



UNDERGRADUATE BUSINESS NEWSLETTER

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HAPPENINGS

CROWE CHIZEK PROFESSIONAL EVENT | Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting (ALPFA) along with NABA and MBSA present an opportunity to come and meet several Crowe Chizek professionals including professional ALPFA and NABA members. The event takes place on Thursday, April 10th at 6:00pm in DKH 123. Not only will you be able to meet professionals from Crowe, but you will be able to see how their role in a professional organization such as ALPFA or NABA plays into their professional life.

FINANCE HELP | Need help with FIN 221 or FIN 300? The Finance Club provides a free tutoring service Monday through Thursday for the rest of the semester from 4-6 PM in 322 David Kinley Hall.

WORK WITH THE PROVOST | The Office of the Provost is seeking for applicants to the Provost's student intern team. These students would work with the office in completing a wide range of activities. For more information, visit the Provost website at www.provost.uiuc.edu. Applications are due Friday, April 11. Applications may be e-mailed to provost@uiuc.edu.

THE CAREER CENTER WORKSHOPS | The Career Center is offering a wide array of career workshops in the next two weeks. Topics include: government careers, researching career opportunities, preparing for grad school and technology etiquette. For more information, visit The Career Center website at www.careercenter.uiuc.edu.

MANAGEMENT CONSULTING DECODED PRESENTATION | PGN and Illinois Business Consulting invites students to attend a presentation by Chris Nemeth of The Keystone Group on Thursday, April 10 at 6 PM in 192 Lincoln Hall. Come to learn about the myths and reality of contemporary management consulting, what firms are looking for in candidates, what life is like on the side how to succeed. Pizza and refreshments will be provided. For more information, contact Catherine Lien at catherine.lein@gmail.com.

PLAY THE NOBE STOCK GAME | One of the most exciting events of the year, the NOBE Stock Game, is here. This is as real a stock market simulation as it gets, with real-time updates and \$10,000 starting cash to invest. Only paid members can win the incredible cash prizes, but anyone can sign up and play. The game will officially run from March 10 to April 11. Paid membership is \$10. Registration will end Friday, March 14. For more information visit www.nobeillinois.org. Questions? Contact pres.nobeillinois@gmail.com.

2008 SENIOR LEGACY CAMPAIGN MOM'S WEEKEND BRUNCH—FREE | Join us for our annual Mom's Weekend Brunch on Saturday, April 12 from 10 AM until 12 PM noon in 370 Wohlers Hall. Bring your mom and family to enjoy free brunch. Stop by to get some great food, receive a free t-shirt from the 2008 Legacy Campaign and win some great raffle prizes. Graduation is just around the corner; come celebrate with other seniors and their families! For more information, contact Kelly Maynard at maynard2@uiuc.edu.

BETA GAMMA SIGMA PRESENTATION | Beta Gamma Sigma at the U of I, the top Business Honor Society in the country, invites you to learn about a prevalent topic in business today: social entrepreneurship. As an expert on social entrepreneurial issues, University of Illinois' very own Dr. Paul Magelli will present how an entrepreneur can have a positive impact on the global community and speak to his many experiences as a social entrepreneur. He will describe the potential of social entrepreneurship and share several personal stories on how networking opened up these opportunities. Dr. Magelli will speak at a brown bag lunch on Wednesday April 16th in Wohlers 370 at 12 PM noon. Beta Gamma Sigma will provide drinks for those in attendance. Please RSVP to Amy Weisbach by April 8 at 5 PM if you are attending. Her e-mail address is aweisbac@uiuc.edu.

PROJECT DISCOVERY ACCOUNTING SOCIETY | PDAS presents Ernst & Young on Wednesday, April 16. E&Y will discuss the roles associates play in different practice areas. The event will take place in 302 Architecture at 6:00 PM Dress is business casual and free food will be provided. Also, Crow Chizek will present on April 23 at 6:00 PM in 302 Architecture.

GRADUATION TENT PARTY | The third annual College of Business Graduation Tent Party will be held on Friday, May 9, 2008 from 6-8 PM on the Business Quad. This event gives us all an opportunity to honor and congratulate our seniors and their families. Blues BBQ and music will be provided free of charge. RSVP to Amy Weisbach, aweisbac@uiuc.edu by April 23 if you plan to attend. Volunteers for set-up and clean-up are also being sought, please contact Amy if you are interested.

OPPORTUNITIES

YEARBOOK NAME RAFFLE | Help the Office of Undergraduate Affairs name the College of Business Yearbook. In 2009, the College of Business will produce its first ever yearbook. The Yearbook Committee and the Office of Undergraduate Affairs needs your help to name it. We invite you to give us your input and we will give you an opportunity to win one of three raffle prizes. All we ask you to do is simply check off a box on the form (available now in 214 and 215b DKH), next to the name you like best, or feel free to write in a name of your choice when you see your advisor or anyone else in the either 214 or 215b DKH. After you've checked the box, place the form in the box at the front desk in 214 DKH, and you will automatically be entered into a drawing for either a digital camera, or a portable DVD player or a gift certificate to the Firehaus. Only one entry per person will be allowed. The contest will continue until Friday, April 18th. Questions? Contact Amy Weisbach at aweisbac@uiuc.edu.

UBN NEWSLETTER RAFFLE | This year the Undergraduate Business Newsletter (UBN) underwent large structural changes and the editors would like your feedback. For your feedback, we will enter you in a raffle for either a digital camera, portable DVD player or a gift card to the Firehaus. The editors developed a short (six question) fill in the blank survey that we would like you to complete. The survey will be available in 214 and 215b DKH until Friday, April 18th. Fill one out while you're waiting for an appointment! Questions? Contact Amy Weisbach at aweisbac@uiuc.edu.

FED MONEY SMART VIDEO ESSAY CONTEST 2008 | In support of the 2008 Money Smart Week — taking place April 6 through April 12, 2008 — the Department of Finance at the University of Illinois, in partnership with the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, is presenting the Video Essay Contest. College and University students are encouraged to produce and submit a Video Essay. Submissions will be taken from March 1, 2008 through March 31, 2008 and winners will be announced during Money Smart Week, April 6-12, 2008. The first prize for this contest is a \$5,000 scholarship, thanks to Jim & Dena Vermette. For more information and to submit, visit www.business.uiuc.edu/Finance/Literacy.

NEWS

SUBTRACTING ANXIETY FROM THE TEST SCENE | Get nervous before your ECON 203 exam? Have trouble getting ready for ACCY 201 exams? Visit the Office of Undergraduate Affairs website to read the story about how to relieve your anxieties. Go to www.business.uiuc.edu/undergrad.

SCHEDULE AN ADVISING APPT. ONLINE | As part of the Office of Undergraduate Affairs continual effort to be as accessible as possible to students, you can now make appointments with your advisor online. Point your browser to www3.business.uiuc.edu/Appointment.

BETA GAMMA SIGMA INDUCTION CORRECTION | The Office of Undergraduate Affairs apologizes to Scott Schultz and his family for inadvertently omitting his name for the announcement of Beta Gamma Sigma Inductees in the last newsletter. Scott, congratulations on your achievement!

