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GLOBAL CAMPUS UPDATE

Washington State University

Wednesday, Aug. 19, 2015

Three 2015 graduates share tips for successful semester

With classes about to begin, we asked three of our most dynamic 2015 graduates for their success tips. Two answers involved the creative use of spreadsheets and the third was more personal. See their [tips on the blog](#).

News briefs

Brief Blackboard outage. Because of system maintenance, Blackboard Learn will be unavailable from 9:30 p.m. Aug. 20 to 9:30 a.m. Aug. 21.

Student support menu. This web page lists contact info for our student services staff. Bookmark it now to avoid stress later. [Global Campus support team](#).

Zzsis renamed myWSU. WSU's online information portal has been renamed "myWSU." Only the name changed; none of the services are affected. The new URL is [my.wsu.edu](#).

Financial aid tips. Student Financial Services says aid will begin to disburse today, Aug. 19, and reminds students to check both their myWSU (formerly known as zzsis) account and their WSU email account for notices. [Here's information](#) on

Spotlight



Two big email changes

Just a quick reminder about the email changes: If you used to log in as first.lastname@email.wsu.edu, you'll now log in as simply NetworkIDname@wsu.edu.

And, starting Aug. 24, your "preferred" email address in myWSU will change to your WSU email address. All WSU email will be sent there.

Want more info? Check out WSU's [Office 365 page](#).

disbursement, and here's a [handy tip sheet](#).

Fast-track your academic career. Earn three credits in three weeks online during Winter Session. This year's Winter Session offers 18 undergraduate courses, ranging from film to music to macroeconomics. [Winter Session](#)

Student ID. To get a student ID card (great for student discounts), just send a request and a photo. [Instructions are here](#).

Global Connections

Town Hall with Dave Cillay. The vice president of WSU Academic Outreach and Innovation, which includes Global Campus, is holding his annual virtual Town Hall at 5:30 p.m. Sept. 16. Dave Cillay will answer your questions live, but we're collecting questions in advance at [Global Connections](#).

Sync your calendar

Monday, Aug. 24. First day of fall semester. Log in to your courses at [learn.wsu.edu](#).

Thursday, Aug. 27. Intersession grades are due.

Friday, Aug. 28. Deadline to cancel fall enrollment with full refund, less administrative fee.

Friday, Aug. 28. Last day to add a course online, without special permission.

Monday, Sept. 7. Labor Day, university holiday.

Tuesday, Sept. 8. Deadline to pay fall [tuition and fees](#) without a 3 percent late fee.

Sunday, Nov. 1. Last day to apply for spring [ASWSU Global scholarship](#)

[Full academic calendar](#)