Scholarship Universe

The latest training topics, news, and announcements

What's Happening Now

What isn't happening right now!?
Committees are diligently reviewing candidates and applications to select recipients, liaisons are immersed in SU while zipping between their committees and the OSFA team, and the OSFA team is answering questions, troubleshooting, updating, and awarding. The busy season is upon us!

What's Ahead

Psssst...the end of the semester is less than 6 weeks away! 😯

Important Dates to Remember

The deadline to submit the Master Recipient List with candidate selections is next week **Friday, April 4**.



Creating Opportunities

"Education is the key to unlocking the world, a passport to freedom." -Oprah Winfrey

The most challenging time of the scholarship liaison season is upon us. I imagine that many of you are feeling pressure, with questions coming from all sides, a new software platform to navigate, deadlines, policies, and practices to keep in mind, and then of course, troubleshooting when things don't go as you expect. It can feel frustrating, overwhelming, and downright demotivating.

Sometimes in our work we lose the forest for the trees. Particularly, as administrative professionals, time with students can be limited and we don't always remain connected to greater purpose. However, as you trudge through running yet another report, asking another question when you finally thought you had everything figured out, or investigating the eligibility of student after student, remember that your work matters. An education is so much more than a degree or a job; it's a cascade of possibilities. Total those possibilities and it's a flood strong enough to change a tide.

This <u>video</u> seeks to answer some of the many questions that have come up in the last weeks. Hopefully it will serve as another additional resource to assist you with your responsibilities. Keep repeating the small efforts day in and out that lead to success!