

## **e-Bulletin**

August 2008

### **IB Society Annual “Welcome Back Barbeque”**

**September 2, 6 PM, Lake Herrick Pavilion**

Lots of free food and drinks, and a chance to meet your fellow IB majors await. Rebecca Kelly, who has studied abroad, worked abroad and taught the IB capstone class, *International Strategic Management*, will speak about how an IB major can best present him- or herself to employers to win an internship or job. In addition, Lauren Bolland, the new IB Career Consultant will join us, so you'll have an opportunity to speak with her. And bring your ideas and suggestions of how the IB Society can best serve its members. **In order to have enough food, you need to RSVP to Reid Scott at [rlscott8@uga.edu](mailto:rlscott8@uga.edu) and copy Sally Vandiver at [svandiver@terry.uga.edu](mailto:svandiver@terry.uga.edu).** Let us know if you prefer a veggie burger.

### **IB Society**

The 2008 officers of the International Business Society are:

- Eric Hartline and Matt Little, Co-Presidents: [ericjh@uga.edu](mailto:ericjh@uga.edu) and [matt27@uga.edu](mailto:matt27@uga.edu)
- Reid Scott, Secretary: [rlscott8@uga.edu](mailto:rlscott8@uga.edu)
- Allison Will, Treasurer: [awill@uga.edu](mailto:awill@uga.edu)

The officers will be asking for suggestions for IB meeting topics and handing out a tentative Fall semester calendar at the Welcome Back BBQ.

### **IB Advising**

IB Advising appointments will begin on September 9<sup>th</sup> this year. Fridays will be available for walk-in questions, but not actual advising. To sign up for an advising appointment, go to [https://ssl.franklin.uga.edu/advising/students/Unified\\_Login.php](https://ssl.franklin.uga.edu/advising/students/Unified_Login.php). To sign up for a walk-in time, email Sally Vandiver at [svandiver@terry.uga.edu](mailto:svandiver@terry.uga.edu) to be sure she will be available.

### **Clear Out Your e-Mail Inbox!**

Occasionally, I send you emails about internships or job openings or send information about classes that have opened up. Be sure there's room in your e-mail inbox so that you can receive this important information.

### **Career Center Information**

The Career Fair will be held Wednesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> this year. A goal of the Career Center is to have a Resume Book compiled for each department within the Terry College prior to the Career Fair event. No resume will be able to go into the book without pre-screening, to be sure you are portraying yourself as best you can. This will mean that you need to have a resume ready for critique by Tuesday September 2-September 5. All of the Career Consultants and graduate assistants will be in the Coke Lounge (Sanford Hall) on these days from 2 pm until 4 pm to review resumes.

### **Tip of the Month: Business Etiquette**

*These monthly tips are meant to help sharpen your business skills and are best practiced while you are still in college.*

**R.S.V.P.**, French for “respond, if you will” is basically asking “Are you coming to the event?” Anytime you get an R.S.V.P., imagine that the person is standing there waiting for your response. Not responding is inconsiderate and rude. Reply even if you have a schedule conflict. If you tell me you are attending and then do not, I will send you an email reminding you that you said you would.

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