional Organizations

Why is it important to join professional organizations? They are wonderful resources for keeping current in your field, professional publications, education and service opportunities, scholarships, internships, jobs, & networking.

Students in non-profit and government studies would benefit from the [American Society for Public Administration](#).

Helpful Links



"Always be advised," says Mario Wallace.

"Apply for everything (scholarships) you can get your hands on," Chelsea McNeil emphasizes.

"The only expectation you need to pay attention to is the one you have for yourself," Ong Vang encourages.

"It may seem unattainable. All things are possible," says Amy Jo Hall.

"Don't let your fears get in the way. If I can do it, you can do it," Cali Hernandez says.

"I may be 15 years too late, but at least I'm here now," encourages Dana Julian.

Click on the video to hear their stories!

Funding Your Education

Did you miss the deadlines for scholarships for the 2015-16 school year? Maybe not all of them.

Though FAFSA's deadline was June 1 and UALR Private Scholarships' deadline was March 1, other scholarships from organizations independent of UALR and individual departments of UALR have varying scholarship deadlines spanning the calendar year.

- [Campus Life](#)
- [Health Services](#)
- [Counseling](#)
- [Bookstore](#)
- [Student Accounts](#)
- [Financial Aid](#)

Find all the scholarships for which you are eligible and keep a schedule of when they are open for application to keep ahead of the scholarship curve. Attend one of our workshops to find out how to find scholarships.

Scholarship Workshops

Wednesday, Nov. 4, 2015, 1-3pm, DSC Ledbetter B/C

Wednesday, Jan. 27, 2016, 1-3pm, DSC Ledbetter B/C

You can find out more at the scholarship workshops listed here by clicking the button below.

[Scholarships](#)

If you are new to UALR and missed orientation this summer, schedule a 30 minute new student orientation session with me this week. Click [HERE](#) to see my availability.



Learning is a treasure, which accompanies
its owner everywhere.

~ Chinese Proverb

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