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Entrenuity Summer Business Camp Alumni Accepted to Wheaton College

Oak Park, IL, June 10, 2009— Issurah King has accepted the invitation to join Wheaton College as a student in the fall of 2009.

King was a participant in Entrenuity's Summer Business Camp in 2008. She was the recipient for the Hazel A. King Leadership Award at the business camp. In regards to her time at the camp King says, "I learned a lot about how to start and run an ethical business. I was able to work together with a great group of other students. The Christian environment was very comforting as well. My group-members and I worked together diligently on our business pitch. However, we also had a lot of fun."

Since 2005, Entrenuity has partnered with Wheaton College to organize four Summer Business Camps for high school students. The camp is a 6-day residential training on the campus of Wheaton College in Wheaton, Illinois, where 50 African-American and Latino high school students learn the fundamentals of starting and operating a business. The goal is to get students involved in the real world of business so they may view entrepreneurship as an exciting and viable option for their future, as well as expose them to a college campus.

King is the fourth student who attended the Entrenuity Summer Business Camp who accepted an invitation to Wheaton College. King says, "I was not considering applying to Wheaton until Mr. Raashon Daniels contacted me; I set up an appointment with him and he showed me around the campus. From that point, Wheaton College became one of my top choices for colleges. When I took a look at my financial aid package, I knew that God was giving me a big sign that Wheaton College is the one for me."

Before King viewed Wheaton's financial aid offer she was overwhelmed with thoughts about how she was going to be able to afford college and medical school after. She was



even considering enlisting in the military with her older brother. "However, Wheaton College's generosity will allow me to complete undergraduate school without any debt. I am very excited to attend in the fall."

King has also accepted a financial aid package in the amount of \$35,087.00. She has decided on a Pre-Med major in biology along with a minor in Spanish.

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