

TAYLOR FAMILY CENTER FOR STUDENT SUCCESS NEWSLETTER



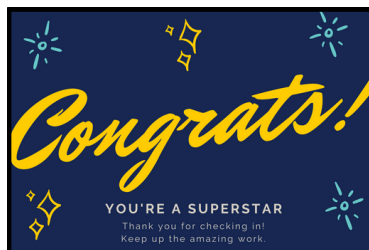
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This April We Celebrate APIDA Heritage Month!

The month of May is short for many institutions, so APIDA will be celebrated in April. Check out these WashU events! Learn more through WUGO.



TFC Monthly Winners

February's Winner- Camryn Moore
March's Winner- Mc Ramirez Gomez



A WORD FROM STAFF

As you prepare for the finals season, we want to remind you that we are here to support you in any way we can, whether that would be through connecting you to resources or the right people to get you the support you need. On behalf of the Taylor Family Center for Student Success Team, I wish you all a strong finish for the semester and some rest before your summer plans. Take the advice from the learning center's most recent presentation on test-taking skills and research writing.

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UPCOMING TAYLOR FAMILY CENTER WIDE EVENTS

- Taylor Family Center's End of Year Celebration
 - April 25, 5pm - 7pm at Women's Building Formal Lounge
- First-Generation Recognition Graduation Ceremony
 - May 10, 9am at Graham Chapel
 - Reception at Tisch Commons from 11:15am-12:15pm

Taylor Family Center Event



Our TFC End of Year Celebration is on the horizon! Come for the fun and community!

Taylor Stars Event Recap



Taylor Stars Latine Affinity Group Spring Event

In April, Taylor Stars Latine Affinity Group came together for a Loteria event with pupusas and tres leches cake, and Taylor Stars Muslim Affinity group hosted an iftar the last Friday of Ramadan!

TRIO Event Recap



Painting with a Twist Event with TRIO



The TRIO community made beautiful artworks this past week at Painting with a Twist. Thank you for all who joined! You went in and came out as artists.

Kessler Upcoming Event



Kessler Scholars Mentor Gathering April 23, 2024 6:00pm- 7:00pm, DUC 248

April 23
6-7 pm
DUC 248

This is the final peer mentor gathering of the year!
[RSVP Here](#)

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UNIVERSITY WIDE EVENTS

- Active Transportation Month
 - Bike tune-ups, WashU Rides Challenge & Earth Day Celebrations
 - [Learn more here](#)
- First-Generation Recognition Graduation Ceremony
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Student Spotlight: Meet Ariel



Meet Ariel Nochez, a sophomore TRIO Scholar pursuing a double major in Data Science and Linguistics and a minor in Speech and Hearing Sciences.

He is currently involved with the Taylor Family Center as a TRIO Peer Mentor and as a TRIO Computer Science Clinic Peer Tutor.

This summer, Ariel will be participating in the Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation (LSAMP) REU (Research Experience for Undergraduates) at Cornell University where he will be doing computational psycholinguistics research for nine weeks.

Ariel's words of wisdom for the TFC students are the following:

"Through this process I was rejected from about 12-15 other research programs. It really only takes one! Don't give up and don't let some failures hinder you from continuing to try. It'll work out!"

Important Reminders

- TFC Lunch and Financial Knowledge with Eric Upin
 - May 2 from 12-1pm
 - [RSVP here](#)
- Kessler Scholars
 - Mentor Gathering on April 23 from 6-7pm
- TRIO Scholars
 - Reminder to meet with TRIO Advisor
 - Expectation of meetings are twice a semester for TRIO Scholars
 - Schedule an appointment [here](#)