









Hello International Students and Friends,

How well do you know Valpo's landmarks? Now is your chance to show us that you are a true "Valparaison" by your knowledge of the area! See below for the link to sign up with your team (3-5 people) for the OIP Scavenger Hunt. Valpo sweatshirts for the winners!

In addition, don't miss today's Career Tips Workshop, Coffee & Conversation and the Ping Pong tournament next week, and the April 18th tax filing deadline.

See you soon.

The OIP

OIP Scavenger Hunt

Less than 24 hours left to join! Click the link below to register your team before 12 noon on Friday, April 8.

OIP Scavenger Hunt Sign-up



<u>Career Tips Workshop for</u> <u>International Students, April 7</u>

GKC Multipurpose Room, Harre Union, 2nd Floor 7 APRIL @5-5:30PM Q/A Afterwards







VALPO CAREER CENTER



International Students, join us for a workshop covering the following topics:

- Preparing a resume/cover letter for US employers,
- Networking in the US,
- Finding a legitimate company hiring international students,

And other career building tools!



Coffee & Conversation, April 13th







13 April. 2022

Time: 2:00 - 3:00 PM

BI-WEEKLY OPPORTUNITY TO CONNECT AT THE OIP WITH FELLOW CLASSMATES AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS

NOTE: This week come enjoy Coffee with us

<u>Venue: OIP (Office of International Programs), Room 209, Harre Union</u>









Ping Pong Tournament, April 14th

The OIP and the Valpo Chinese Students Association are hosting a Ping Pong Tournament next Thursday. Show your skills & have fun with friends!

Click this link to register.



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2022 Tax Filing Information

Tax Day is coming up on April 18! International students, refer back to the email you received on February 4 from oip@valpo.edu titled "Important tax filing instructions for Current VU students and

scholars". That email gives you important instructions on how to file your taxes (even if you didn't work at all in 2021). It will direct you to a special tax service called "Sprintax" which is designed to meet international student needs.

NOTE: in most cases, using other tax softwares such as TurboTax will not account for your status as F-1/J-1 international students! We strongly recommend that you do not use those tax services if you are in typical F-1/J-1 visa status.



Summer On-Campus Housing

Undergrad students living in the

residents halls, make sure to check the email you received from ResLife on Monday, April 4, on how to sign up for summer 2022 housing if you need it.

The application deadline is April 22.

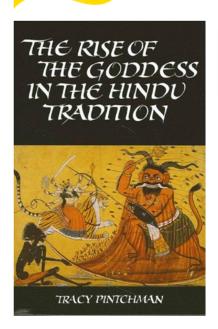
Interfaith Lecture, April 20



Join us for an Interfaith Lecture

April 20 | 7-8 p.m.

HARRE UNION BALLROOM A



A Hindu Goddess Moves to America: Breaking Boundaries at the Parashakthi Temple in Pontiac, Michigan

This year's lecturer, Tracy Pintchman, is a professor of religious studies and director of the Global Studies Program at Loyola University of Chicago. Her research interests include Hindu goddess traditions, women and religion, and transnational Hinduism.



Sponsored by Surjit S. Patheja Chair in World Religions and Ethics

* CORE Approved - Refreshments will be served *

OIP Hours



Stop by Room 209 in the Harre Union (Gandhi-King Center) to pick up documents, make an appointment, or just chat between <u>9am and 4pm</u>, <u>Monday to Friday</u>.

See you around campus!



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