**LABOR DAY HOLIDAY**
On Monday, September 7, the KUMC Campuses and Remote Offices will be closed in observance of the Labor Day holiday.

**F-1 VISA STUDENTS**
Students on an F-1 Visa status, it’s SEVIS registration time! Please look for an email from Irina which will include instructions on how to complete your SEVIS registration requirements.

**SGC INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EMERGENCY GRANT**
The SGC has funding from student fees that was not spent in the prior fiscal year (largely due to cancelled events this spring as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic). This grant opportunity has been made available to internationals students, who were not eligible to receive funding from the university in the initial round of CARES Act funding.

The grant application is now live and available at this link: [https://ku.academicworks.com/admin/opportunities/15409](https://ku.academicworks.com/admin/opportunities/15409).

**Application deadline is Tuesday, September 8, 2020.**

Please note that the total amount available is $10,000 and not all funding requests or items requested may be fulfilled.

**OIP WEBSITE**
Check out these pages on our website!
- Apartment list
- Highlighting Internationals
- International Student Guide
- Resource Links

**FRIENDS OF INTERNATIONALS**
Friends of Internationals is a volunteer-based organization that seeks to encourage friendships between all people from all nations. We currently have outreaches at UMKC, Penn Valley, JCCC, and KUMC. Contact Connor Stubblefield for more information. [c908s974@kumc.edu](mailto:c908s974@kumc.edu)

**ISI, INC.**
International Students, Inc. Activities & Services
International Students, Inc. (ISI) Kansas City is here to help international students make their time in the US the best it can be. We have many ways to help you connect with other like minded people who want to help you and become your friend, too. Want to be added to ISI’s email list?
Contact Carol Douglass at [cdouglass@isionline.org](mailto:cdouglass@isionline.org)

**FOUNDATIONS OF GLOBAL HEALTH**
**INTRODUCING 2020-2021 OIP PROGRAMMING: FOUNDATIONS of GLOBAL HEALTH**
Global Health is a varied and exciting field to which many health care providers, researchers and faculty aspire to being professionally engaged. With our being a globally connected world and with COVID-19 uniting the world to solve an issue, global health has never been more relevant. This year-long programming is designed to feature our experts in the field of global health – KUMC’s faculty, researchers and clinicians; our international partners and our community partners. Each presenter will share his/her personal journey, educational background, mentors, books and articles that gave inspiration, challenges, lessons learned, successes, epiphanies, life-changing moments and the heart breaks.

Event details on our [events calendar](#).

**UPCOMING VIRTUAL EVENTS**
**COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS TURNING THE PAGE**
Systemic racism has a major impact on health disparities in America. Join us for discussions on the book, The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness, by Michelle Alexander

The discussions are led by Kristina Bridges, Ph.D., senior research associate in family medicine.

12:00–12:50 p.m.
September 8 | Introduction

More details on our events calendar.

**CLINICAL CULTURE AND DIVERSITY SERIES**
Tuesday, September 15 | 12:00-1:00 p.m.
presented by
Sein F Kina, MSW
Founder & Chief Executive Officer
Keep Girls Safe Foundation

Zoom | More details on our events calendar

**4TH ANNUAL DEI SYMPOSIUM**
Disabilities: A Multidimensional Experience for All
Thursday, September 17 | 8:00 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
Zoom | Facebook Live @kumcoip
Register online: [http://tiny.cc/DEI2020](http://tiny.cc/DEI2020)

**HISPANIC/LATINX HERITAGE MONTH SEPT. 15-OCT. 15**
Save the Date: Research Day Oct. 14 | 10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.
More Events To Be Announced!