Important Dates

September 5
Labor Day
Classes do not meet

September 9
Last day to drop with a refund and no record
12th Class Day

September 23
Graduation Application Deadline

Dr. Christine Heuring, surrounded by family and friends, passed away peacefully on July 18, 2011 at the Health Sciences Centre in Winnipeg.

Dr. Heuring had a distinguished education: a B.A. in Psychology from the University of Manitoba (1983), an M.A. in Counseling/Student Services from the University of North Texas (1990), and a PhD. in Business and Management from the University of South Australia (2003). Her life was marked by the exotic locales in which she lived and worked, with time spent in China, Hong Kong, Kazakhstan and Atlanta among other places, before she settled in Austin, Texas to teach in the Department of Management at Texas State University. Dr. Heuring had a passion for teaching; whether it was in the classroom with students learning English as a second language, aspiring business majors, or with her siblings, and later nieces and nephews.

She always sought to incorporate an element of learning and progression into her conversations and interactions with others. Dr. Heuring was keen for one to pursue his or her own dreams and goals. So why don’t you...? was a common piece of advice she offered. Her advice and counsel were never rushed or illogical, but rather constantly valuable and sound. Her own determination manifested itself in the area of home improvement - especially after purchasing homes in Winnipeg, Dallas, Atlanta and finally, Austin - some done by her and the remainder done by well-vetted contractors. Dr. Heuring will be dearly missed by all of those who shared a place in her life.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service will be held in Canada at a later date.

The Department of Management is accepting donations for a potential scholarship to be awarded in Dr. Heuring’s honor in the spring. If you are interested in making a contribution to this one-time scholarship fund, please see Meagan Gotcher or Brandi Beck (McCoy 524).

Congratulation to McKenzie Vernon!

Congratulations to McKenzie Vernon, management student and SHRM Vice President of Professional Development, who was awarded the 2011 Excellence in Education scholarship from the HR Southwest conference. This is a nationally competitive award, and winners receive recognition at the HR Southwest conference in October. McKenzie will receive a $1,000 one-year scholarship plus proceeds from the conference silent auction. Award winners are selected based upon their academic standing, involvement in their community and campus, and by recommendations of their professors, advisors, and/or employers. Well done!
CONGRATULATIONS TO DRS. ERIC AND SUSAN KIRBY!

Dr. Eric Kirby and Dr. Susan Kirby received the 2011 Global Forum Best Symposium Award from the Academy of Management’s MED division for their paper entitled "The Impact of Justice Sensitivity and Ethical Orientation on Competitiveness in the US/Mexico Border Region" as part of the symposium on teaching management on the US/Mexico border.

The paper was presented at the recent Academy of Management conference in San Antonio.

CONGRATULATIONS MANAGEMENT FACULTY!

30 years of service award — Dr. Mike Keefee
15 years of service award — Dr. Yvonne Eixmann
Presidential Excellence Award Runners-up: Scholarly/Creative — Dr. Brian Miller
Presidential Excellence Award Runners-up: Service — Dr. Susan Kirby
Presidential Excellence Dean Nominees: Teaching — Dr. Beverly Chiodo & Dr. Yvonne Eixmann
Presidential Excellence Dean Nominees: Service — Mrs. Judy Dietert

This is a five session Bootcamp spread out over the fall 2011 semester. It is a crash course in entrepreneurship tied together with the real world experience of local entrepreneurs. It is open to Texas State graduate and undergraduate students of any major, and the cost is $50 per person. The team or individual with the best pitch will receive a cash prize after presenting their final pitches.

Bootcamp begins Friday, September 30, 2011!

Opportunities: Certificate in entrepreneurship, networking opportunities with local entrepreneurs, and cash prizes!

Eligibility: Must be a Texas State student—graduate or undergraduate, open to all majors, $50 registration fee, limited spots available so please register soon!

For more information visit www.cea.mccoy.txstate.edu/Bootcamp.html

Contact: Dr. Robert Hill or Ms. Meagan Gotcher at 512.245.3938 or via e-mail at bobhill@txstate.edu or mgotcher@txstate.edu.

Please click here for the registration form.
CONGRATULATIONS SHRM!

The SHRM at Texas State chapter received the superior merit award for the third year in a row from the Society for Human Resource Management. SHRM’s annual Student Chapter Merit Award program exists to develop more effective student chapters and to promote outstanding chapter activities and projects in four areas:
- Basic Student Chapter Requirements
- Chapter Programming and Professional Development of Members
- Support of the Human Resource Profession
- Partnership with SHRM

SHRM at Texas State is open to all students with an interest in management and human resources. For more information, please contact chapter president Brittany Bowden at bb1227@txstate.edu. SHRM’s first meeting was Wednesday, August 24 at 5:30 p.m. in 124 McCoy Hall.

INTERNSHIPS

Management
Juniors & Seniors:

Gain valuable hands-on experience and course credit with a Management internship!

For more information, contact Mrs. Dietert at jd13@txstate.edu or visit the website.

CAREER SERVICES

Walk-in Career Coaching Hours
Location: LBJSC 5—7.1
Resume Writing Help
Job Searching Assistance
Interview Skills Prep

Monday & Tuesday 1 - 3pm
Wednesday & Thursday 3 - 5pm

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