Network of Sloan Undergraduate Women

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Hi everyone! Here, you will find:

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As always, we welcome input from our members. Please email nsuw-exec@mit.edu with any suggestions for future events.

NSUW Events

Business School Panel

Come hear from the top admissions officers representing the absolute BEST business schools in the country! The panel will be followed by a break-out session where YOU can personally ask questions and learn about the admissions process.

Date: Thursday, April 1, 2010

Time: 7 PM - 9 PM

Venue: Room 2 - 105

The panel features:

Joanne Legler

Associate Director of Admissions Chicago Booth

Dee Leopold

Managing Director of MBA Admissions Harvard Business School

Jessica Seymour

Assistant Director of Admissions Kellogg School of Management

Pamela Spencer

Associate Director of Admissions MIT Sloan School of Management

Seda Mansour

Associate Director of MBA Admissions Stanford Graduate School of Business

Kathryn Bezella

Associate Director
Wharton MBA Admissions

Finale Desserts and Refreshments will be provided.

Events

Upcoming Global Education & Career Development Center events:

Spring Career Fair

Student Resume Drop has begun for the Spring Career Fair!

Log into CareerBridge today and register for the Spring Career Fair, including 'dropping' your one-page resume with employers you are interested in for full time and internship opportunities at all levels. Currently, 37 employers are signed up to attend the event, which will be held on May 4th in Morss Hall (employer list at http://is.gd/aWoke).

Using Social Media for Your Job Search (webinar)

Wednesday, March 31, 2010 3:00p-4:00p (Online seminar)

Did you know that 83% of employers use the internet to find information about potential employees? Are you on Facebook but not on Linkedin? Discover how to create your own personal brand using social media instead of just aimlessly applying for jobs. In this workshop we will focus on the do's and don'ts when using Linkedin and tips to build valuable connections. In addition, you will leave this workshop with the knowledge of how to diagnose, manage and monitor your web presence while developing connections with people who can make your professional goals a reality. Learn how to establish a strong web presence that will impress employers, colleagues and industry leaders. Pre-registration required at http://tinyurl.com/mitwebinar

Naturally Obsessed! The making of a scientist

Wednesday, March 31, 2010, 3:15 pm, Stata Center Room 32-123

A one-hour documentary film From PARNASSUSWORKS: Produced and Directed by Richard Rifkind and Carole Rifkind.

A true story about the struggle to become a scientist from the perspective of three PhD students and the satisfactions of discovery.

Watch a one-minute prelude to the film: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I7zIRl0guLw

For more information contact Marilyn Wilson mcwilson@mit.edu or Colin Smith cd smith@mit.edu

Study Abroad Information Session (undergraduates. Global Education Office)

Thursday, April 1, 2010, 3:00pm, Room 4-145

Register on CareerBridge

GECDC Student Office Worker

Job ID: 4656*

Job Title: Student Office Worker (NEW OR CURRENT STUDENTS ONLY)

Employer Name: Global Education & Career Development Center

Days/hours & duration of job: Monday through Friday (9am to 5pm divided into shifts)

Wage/Salary: \$ 9.00

Employment Start Date: 3/23/2010 Employment End Date: End of School Semester

Job Description: Will greet and direct visitors; answer telephones; respond to inquiries from students, alumni, and employers' in-person and via telephone. Assist clients with information about the career services programs and services. Should be able to handle calendar management and schedule appointments using Tech Time on Oracle.

Qualifications: The Career Development Center has been newly renovated and is looking for new/recent students who are ready to work as well as experience the academic settings.

- Student Worker must feel comfortable communicating with students and employers
- Must be able to multi-task
- Handle a fast paced work environment
- Must be able to work well on a team, as well as independently

Additional Application Instructions: Email your resume and hours of availability to Camille Cottrell at camillec@mit.edu or deliver it in person to The Career Development Center, in Bldg. 12 Rm. 170

Recent Business Tidbits...

Toyota promises quicker response on quality issues

TOYOTA, Japan (AP) -- Toyota promised Tuesday to respond faster to customer complaints as it held its first meeting of a committee of quality experts set up to help salvage a reputation battered by massive recalls and reports of runaway vehicles.

Toyota Motor Corp. appointed chief quality officers in key regions -- including North America -- where the biggest problems have surfaced to convey customer complaints quickly to its headquarters. It promised to include outside experts in evaluating quality measures.

Read the full story: http://finance.yahoo.com/news/Toyota-promises-quicker-apf-3885492233.html?x=0

Asia stocks gain after US consumer spending report

HONG KONG (AP) -- Asian stock markets gained modestly early Tuesday after a report showing U.S. consumers continued to spend last month buoyed optimism about growth in the world's largest economy.

The dollar slipped against the yen and was little changed against the euro, and oil prices hovered above \$82 a barrel.

Read the full story: http://finance.yahoo.com/news/Asia-stocks-gain-after-US-apf-3370498177.html?x=0

Numbers as of March 29, 2010 4:00pm

 Symbol
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 DOW
 10,895.86
 +45.50(+0.42%)

 NASDAQ
 2,404.36
 +9.23(+0.39%)

 S&P 500
 1,173.72
 +6.63(+0.57%)

 10-year bond
 3.6840%
 +0.0900

Quick Business Terms defined:

Mortgage-backed securities (MBS): Securities backed by a pool of mortgage loans.

Leveraged buyout (LBO): A transaction used for taking a public corporation private financed through the use of debt funds: bank loans and bonds.

Line of Credit: An informal arrangement between a bank and a customer establishing a maximum loan balance that the bank will permit the borrower to maintain.

To learn more about common business terms, please visit http://www.nytimes.com/library/financial/glossary/bfglosa.htm

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