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Florida College Access Network accepting student submissions for "Dreaming of My Future" Selfie Exhibition

The exhibition aims to encourage and inspire college access professionals

TAMPA, FL – Florida College Access Network (FCAN) invites students to creatively express their post-high school dreams by submitting a selfie and a short description of their career goals after high school. Selected submissions will be showcased at FCAN's 2024 Talent Strong Florida summit on May 8-10 in Orlando, Florida.

Through the theme "Dreaming of My Future", FCAN encourages 10th - 12th grade students to submit a photo of themselves that will motivate summit attendees, emphasize the importance of college and career readiness, and highlight the student perspective.

"The college and career journey for students can consist of extensive planning, research, and process. The goal of the exhibition is to inspire those who work with students every day throughout this journey," said Braulio Colón, executive director of the Florida College Access Network. "We hope the artistic expressions produced by students serves as a reminder to college access professionals of how vital a supportive network can be for students."

Students can use this link to participate. Submissions should include a photo upload, student name and email, grade level, high school, and a brief description of the student's postsecondary goals. Acceptable media includes a photo, drawing, painting, or collage. Deadline for submissions is April 15, 2024.

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About Florida College Access Network

Florida College Access Network (FCAN) is Florida's collaborative network committed to ensuring all Floridians have the opportunity to achieve an education beyond high school and a rewarding career. We envision a Florida working together where education is the pathway to economic mobility for all.

FCAN strives to expand knowledge of research, data, policies, and practices that impact postsecondary access and attainment in Florida. For more information, visit www.floridacollegeaccess.org.

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