

Student Stacks

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EPISODE 4: FROM FINANCIAL AID TO THE FIRE MOVEMENT

FINANCIALLY FIT STUDENTS

EMPOWERING STUDENTS WITH FINANCIAL SMARTS

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Episode 4: From Financial Aid to the FIRE Movement

Learn more of how federal financial aid works and about Katie's interest in the FIRE movement.

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Spring 2024 Financial Lunch n' Learns



SPRING



2024

New Year, New Challenge

Each year many create resolutions with finances often being included. Create a bucket list to learn more about your finances.

2024 Financial Bucket List

- Attend 3 financial literacy sessions. The spring schedule is available.
- Listen to a financial podcast- Financially Fit Students is geared towards MUSC students
- Determine how much your monthly expenses are and return any unneeded student loans.

JAN
24

PUBLIC SERVICE LOAN FORGIVENESS DEMYSTIFIED

↳ BSB 329 @ Noon, Lunch provided

FEB
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MAXIMIZING YOUR PAYCHECK

↳ EL 114 @ Noon, Lunch provided

MAR
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NEGOTIATING JOB BENEFITS

↳ EL 340 @ Noon, Lunch provided

APR
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DISCOVER STUDENT LOAN REPAYMENT OPTIONS

↳ EL 205A @ Noon, Lunch provided

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Financial Success
MENTORING



Inaugural Cohort

Financial Success Mentoring engages student coaches to empower students on their journey to financial well-being. Our program is committed to reducing student loan debt and alleviating financial stress.

Financial Success Coaches provide:

- Peer-to-Peer mentoring
- Comprehensive financial education
- Access to financial literacy resources

Each financial success coach on campus has been trained in finances and is ready to help assist you. [Book a session](#) with a financial success coach starting 2/15.

January To Do:

Complete the FAFSA



1. FAFSA is a prerequisite for loans, scholarships and federal work-study. All students are encouraged to file.
2. With the online form available at [FAFSA.gov](https://fafsa.gov), you can file in a reasonable amount of time.
3. FAFSA must be completed each year you're in school.
4. The 2024-2025 FAFSA will open by 12/31. File no later than 1/14/2024.
5. Reach out to Financial Aid for support navigating the financial aid process or visit the [FAFSA Simplification Act](#) for 2024-2025 updates.

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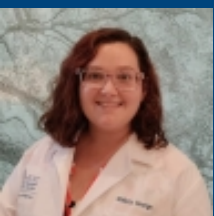
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