

Fall 2022 Financial Wellness Center Events

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We are committed to ensuring all of our events are accessible and inclusive. Please contact us in advance at financialwellness@umkc.edu if you anticipate any barriers to your participation.

Financial Wellness Center Open House	Tuesday, Aug. 30 2 PM	Admin Center 223	Students will have the opportunity to learn more about our services and meet our fantastic staff. Additionally, we will have refreshments, music, and giveaway items!
30 Ways to Save as a Student	Thursday, Sept. 1 2 PM	402 Student Union	Living on a student budget is no joke! In this workshop, we'll share our best tips and tricks for making your dollar stretch at UMKC.
Caring About Credit	Wednesday, Sept. 14 3 PM	402 Student Union	Join us to learn what credit is, how scores are calculated, and how to responsibly use a credit card to build your credit history.
Investing in the Digital Age	Thursday, Sept. 15 12:30 PM	Zoom	Learn how to make smart investment decisions and protect your money from fraud in this presentation by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.
Psychology of Money	Tuesday, Sept. 20 2 PM	402 Student Union	Our values, upbringing and psychology all influence how we think about and behave with money. Identify your money attitudes and learn how biases may get in your way.
Caring About Credit	Tuesday, Sept. 27 6 PM	Zoom	Join us to learn what credit is, how scores are calculated, and how to responsibly use a credit card to build your credit history.
First Gen FAFSA Kickoff	Tuesday, Oct. 4 11 AM - 2 PM	237 ASSC	Join us for this drop-in FAFSA workshop. Bring your laptop, enjoy snacks, and file! Open to all UMKC students.
Know What You Owe	Wednesday, Oct. 5 2 PM	402 Student Union	We'll show you how to find your student loan totals, the interest rates, and the loan servicer. We'll also share tips on how to estimate your post-graduation payments.
Building Latinx Wealth: Buying a Home	Thursday, Oct. 6 6 PM	Zoom	In this bilingual event, our expert guests will share how homeownership ties into larger wealth gap conversations and review action steps to prepare for homeownership.
Applying for Scholarships	Tuesday, Oct. 11 3 PM	238 ASSC	In this session, we'll walk you through the UMKC General Scholarship Application, share tips, and discuss additional scholarship opportunities.
FAFSA Drop In Hours	Wednesday, Oct. 12 11 AM - 1 PM	302 Student Union	Join us for this drop-in FAFSA workshop. Bring your laptop, enjoy snacks, and file!
Salary Negotiation for Bilingual Students	Wednesday, Oct. 19 5:30 PM	MSA Village	Bilingual skills are in high demand by employers. In this workshop, we'll share tips for highlighting fluency on your resume, in interviews, and during negotiations.
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Trick or Treat Scavenger Hunt	Monday Oct. 24 thru Friday Oct. 28	Campus Wide	Visit offices around campus to pick up treats and learn financial wellness tips. Log your findings for a chance to win prizes!
Know What You Owe	Tuesday, Oct. 25 6 PM	Zoom	We'll show you how to find your student loan totals, the interest rates, and the loan servicer. We'll also share tips on how to estimate your post-graduation payments.
Finding Financial Empowerment	Thursday, Oct. 27 2 PM	402 Student Union	Handling money doesn't have to be stressful! In this workshop we'll help you identify your money attitudes and build strong financial habits.
Latinx Entrepreneurship Panel	Wednesday, Nov. 2 5 PM	218 BEH	Join us to learn from KC entrepreneurs as they share their experiences planning, launching, and growing businesses.
Salary Negotiation	Tuesday, Nov. 8 12 PM	402 Student Union	Learn everything you need to prepare for a salary negotiation including how to research salaries, when to negotiate, and language to use.
Apartment Hunting Made Easy	Wednesday, Nov. 9 6 PM	Zoom	In this session, we'll share resources, tricks, and tips for managing your housing search. We will discuss how to prepare a housing budget, where to look, and how to save.
Understanding Compensation Packages	Thursday, Nov. 10 12 PM	Zoom	In this session, we'll help you understand your full salary and benefits package. Attendees will learn tips for getting the most financial value out of employee benefits.
Applying for Scholarships	Wednesday, Nov. 16 6 PM	Zoom	In this session, we'll walk you through the UMKC General Scholarship Application, share tips, and discuss additional scholarship opportunities.
Five Financial Steps after Graduation	Tuesday, Nov. 29 3 PM	402 Student Union	Graduating can be an exciting and intimidating event! We'll help you understand a salary and benefits package, navigate student loan repayment, and work toward goals.
Cocoa & Crafts	Thursday, Dec. 1 12-2 PM	Jazzman's Cafe	Take a moment to relax and enjoy a cup of hot chocolate while working on a fun craft. These crafts are the perfect low-cost present for family and friends!
Start Your Business	Monday, Dec. 5 12 PM	XXX BEH	Interested in entrepreneurship? Trying to build up your side hustle? We'll help you think about marketing, strategies, and taxes for new businesses.
Stress Less Fest: Coloring & Games	Tuesday, Dec. 6 12-2 PM	Hospital Hill Library	Get away from your finals stress to enjoy a few games with Financial Wellness staff. We'll also have coloring sheets and snacks!
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