

STUDENT BLOGS & DISCUSSION FORUMS

BusinessWeek MBA Blogs

www.mbablogs.businessweek.com

Collection of student blogs about applying to and attending business school.

College Confidential

<http://talk.collegeconfidential.com>

Free online discussion forums about particular colleges and universities, college admissions, financial aid and more. Registration (free) required for full access to site.

The Digital Student Blog

<http://blog.gocollege.com>

With categories such as Applying to College, Career Planning, College Life, Student Health, Student Loans and Tuition, this blog provides insight into the world of college.

The New York Times: The Choice

<http://thechoice.blogs.nytimes.com>

The Choice is a *New York Times* blog with crucial education and financial aid articles from both admission officers and current and future college students.

ADULT OR REENTRY STUDENTS

Back to College

www.back2college.com

Resources for the returning adult student. Includes articles about how to get credit by examination or for life experience, choosing and applying to programs, and special challenges faced by busy working adults or older students.

Empire State College

www.esc.edu

Part of the SUNY system. Offers distance learning degrees geared toward adult students. College credit available through work/life experience and other accelerated options.

Excelsior College (Formerly Regents College)

www.excelsior.edu

Offers distance learning degrees geared toward adult students. College credit available through testing and other accelerated options.

DISTANCE LEARNING

Peterson's Online Degrees & Distance Learning Programs

www.petersons.com/distancelearning

Searchable directory of online degree and certificate programs.

WorldWideLearn

www.worldwidelearn.com

Comprehensive directory of online classes and degree programs. Includes business, technology, career training, personal development and language classes.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

The City University of New York (CUNY), Adult & Continuing Education

<http://web.cuny.edu/academics/academic-programs/con-ed.html>

Find low-cost, noncredit classes and certificate programs at CUNY colleges.

The New School, Continuing Education

www.newschool.edu/continuinged.aspx

Information on over 1,500 credit and noncredit continuing education courses at the New School.

New York University, School of Continuing and Professional Studies

www.scps.nyu.edu

Offers a wide range of graduate and professional certificate programs as well as specialized degree programs. Career change/development resources also available.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS

College Board

www.collegeboard.com

Information, registration, and test dates for the SAT, SAT Subject Tests, PSAT, AP and CLEP.

Kaplan

www.kaplan.com

Information about the admission and testing process (pre-college through graduate school), including the SAT, PSAT, ACT, LSAT, GMAT and GRE.

OTHER RESOURCES

AddALL

www.addall.com

A free service that compares book prices from various online vendors to help you get the best deal.

BookFinder.com

www.bookfinder.com

Find the best prices for new or used college textbooks.

The Common Application

www.commonapp.org

The Common Application is a one-time form that can be used for multiple college applications. Download the form or request a paper copy. Many colleges offer their own online application forms, so check individual websites for availability.

Sourcebooks: Guide for Parents

www.sourcebookscollege.com/parents-guide/guideforparents.com-FAQ.html

Answers common questions from parents about their child's college search. Includes links for megasites, financial aid, exploring colleges (including directories and rankings), practical help for getting accepted into college, and various tests.

INTERNET RESOURCES: COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

Brooklyn
Public
Library

Education & Job Information Center

Internet Resources: COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

Education & Job Information Center
Central Library
10 Grand Army Plaza
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718.230.2177

www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org

Colleges & Universities

Use the following websites to find the perfect two-year or four-year college, certificate program, graduate school or distance learning degree program for you.

Find more resource guides compiled by the Education, Job & Information Center at www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org/ejic.jsp.

COLLEGE & GRADUATE SCHOOL DIRECTORIES

Campus Tours

www.ecampustours.com

Virtual tours of over 1,200 college campuses, searchable by college or state.

The College Board

www.collegeboard.com

Get testing information, and search for schools and applications. Registration required.

College Navigator

<http://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator>

Government database of over 7,000 colleges, universities, and vocational and technical schools. Search by location, program/major, degree/certificate and other criteria.

Peterson's Planner

www.petersons.com

Directory of colleges, universities, and vocational and technical schools. Search options include location and religious/ethnic affiliation, student body, selectivity, academics and campus life.

The Princeton Review

www.princetonreview.com

Register to get information about colleges and universities, rankings and opinions. Use Counselor-O-Matic, an advanced search engine, to find the best college match for you.

COLLEGE & GRADUATE SCHOOL RANKINGS

The Princeton Review: The Best 371 Colleges

www.princetonreview.com/college-rankings.aspx

College rankings from The Princeton Review based on student feedback. Registration required.

U.S. News & World Report: Best Colleges

<http://colleges.usnews.rankingsandreviews.com/college>

The famous *U.S. News & World Report* rankings of colleges by category, with informative articles about college admissions. Some content is free; full access requires subscription.

U.S. News & World Report: Best Graduate Schools

<http://grad-schools.usnews.rankingsandreviews.com/best-graduate-schools>

Also from *U.S. News & World Report*, rankings of graduate and professional schools. Includes articles on education trends and advice about choosing a program. Some content is free; full access requires subscription.

University Library: College and University Rankings

www.library.illinois.edu/edx/rankings/index.html

Information and links to articles and rankings of colleges and graduate schools. From the University Library of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

MULTICULTURAL & SPECIAL NEEDS

EducationUSA

www.educationusa.state.gov

Official government guide to U.S. higher education for international students.

Galludet University: College & Career Programs for Deaf Students

<http://gri.gallaudet.edu/colleges.html>

Lists over 100 postsecondary programs and offers advice on choosing a college for deaf and hard of hearing students.

GradPortal

www.gradportal.org

Searchable database for minority students, as well as advice on applying to and succeeding in graduate school. Includes a directory of programs, financial aid opportunities and blogs.

HEATH Resource Center: Online Clearinghouse on Postsecondary Education for Individuals with Disabilities

www.heath.gwu.edu

202.973.0904 (voice/TTY)

Information about educational support services, pre-college programs, policies, procedures, adaptations and opportunities for individuals with disabilities at colleges and other postsecondary institutions. Includes information on financial assistance and scholarships.

Selected Study Abroad Web Sites from the University of Michigan's International Center

<http://internationalcenter.umich.edu/swt/study/studyabroad1.html>

Links and resources for study abroad, including program directories, financial aid and region-specific resources.

Yahoo! Directory: Education by Culture or Group

http://dir.yahoo.com/education/by_culture_or_group

Links to education resources for minorities, women, LGBT and other student demographics.

NEW YORK STATE

The City University of New York (CUNY)

www.cuny.edu

Official site for all campuses and affiliated institutions of the CUNY system, including Brooklyn College, Kingsborough Community College, Medgar Evers College and New York City College of Technology.

CUNY Programs of Note

<http://web.cuny.edu/academics/academic-programs/programs-of-note.html>

Information on CUNY programs for students who need academic flexibility or support, as well as students with special interests or needs. Find out about honors programs, accelerated study in associate programs (ASAP), the Teacher Academy and other special programs.

New York's Private Colleges & Universities: Admissions & Financial Aid

www.nycolleges.org

Log on for campus profiles, degree information, open house dates, events at colleges and more.

The State University of New York (SUNY)

www.suny.edu

Official site for the State University of New York (SUNY) system and its 64 campuses. Includes an online application form and financial aid information.

GENERAL

Apply to College

www.collegeboard.com/student/apply/index.html

The College Board's guide to all aspects of applying to college, from tips for applications and entrance essays to advice on how to make final college selections.

KnowHow2GO

www.knowhow2go.org

Interactive website for middle school and high school students. Provides resources and concrete information to help students with every stage of college planning.

National Association for College Admission Counseling

www.nacacnet.org/StudentResources/Pages/default.aspx

Extensive guide to web resources for college planning. Includes college fair listings, financial aid information, and resources for minority, special needs or student athletes.

Students.gov

www.students.gov

One-stop student resource from the U.S. government. Information on planning and paying for education, internships, fellowships, military service and more.

United States Department of Labor: Occupational Outlook Handbook

www.bls.gov/OCO

Provides education and training requirements by occupation.

U.S. Department of Education Database of Accredited Postsecondary Institutions and Programs

www.ope.ed.gov/accreditation

Official U.S. government site with a searchable database of accredited schools.