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Global Education Journey: Navigating Your Path to Success

SESSION ONE: Finding the Right Fit University
SESSION TWO: Applying to Colleges and Universities in the US
SESSION THREE: Financial Aid for International Students

Presenter: Dmitry Satsuk

Date: Wednesday, April 10, April 17, April 24, 2024

Time: 10am – 11am PDT

Link to Register: <https://mادميمي.com/s/0e81a81>



Higher education in the UAE – an evolving journey

Presenter: BWC Bell-Wylie Consulting

Date: Wednesday, June 12, 2024

Time: 10am – 11am PDT

Link to Register: <https://mادميمي.com/s/ba6ba81>



The education system of Scotland

Presenter: Alistair Bell Wylie

Date: Wednesday, August 14, 2024

Time: 10am – 11am PDT

Link to Register: <https://mادميمي.com/s/9c6ba81>



Conferences 2024

21st Washington International Education Conference

Washington, D.C.
March 28th & 29th, 2024

For more information, click [here](#).



AACRAO Annual Meeting

**Columbus, OH
April 7-10, 2024**



For more information, click [here](#).

NAGAP Annual Conference

**Louisville, KY
April 24-27, 2024**



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NAFSA Annual Conference & Expo

**New Orleans , LA
May 28 - 31, 2024**



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GDN Annual Meeting

**San Diego, CA
October 7-9, 2024**



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NAFSA Region XII Conference

**Orange County, CA
October 17 - 20, 2024**

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TAICEP Annual Conference

**October 28-31, 2024
Quebec, Canada**

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TACRAO Annual Conference

**San Marcos, TX
November 10-13, 2024**

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AFGHANISTAN

Afghan Ministry of Higher Education conducts master's exam for 51,000 religious scholars

This move is part of a broader initiative to standardize and recognize the qualifications of religious scholars throughout the country. The national television, operated under the control of the Taliban, reported that Neda Mohammad Nadim, the acting minister of this department, traveled to Kandahar on Friday to oversee the examination process, marking the commencement of exams across all zones in the province. To read more, click [here](#).

EGYPT

Egypt launches new scholarship programs in Spain, Italy, Romania, and Cyprus

The Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research has opened the door for graduates and researchers to apply for various scholarship programs in some countries, including Spain, Italy, Romania, and Cyprus. To read more, click [here](#).



GREECE

University bill to dominate this week's agenda

The government's university reform bill, which paves the way for private universities to set up branches in Greece, is set to be debated and voted on this week in parliament. To read more, click [here](#).



INDIA

US universities can now validate TOEFL scores through Indian study-abroad partners

Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) is a standardized test to measure the English language abilities of non-native speakers wishing to enroll in English-speaking universities. To read more, click [here](#).

Jawaharlal Nehru University: Can one educational university break the nation?

This article offers a glimpse into the University's history of socio-political activism and its powerful and influential Student Union. To read more, click [here](#).



ISRAEL-PALESTINE

Senior IDF officer censured over demolition of Gaza university without approval

The commander of the Israeli military's 99th Division, Brig. Gen. Barak Hiram, was formally censured for the [demolition of a university](#) in the Gaza Strip earlier this year without the necessary authorization, the Israel Defense Forces said Monday. To read more, click [here](#).

Academics have a duty to help stop the 'educide' in Gaza

Established only a decade ago, all that is now left of Israa University in Gaza are the pages on the university's website. To read more, click [here](#).

Palestine: Profile of Education System

ACEI is delighted to share that Jasmin Saidi-Kuehnert's comprehensive country profile on Palestine's education system has been published on AACRAO EDGE (Electronic Database on Global Education). We trust that this contribution will be valuable to our colleagues in their efforts to support Palestinian education. The Overview section is available for public viewing at the following [link](#).



RUSSIA-AFRICA

30,000 Africans go to Russia annually for education

During a session of the World Youth Festival (WYF 2024) in Sirius, Pavel Shevtsov, the deputy director of Rossotrudnichestvo, revealed that Russian universities are hosting approximately 30,000 students from Africa each year. Shevtsov highlighted medicine, economics, energy, and construction as the most sought-after fields among these foreign students. To read more, click [here](#).



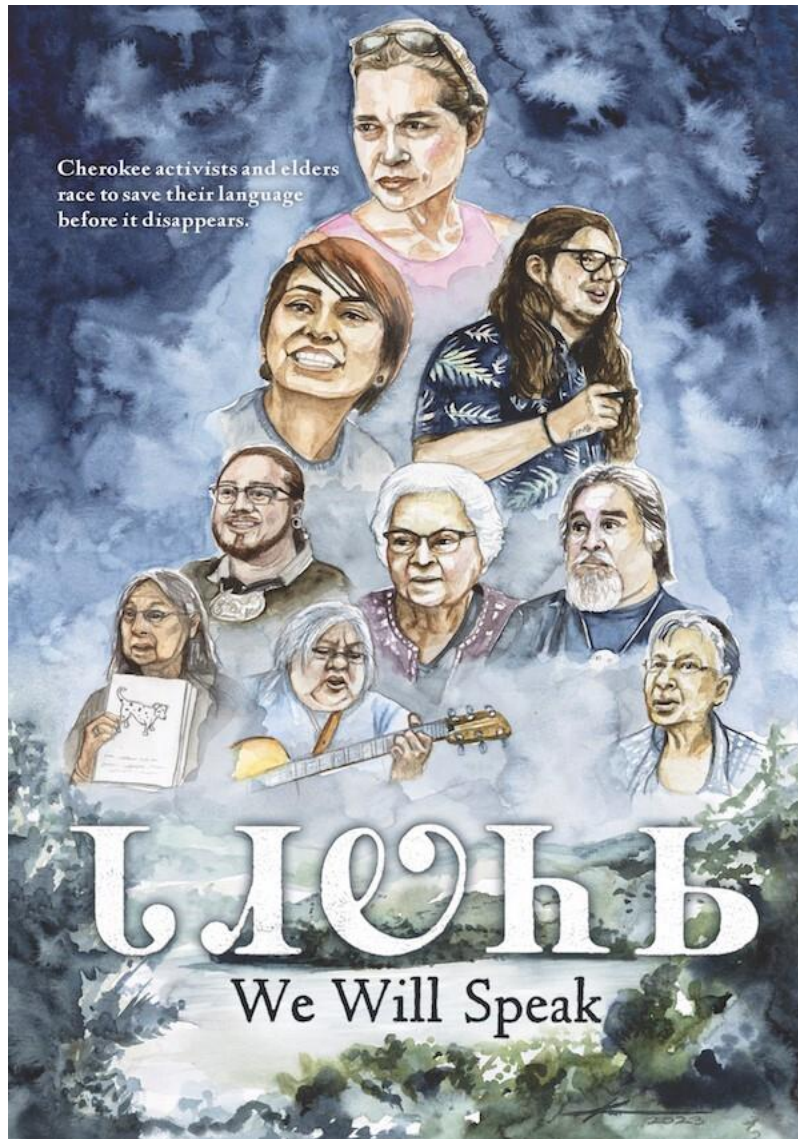
TÜRKIYE

Turkish Council of Higher Education sets new postgraduate criteria

The Council of Higher Education (YÖK) has recently announced new criteria aimed at elevating the standard of postgraduate education, emphasizing factors such as publication records and accreditation to enhance program quality. To read more, click [here](#).

DOCUMENTARIES

We've selected the following documentaries for your viewing consideration, available through our partner [Video Project](#). The films are available for licensing to educational institutions and for event screening. Please contact michael@videoproject.org for information.



Cherokee activists and elders
race to save their language
before it disappears.

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We Will Speak

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(We Will Speak) highlights the critical work of language activists, artists, youth, and elders who are now leading a growing movement of urgent radical revitalization efforts to help save the Cherokee language from the brink of extinction. The film also delves into the history of the Cherokee syllabary, the destructive assimilationist legacy of boarding schools, the lasting impacts of the Trail of Tears, and the ways in which members of the Cherokee tribe reconcile their relationship to American identity. For more information, click [here](#).



BLOODLINES OF THE SLAVE TRADE



Bloodlines of the Slave Trade examines the lives of two people whose only connection is a genetic link to John Armfield, one of the most notorious slave traders of the 1830s. Rodney Williams, who is Black, and Susanna Grannis, who is white, each trace their ancestry back to their distant ancestor, detailing the diverging paths their lineages took. While their relationship to this past is fundamentally different, and they never meet in the film, they both share in the telling of the horrific domestic slave trade and the ongoing reverberations of slavery. For more information, click [here](#).

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