This summer Upward Bound Students faced their biggest fears by the end of the summer program, by each giving a courageous speech in the middle of University of Washington’s Red Square. This speech was the culminating project for the Introduction to Public Speaking Course taught by U.W. communications faculty ML Veden, Venessa Au, Diane Beall, Chinu Randhawa and Ben Crosby. Topics bridged health care, immigration, gun control, politics and more.

Other courses this summer featured algebra, geometry, pre-calculus, calculus, architecture, computer building, college prep, research, web design, hip hop/step and ballroom dance.

The architecture class built an art exhibit that was displayed at the end of summer in the Olympic Sculpture Park. Twelve students in the computer building class received laptops for successfully demonstrating that they could build a PC computer. The computers they built will go to other students in the program who are in need of recycled computers for school work.

Finally, 15 Upward Bound Bridge students successfully began their first quarter at the University of Washington. Having completed 12 credits towards their college degree, they are finally resting before the rush of U.W. Fall Quarter.

CONGRATS TO ALL UW UB Students for their hard work this summer!

Who Are the U.W. Upward Bound Students?

Most UB Students are the first in their families to go to college and/or low-income. The program is 100% federally funded by the Department of Education at $423,317 annually. Listed here are the U.W. U.B. students:

**Cleveland 2011**
- Cheatham, Jasmine
- Cirone, Steven
- DeFilippis, Jamika
- Fernandez, Jalenson
- Floresca, Emil Mark
- Mohamed, Maimuni
- Nguyen, Ha
- Nguyen, Myhoa
- Taylor, Marquez
- Tong, Alex
- Weicuss, Sianna

**Cleveland 2010**
- Alkadir, Mimi
- Hooper, Sherese
- Lam, Michael
- Velasco, Jessica
- Williams, Christopher

**Cleveland 2009**
- Abashiekh, Zahr
- Cheng, Yuen
- Evangelista, Efren

**Franklin 2011**
- Avila, Erika
- Chen, Annie
- Chin, Jacob
- Le, Joshua
- Than, Tuyen
- Tong, Kathy
- Wells Daniels, Michael
- Wong, Jennifer

**Franklin 2010**
- Abdulle, Farhiya
- Abera, Samuel
- Balfour, Jr., Anthony
- Bermudez, Mary Jane
- Cox, Jordan
- Davis-Lewis, Elandra

**Franklin 2009**
- Artison, Bentley
- Danielson, Jr. Paul
- Habties, Sabella
- Haile, Bethlehem

**Hale 2009**
- Ali, Hussna
- Au, Duong
- Cotton, Alanna
- Dekker, Sabina
- Girtch, Amber
- Kang, Hee-Kyong
- Krhounek, Elizabeth
- Mulholland, Alyssa
- Sebsiba, Dagem
- Williams, James
- Yuen, Charles
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Math Tutoring Semester 1
Will Pirrie is once again available to work with students at their school. We hope students will utilize Will’s expertise to help them develop their skills in math classes. M-Franklin Lib, T-Hale Lib, W-Cleveland Lib, TH-Franklin Lib, F-Cleveland Lib.

Sophomores and Juniors!
Remember that you should not wait until Senior year to complete your service hours. Also be sure to check in from time to time and see Fina if needed!

SAT Class for Juniors—Expository Writing
All juniors should make sure they are registered for the UB SAT class in their schools Junior year (2nd semester Franklin, & Cleveland). These classes will help students improve their SAT scores anywhere from 50-250 points in math and/or verbal. We will also work on basic reading and writing skills. If there is a schedule problem, see Fina.

Senior Counseling: UW App Deadline Dec 1st!
Fina is in all of the schools every week. She is in Cleveland Monday (Rm 2222/Career Ctr.), Hale Tuesday (Library), Franklin Friday (2nd Floor, Counseling Conference Room). She is there to help and needs to hear from you ASAP on where you are in this process. Time is ticking, so don't wait! Make sure you have all the required credits you need each year to enter college. *Seniors get your essays to Fina ASAP!

Did You Know? Did You Know?
*UPCOMING DATES (Srs. register now for Nov 1st SAT ASAP!)
SAT TEST 10/4, 11/1, 12/6, 1/24, 3/14, 5/2, 6/6
SAT Sr. Work Shops 9/20 9-12, 9/27 9-12 Instructional Center
PSAT Jr. Work Shops 10/4 9-12, 10/11 9-12 Instructional Center
Seniors! 2007 Tax info is needed ASAP for your FAFSA financial Applications. Give to Fina.

Seattle College Fair Coming up!
09/28 12-4 & 09/29 9-12 Seattle Convention Center

Juniors! SAT CLASSES 2nd Semester Frank/Clev
*SAT Info Web Site: http://www.collegeboard.com/*

UB Students Complete Summer Programs
This summer Upward Bound Students participated in various summer academic programs. The Math/Science programs specifically give each student a sense of what it is like to live in a university environment, or focus on a specific academic discipline, while utilizing access to instructors, tutors and resources. If interested in attending an academic enrichment program this coming summer, contact Fina or Donna for apps or info in January. Here are the students who participated in various programs this summer:

Left to right: Allana C. (Hale HS, Seattle Parks Fashion Design Program, ), Phounsook S. (Franklin H.S., Microsoft Internship), Sabella H. (Franklin H.S., One World Leadership Conference). CONGRATS on your success!

*Did You Know? UB has a Web Info Site: http://depts.washington.edu/ub/ (*See Awards 08 Ceremony Pics)
Technology Classes

“Green Tea” Tony T-Franklin HS, Jennifer N-Franklin HS, Bette H-Franklin HS

“KRUMP” Bentley A—Franklin HS, Jade P-Franklin HS, Jacob C-Franklin HS, Jia-Jun H-Franklin HS

“Wonder Dogs: The Unknown Heroes” Ivan L-Franklin HS, Mersaidies S-Cleveland HS, Kimberly N-Cleveland HS

“Japanese Samurai: The Legend and Culture” Cynthia W-Franklin HS, Mary Jane B-Franklin HS, Anthony B-Franklin, Samuel A-Franklin HS

TRIO ThinkQuest Educational Web Competition

Every year our students enter the National TRIO ThinkQuest Web Competition. Students spend about six weeks (plus weekends and after school) researching, writing and creating educational sites using Dream Weaver, Flash and other interactive applications. Congrats TTQ’ers! Our new competitors this year are shown to the left. Last year we took best of Contest in the Nation, as well as gold and silver medals. To see the new winners when they are announced in October, go to: http://depts.washington.edu/trio/quest/awards/ttg2007.html

*Click here to see more of bridge: http://depts.washington.edu/uboma/2008/life-classes/christopher/uhbridge.html

Senior Bridge & College Admissions 2008

U.W. Upward Bound Bridge students all completed their first 12 credits for Summer quarter. By participating in the Bridge Program, students were able to get a good headstart on the Fall rush at University of Washington and brush up on strategies and resources needed to tackle their college academics. Here is our Senior College Admissions List:

University of Washington

Grambling
Breana H

Morehouse
Lenartha C.

Loyola—University of Louisiana
Johana M

Eastern Washington U
Dominique D, Hannah S

Western Washington University
Gabrielle W

Seattle University
(both Sullivan Scholars)
Sheena F, Victoria Y

South Seattle CC
Benjamin O, Issa A

Seattle Art Institute
Raymond H

Bellevue CC
Mario R, Amber G

ONLINE MAGAZINE CLASS

This summer, Upward Bound students put together the Online Magazine whose theme is “With Flying colors.” You may view the Upward Bound Student generated Magazine on the web at: http://depts.washington.edu/uboma

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Juniors need to begin seriously looking at the colleges they want to apply to. In addition, if the institution they want requires SAT II Subject Tests, they should see Fina or Donna to register.

The U.W. now has new criteria for college application. They no longer use an Admissions Index. Major things they will look at include GPA, SAT scores, school and community activities/contributions, economic disadvantage, ability to overcome personal adversity, exceptional creative talent, taking challenging classes and strong personal statements. For more info see: www.admit.washington.edu

4 Yr College Bound Requirements:

- 2-3 years of the same Foreign Language
- 4 years Language Arts
- 3 years Math (Algebra & above)
- 3 years Social Sci. (with Amer Gov)
- 2 years Science (with 1yr Lab Science)
- .5 –1.0 credits Fine Arts
- 60 Hrs Community Service
- Senior Project (Varies at each school)
- GPA of at least 3.0 and above

*(.50 credit counts for 1/2 year)

Fina’s Schedule/Location:
Clev-Mon Rm 2222 Hale-Tues/Lib Conf.#AB
Frank-Fri/Counseling Conference Room, 2nd flr