Dear Counselor,

A snowy hello from UChicago!

Our campus is a beautiful sight to see in the snow — though it is a little chilly! This quarterly newsletter captures some programs on the horizon for your students and the counselors that work with them.

The University of Chicago rang in 2017 by honoring the recipients of the annual Diversity Leadership Award. This award recognizes alumni, staff, and faculty who have displayed a commitment in fostering diversity and social justice within the University and the broader community. This year we honored Rudy Nimocks, former University Police Chief and community leader; Professor Margaret Beale Spencer, PhD ’76; and Jamil Khoury, AM’92.

Looking ahead, our applications for our summer programs have opened! The Neubauer Family Adelante Summer Scholars program is now accepting applications. This program brings talented rising high school seniors who are committed to Hispanic and Latino communities onto campus to get an early taste of the college experience. Students receive a full scholarship to participate in one of the two Summer Session courses in collegiate writing or biology. Please visit the website for applications or more information about the program.

We have a new summer economics program for high school students! The College Pathway Program in Economics immerses students in the innovative UChicago approach to the field of economics. Information and applications for this three-week summer program are available at summer.uchicago.edu.

This year, I will represent UChicago at College Horizons, held at Princeton University from June 17 to 23. College Horizons is an annual college admission workshop for Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, and Native American sophomores and juniors in high
school. I hope to see you and your students there! For more information about the application process, deadlines, and a program schedule, please check out their website.

Finally, we are excited to start planning our **Neubauer Family Adelante Counselor Fly-In Program**! This program is for CBO and high school counselors who serve the Hispanic/Latino community. The program will take place on campus on May 21–22. If you are interested, please email my colleague, Yaneth Bello, at yanethbello@uchicago.edu with your full name, name of your school or CBO, email, and phone number.

Thank you for all you do to support your students! Please continue to contact us with any questions and let us know what you would like to see in future newsletters. Warm wishes for the new year!

Sincerely,

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