2015 INTERNATIONAL STUDENT & SCHOLAR TAX WORKSHOPS

Are you a nonresident alien who received taxable wages, a cash award, an honorarium, or a scholarship for living expenses from Texas State during calendar year 2014?

- Nonresident aliens are required to file a 2014 U.S. Nonresident Alien Income Tax Return, either the IRS form 1040NR or 1040NR-EZ and the IRS form 8843.

- Come and join us for one of the following tax workshops where we will train you to use Glacier Tax Prep software designed for use by nonresident aliens:

  Date: Wednesday, March 11, 2015  
  Date: Friday, March 27, 2015  
  Date: Thursday, April 2, 2015  

  Time: 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.  
  Time: 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.  
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- Where: Alkek Library 1st floor – Room 119

- Bring: Your passport, Visa, I-94, I-20 or DS-2019, and any of the following tax forms that you received: IRS Form W-2, 1042-S and/or 1099-MISC.

- Do you know if you were a nonresident alien for tax purposes in 2014?
  1) **F-1/J-1 student visa holders** in the U.S. for 5 calendar years or less: If you started school in the U.S. after 2009, you are considered a nonresident alien for tax purposes. There are some exceptions.
  2) **J-1 scholar visa holders** in the U.S. for less than 2 years: If you started working in the U.S. after 2012, you are considered a nonresident alien for tax purposes. There are some exceptions.

- There is a limited seating available of 24, once the class is full we will not be able to accept any additional participants.

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**Important Reminder:**

Nonresident aliens cannot file an electronic tax return using a software program designed for U.S. citizens and resident aliens, such as TurboTax, HR Block, etc. Our workshop will train you to use the software system, Glacier Tax Prep, to prepare and print your tax return forms. However, you must print, sign and mail the paper tax return forms to the IRS.

Do not attend the Texas State Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program where Accounting students provide free tax preparation services unless you are a "resident alien" for tax purposes.

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