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BY LUTHER FAN
Plan II Parliamentary Debate Society first meeting
Tuesday, October 23 from 7 - 8:30 p.m.
Wednesday, October 24 from 8:30 - 10 p.m.
African American Culture Room (4.110), Texas Union

The Plan II Parliamentary Debate Society is a new student organization. The first meeting will be in Joynes from 7:00-8:30 pm on Tuesday, October 23, and Wednesday, October 24 from 8:30-10:00 pm in the African American Culture Room, 4.110 in the Texas Union (you only need to attend one session; please note the different meeting times and locations).

Parliamentary debate is a partnered, limited-preparation competition where teams receive a current topic (e.g. marijuana legalization) and side 20 minutes prior to a debate. Teams will have the opportunity to attend a small number of highly competitive tournaments (such as NPDA Nationals).

Time commitment for this organization is minimal but the few meetings we hold are significant. There is no participation requirement. ALL students are welcome; please invite anyone who would enjoy bringing something to this organization. The first meeting will cover introductory information – explaining parliamentary debate, partnerships, funding, and registration for our first tournament.

RSVP to co-presidents David Engleman and Zachary Stone at planiiparliamentarydebate@gmail.com if you plan to attend (state which time you will more likely attend) or would like more information but cannot attend either meeting.

Plan II Pre-Law Society Meeting
Wednesday, October 24 at 8 p.m.
Joynes Reading Room 007B

Plan II Pre-law Society will be hosting University of Texas Pre-law Advisor Tatem Oldham for its first meeting October 24 at 8 PM in the Joynes Reading Room, room 007B. Ms. Oldham will provide necessary application information for aspiring law students, and will be able to answer any questions undecided freshman students might have. Please contact Travis Cox with any questions or concerns, travis.cox@bba09.mccombs.utexas.edu.

Plan II T-Shirt Design Contest
Due by: Friday, November 2

Send in your designs for Plan II’s official 2012-2013 t-shirt! The contest is open to all Plan II students. Chosen designer will win a free shirt, be featured in the Plan II office, and have their design proudly worn by their peers!

Guidelines: Due to trademark complications, please refrain from using the Longhorn symbol, burnt orange, or including the “University of Texas at Austin.” Designs for a frocket t-shirt with a small graphic on the pocket and larger graphic on the back is highly suggested, but not required.

Please send submissions to Stephanie Ham stephanieham1@gmail.com by November 2nd.

John Taggart Reading - book giveaway!
Monday, October 29 at 7 p.m.
Joynes Reading Room

John Taggart is the author of fourteen books of poetry and two books of criticism. His work is influenced by medieval and modern musical traditions and by visual art. He recently completed "The Rothko Chapel Poem," which is described in this New York Times article. Taggart will read in the Joynes Room Monday night, October 29th, at 7 p.m., in an event free event open to the public. A limited number of free books are available to honors students -- inquire at the front desk in the Joynes Room.

Elva Trevino Hart Reading - book giveaway!
Thursday, November 8 at 7 p.m.
Joynes Reading Room

Elva Trevino Hart wrote the acclaimed memoir Barefoot Hart, about her childhood in a migrant farming family. She has also published a collection of short stories, Simpaticas: San Miguel Stories. Hart will give a public reading in the Joynes Room on Thursday, November 8th, at 7 p.m. A small number of free books are available to honors students -- inquire at the front desk in the Joynes Room.

Spring 2013 Registration Information

Professor Dunlop's PHL 610QA students should register for one of her PHL 610QB sections.
Professor Leon's PHL 610QA students should register for one of Professor Strawson's PHL 610QB sections
Professor Deigh's PHL 610QA students should register for one of Professor Woodruff's PHL 610QB sections.

Course Schedule
The online course schedule for spring 2013 is published but please keep in mind that this information is subject to change. Please feel free to review classes and begging to plan your spring classes, but do review the information again closer to your registration access time to ensure the information on your planned courses is still accurate.

Broccoli Project Paganini Play
Thursday, Friday, Saturday October 25-27 and November 1-3 at 7 p.m.
Black Box Theater (SAC 2.304)

A dark comedy by Don Nigro about the infamous virtuoso violinist, Nicolo Paganini, whose skill with the violin was so great that many believed he was a marionette of the devil. Using Paganini’s 24 Caprices for Violin as a haunting background, this play traces the grotesque and satirical adventures of Paganini as he plays throughout Europe, living the century’s equivalent to a rock star. Leaving a trail of seduced women, enraged fathers and creditors, and evading arrest for reported murder, Paganini probes the consequences of art and the nature of salvation for the artist.

Directed by David Skaggs
With assistant directors Andrew Wortham and Carson Modrall

The price is $5 for students/UT faculty with ID and $10 for everyone else.

Plan II Pre-Med Healthcare Policy Panel
Monday, October 29 at 6 - 7 p.m.
WEL 2.308

Discuss the current state of healthcare policies and coverage in America and how
the Affordable Care Act will affect you, the field of medicine, and the country. (A great opportunity to educate yourself for the upcoming election or just learn more about this interesting topic!)

The speakers will be Dr. Winslade (Medical Ethicist with a JD and 2 PhDs), Mimi Garcia (from Texas Well and Healthy), LeAnn Gutierrez (from UHS to address insurance companies/plans), a physician (TBD)

Feel free to think of questions that you would like to get answered. Pizza, desserts, and drinks will be provided!

**Thesis advising and registration**
Part One Deadline: Friday, October 26

Students who plan to start their Plan II senior thesis next Spring (or students who plan to start their senior thesis next fall but will be studying abroad in the Spring), must complete Part One and Part Two of the Plan II Thesis Registration form. Forms and instructions can be found online at: [http://www.utexas.edu/cola/progs/plan2/advising/thesis/](http://www.utexas.edu/cola/progs/plan2/advising/thesis/)

Part One deadline: **Friday, October 26**

This form must be signed during an in person meeting between the student and either Plan II Acting Director Alexandra Wettlaufer or Plan II Assistant Director Paul Sullivan.

Dr. Alexandra Wettlaufer Fall 2012 office hours:
- Tu 3:30-5 pm in HRH 3.104C; Th 11 am-12:30 pm in WCH 4.140; & by appt
- Dr. Paul Sullivan Fall 2012 office hours:
  - M/W 2:30-4:30 pm in WCH 4.104 & Fridays by appointment

Part Two deadline: **Friday, December 14**

This form must be signed by two faculty members (your primary supervisor and a second reader), and include a brief description of your thesis topic and a current resume.

**ACADEMIC ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Specialized Programs in Graduate Business Information Session**

Tuesday, October 23 at 6 p.m.

Etter-Harbin Alumni Center

Specialized Programs in Graduate Business (SPGB) is a consortium of schools that host nation-wide forums for undergraduates and recent graduates from all disciplinary majors who are interested in obtaining a focused graduate business degree in areas such as finance, management, accounting, supply chain management, and commerce. Forums are presented jointly by the participating schools and offer prospective students the chance to speak one-on-one with school representatives to learn about the various programs, how to prepare for admission to graduate school, and to discuss the professional value a specialized masters degree can have when entering today’s highly competitive business environment.

Register online here: [http://www.msbusinessdegrees.com/events/austin-tx-spgb-event](http://www.msbusinessdegrees.com/events/austin-tx-spgb-event)

**2013-2014 RA Application open!**

Apply by: **Wednesday, October 24**


**Apply to be an Orientation Advisor for Summer 2013**

Apply by: **Wednesday, October 24 at 4 p.m.**

New Student Services at The University of Texas at Austin is seeking a diverse group of talented students to develop, plan, and execute the 2013 Summer Orientation program!

If you are looking for a fun and rewarding leadership opportunity, working with a diverse and socially conscious group of campus leaders, then consider applying to become an Orientation Advisor (OA). OAs are important representatives for all incoming students—they are among the first people new students and families meet! The on-campus housing, meal-plan, and stipend are simply the generous monetary benefits of becoming an Orientation Advisor. Develop your skills in countless ways, make life-long friendships, and become a true ambassador for The University of Texas at Austin.

**Economics Internal Transfer Sessions**

**Wednesday, October 24 at 5 p.m.**

BRB 1.120

Thursday, October 25 at 4 p.m.

BRB 1.118

Students must attend one of the following information sessions in order to declare the Economics major or wait until after November 12th when registration is over:

**Wednesday, October 24th at 5:00pm in BRB 1.120 or Thursday, October 25th at 4:00pm in BRB 1.118**

**RSVP by 5:00pm on Tuesday, October 23rd using the following link:** [http://tiny.cc/fmaamw](http://tiny.cc/fmaamw)

**Certificate program in Core Texts**

Thursday, October 25 at 3 p.m.

WAG 403B

The Certificate program in Core Texts and Ideas is an integrated sequence of six courses that introduces students to major questions and debates about human nature, ethics, politics, and the meaning of happiness that have shaped the modern world. It can easily be pursued in conjunction with the Plan II major, which it complements with related courses in religious thought and political philosophy. The Jefferson Scholars Program offers stipends and special events for honors students enrolled in the program. To learn more, come to an information session on Thursday, Oct. 25 at 3 pm in WAG 403b or visit [http://www.utexas.edu/cola/centers/coretexts/](http://www.utexas.edu/cola/centers/coretexts/).

**Texas Microfinance Group - First General Meeting**

Thursday, October 25 at 6 p.m.

CBA 4.338

Plan II students, Austin Jacobs and Bala Varadhan, are in the process of revitalizing a Microfinance organization on campus called the Texas Microfinance
Group. Students of all interests are encouraged to come out to the Texas Microfinance Group’s first general informational organization meeting this Thursday, October 25, at 6 pm in CBA 4.338. Some goals of the club are to raise Microfinance awareness and consolidate all Microfinance initiatives on campus and in the community to be apart of one greater umbrella organization. Additionally, the group has been in touch with Kiva and other well-known microfinance organizations to bring speakers to attend future meetings.

Because many of the students who are currently presiding over the organization are graduating soon, the Texas Microfinance Group is actively seeking students who want a leadership position.

If there are any questions or ideas regarding the meeting and organization, please don’t hesitate to contact Austin Jacobs – austinmjacobs@gmail.com or Bala Varadhan - ballah.gee@gmail.com

PRESERVERS panel
Thursday, October 25 at 7 p.m.
Prothro Theater, Harry Ransom Center

On Thursday, October 25th, at 7 p.m., the Texas Institute for Literary and Textual Studies (TILTS) will present a panel entitled PRESERVERS, part of their "Fate of the Book" series. The panel will feature Nicolas Barker, editor of The Book Collector; Kathleen Rooney, author of Reading with Oprah; and Michael Whitmore, director of the Folger Shakespeare Library. This event will be in the Prothro Theater at the Harry Ransom Center.

Class of 2016 students needed for orientation focus groups

Are you a current freshman? Did you attend Freshman Orientation? Come share your experiences. Contact Anthony Wright at awright@austin.utexas.edu

Liberal Arts Career Prep Classes

Are you looking to get an edge in your job search? Want to develop experiences employers value? Liberal Arts Career Services offers credit-based courses to help you go from college to career and make the most of your liberal arts education. Our courses are designed to provide you with the experience, knowledge and skills that you can apply directly to your future plans and your job search.

Here are our Spring 2013 offerings:

3-credit, upper-division courses:

LA 325: College/Career Coaching Theory & Practice (Unique #30003; Wednesdays 3-6 pm; CLA 1.104)
Want to motivate yourself and others through positive psychology and coaching strategies? Learn valuable theories and skills you can use as a manager, mentor or advisor in a variety of career settings.

LA 325: The Liberal Arts Entrepreneur (Unique #30004; Tuesdays 3:30-6:30; FAC 18N)
Put your creativity and innovative ideas to work. Learn the process of developing your own startup business or nonprofit through completing a business plan. Enrollment in this course is application based, the application deadline is January 14, 2013.

LA 320wb: Liberal Arts Internship Course (Unique #30000; Web-based)
Are you planning to do an internship in the spring? If so, make the most of your internship and register for this course. The course will help you reflect on the experience, and get you ready for the next one. Enrollment in this course is application based, the application deadline is January 29, 2013 at 4pm.

1-credit, lower-division courses:

LA 101L: Liberal Arts Major in the Workplace (Unique #29954; Mondays 3-5 pm; 7 weeks; FAC 18N)
Make the most of your liberal arts degree in the job search and beyond. This course will help you articulate the value of your major, identify your strengths and interests, and develop a strong job search strategy.

LA 110wb: Liberal Arts internship Course (Unique #29980, Web-based)
Does your internship supervisor require that you receive academic credit to participate in the internship? If so, this class is for you. Make the most of your experience while earning academic credit. Enrollment in this course is application based, the application deadline is January 29, 2013 at 4pm.

Kuhn Intellectual Entrepreneurship

Award available

$1,000 awards/stipends for a select number of qualified IE Pre Grad interns (undergraduates) and their graduate student mentors http://communication.utexas.edu/ie/kuhn-ie-award.

The award is intended to support and encourage students to pursue opportunities that further enrich the Pre-Graduate School Internship experience. (e.g., traveling to conferences, research endeavors, supplies, books etc.) All award recipients will also be required to participate in the Pre-Graduate School Internship in the semester they receive the award.


SHAC Town Hall
Thursday, November 1st from 5:30 - 7 p.m.
San Jacinto Multipurpose Room

Student Health Advisory Committee (SHAC) will be hosting its annual Town Hall on Thursday, November 1st, from 5:30-7 PM in the San Jacinto Multipurpose Room. The topic of this Q&A discussion will be "University Health Services involvement in students to better academic success and campus life." Come out for a free dinner and give a voice to student health! If you have any questions about the event, please email utaustinshac@gmail.com.

Credit by Exam for ARA, HEB, PRS, and TUR
Friday, November 2 from 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.
BUR 112

The Department of Middle Eastern Studies will be offering a Credit-By-Exam for Arabic, Hebrew, Persian and Turkish this fall. Students who wish to try and get credit for one of these languages should visit our website to sign up as soon as possible at http://www.utexas.edu/cola/depts/mes/languages/testing.php.

In addition to signing up online, students must register for the test and obtain a
form from the Center for Teaching and Learning, pay fees and bring the form with them to the exam. For more information on CBEs (the rules, forms, fees, procedures), you can have students visit the Center for Teaching and Learning site at http://ctl.utexas.edu/.

International Relations Graduate School Info Session
November 7 at 4:30 p.m.
SRH 3.122

The LBJ School will host a several peer institutions for an International Affairs/ Public Policy graduate program information session at 4:30 PM on Nov. 7 in SRH 3.122. Undergraduate students of all majors are welcome to attend (RSVP is not required).

A Day in the Life of State Government
Friday, November 9 from 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services Campus

Interested in what it might be like to work in a State Government Agency? If so, you are invited to register for this free event, which will be held on Friday, November 9, 2012 at the Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services Campus from 8:30am-4:00pm. Participants will be limited to the first 50 students who register. Lunch will be provided at no cost to participating students.

The goal of this event is to offer UT Austin students an opportunity to learn about state government and provide an opportunity to experience what it is like “on the inside” of a state agency. Students will have the chance to ask questions, tour some of the DARS offices, and interact with people from the various career tracks available inside our agency. It is our hope that as students gain awareness of how state government is organized, they may consider an area in state government as a future career choice.

Become involved with UT Micro Farm

The UT Micro Farm will be the first student-run sustainable farm on UT's forty acres!

This project is thoroughly interdisciplinary. Whatever you are passionate about or skilled in, there is a way for you to get involved. The UT Micro Farm endeavor will require the efforts of several student-operated "micro-projects." There is ample opportunity for you to become directly involved in whatever it is that fascinates you:

- Engineering and designing a rainwater collection & shading structure
- Tending to an APIARY (beekeeping)
- Compost management
- Blogging
- Graphic design & photo/video media
- Hunting for donations & discounts
- Wicking beds
- Planning social events and workshops
- Developing educational materials
- Managing an on-campus farm stand

The UT Micro Farm is a place to experiment and to learn. Imagine the possibilities...and if you've got some of your own imaginings, please share your ideas!

Find out more about the project online: http://utmicrofarm.tumblr.com/ and https://www.facebook.com/UTMicroFarm

Don't hesitate to contact gardening@utenvironment.org to start the conversation!

NAAAS and Affiliates Joint National Conference

The National Association of African American Studies & Affiliates encourages undergraduate/graduate students to present a poster and/or oral research presentation. Some of the benefits of student participation include:

- Student papers will be published in the conference monograph series.
- Students are provided complimentary lunch after the closing session.
- Sixteen (16) cash awards will be given to students who receive an outstanding rating for her/his research.
- Students are given priority consideration for participation in the organization’s summer student exchange program(s) in China, Mexico, Colombia and Brazil.

For more information, contact naaasconference@earthlink.net

UT Applied Research Laboratories hiring talented undergraduate students

The Signal and Information Sciences Laboratory is now hiring talented undergraduate students. SISL is a research group of the Applied Research Laboratories at The University of Texas at Austin. SISL is located on the Pickle Research Campus, which is a short bus ride from the main campus. SISL develops and prototypes advanced technology for U.S. Navy applications in the fields of advanced signal processing, detection and classification, algorithm development, modeling, and simulation. The job will develop quantitative and scientific skills. Students studying engineering and physics are encouraged to apply. U.S. citizenship is required. Estimated work load is 15 hours per week. Work hours are flexible to work with your class schedule. Undergraduates are paid $13-20 per hour, depending on experience and standing. Juniors and seniors are also eligible for tuition assistance. If interested, please contact Matt Thrasher at 512-835-3154 or thrasher@arlut.utexas.edu.

Submit writing and artwork for the Analecta

ATTENTION WRITERS AND ARTISTS: Analecta, the official literary and arts journal of the University of Texas at Austin, is now accepting writing and artwork submissions for its next publication. Please visit www.analectajournal.com for information and guidelines. Submissions are due by Friday, December 14th, 2012.

Department of Psychology Internal Information Sessions

Internal Transfer Information Sessions for Fall 2012:

Tuesday, October 23
3:30-4:30pm
SEA 4.244

Thursday, November 1
8:30-9:30am
SEA 4.244

College of Communication International Programs info sessions

The College of Communication will be holding info sessions on a number of its
International Programs in the coming weeks. These programs are open to all UT students. The full schedule of info sessions can be found here: [http://communication.utexas.edu/students/international/study-abroad-information-sessions](http://communication.utexas.edu/students/international/study-abroad-information-sessions).

Public Relations Maymester Abroad (Ireland)
UT instructor: Brad Love, Department of Advertising and Public Relations

Photojournalism Maymester Abroad (Czech Republic)
UT instructor: Dennis Darling, School of Journalism

Reporting China Maymester Abroad (PRC)
UT instructor: Tracy Dahlby, School of Journalism

International Advertising Maymester Abroad (Hong Kong)
UT instructor: Wei-Na Lee, Department of Advertising and Public Relations

Salzburg Academy on Media and Global Change (Austria)
UT instructor: Stephen D. Reese, School of Journalism

Summer Program in Communications Erfurt, SPICE (Germany)

**Nursing Internal Transfer info sessions**

Information sessions for internal transfers into the School of Nursing will be held on the following dates:

- **Wednesday, November 14, 2012 | 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. | NUR 1.106**
- **Thursday, December 6, 2012 | 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. | NUR 1.110**

Eligibility Requirements: students must have successfully completed 12 in-residence hours as well as successfully completed two science prerequisite courses from our list of science prerequisites by the deadline listed above in order to apply. The School of Nursing has new procedures and deadlines for internal transfer which can be viewed at: [http://www.utexas.edu/nursing/academics/ud_internal.html](http://www.utexas.edu/nursing/academics/ud_internal.html).

The new application deadlines are:
- October 1 for admission the following spring
- March 1 for admission the following fall

**Computer Science Fall Info Sessions**

The UT Department of Computer Science is hosting the following information sessions for Fall 2012:

- **Elements of Computing Certificate Information Sessions: Both in ACES 5.336**
  - **Wednesday, October 24th 3:30 to 4:30pm**
  - **Thursday, October 25th 11am to noon**

**STUDY ABROAD**

**Plan II Costa Rica Study Abroad Maymester Program**

Apply by: **Thursday, November 1**

The Plan II Honors Program is proud to again offer this program, Land Use Issues in Rainforest Conservation, in May 2013 to students interested in understanding the complex issues surrounding rainforest conservation. Costa Rica is renowned for its ecological diversity and extensive reserves. However, the country faces serious economic and public policy issues in the conservation of its treasured rainforest. Students will be challenged to consider the many different factors affecting land use in Costa Rica during a Spring 2013 one hour seminar course, four weeks of field work in Costa Rica (May-June 2013), and through independent research. The program provides hands-on experience as well as immersion into the context of the question. Students will interact with the local population and governmental agencies, as well as with visiting international students and researchers. The issue of sustainable conservation requires an understanding of biology, environmental science, business, political science, sociology, anthropology and economics, so this program is well-suited to students with interdisciplinary interests. For students wanting more, this program will lay the ground work for subsequent in-depth study abroad and for some students’ honors theses.

For more information attend one of the information sessions listed below and visit the Costa Rica Maymester page on the Plan II website: [http://www.utexas.edu/cola/progs/plan2/currentstdnts/abroad/costa-rica.php](http://www.utexas.edu/cola/progs/plan2/currentstdnts/abroad/costa-rica.php)

APPLYING DEADLINE – Nov. 1, 2012 - [http://world.utexas.edu/abroad/programs/mm/application](http://world.utexas.edu/abroad/programs/mm/application)

**UT Semester in Los Angeles Program**

If you are passionate about film, television, music or digital arts, and are interested in exploring related careers in the entertainment industry, you may be interested in participating in the UT Semester in Los Angeles Program. Students earn UT in-residence credit, and the program is open to all majors.

**UT SEMESTER IN LA PROGRAM COURSES**

- **Executive Director**
  - **New Media and Emerging Entertainment**
  - **How Hollywood Works: The Business of Show Business**
  - **Inside the Music Industry**
  - **The Creative Process of Film and TV**
  - **Careers in Entertainment (fall and spring only)**
  - **Communication Internship in L.A.**

**ELIGIBILITY**

Applicants must be currently enrolled degree-seeking students in good academic standing who will have:

- **Min. 60 credit hours and a minimum GPA of 2.25 by semester of participation;**
- **Successfully completed RTF 305 “Intro to Media Studies,” or equivalent, by the semester of participation.**

**FALL INFORMATION SESSION**

- **Wed., November 14, 2:00 PM, CMA 5.160**

* Executive Director will be on campus.

The application for fall 2013, spring or summer 2014 will open February 1-28, 2013.

**MORE INFORMATION**

Visit [http://communication.utexas.edu/utla](http://communication.utexas.edu/utla)

Or, call the UTLA Center, toll free, at 877-875-2111.

**Summer 2013 Archaeology Program in Vila do Conde, Portugal**

Interested in archaeology? Want to spend your summer in Europe? Consider the Summer 2013 program in Vila do Conde, Portugal!
This archaeological field school is directed by Dr. Mariah Wade, a professor in the Department of Anthropology. The excavation site is a hilltop fort and settlement that spanned the period from the Bronze Age to the Roman era.

Want to learn more? Come to one of the following info sessions:

Tuesday, October 23 at 5:00pm in SAC 5.124

Study in Washington D.C. for a semester with the Archer Program

If you are interested in learning about public policy firsthand by living, interning, and taking in-residence classes in Washington, D.C., for a fall or spring semester, the Archer Fellowship Program may be for you! Come learn about this unique program by attending an information session. Students representing all majors and disciplines on campus are welcome. Applications for the 2013-2014 academic year will be due in February (students who will be abroad this spring should apply by November 1st). Weekly application tips will be posted on Facebook: ‘Like’ UT Austin Archer Fellowship Program to stay informed.

Fall 2012 Information Sessions
Thursday, November 8th, 4-5:30 p.m., in FAC 4
Wednesday, November 14th, 4-5:30 p.m., in FAC 4

If you need accommodations for an information session, or if you have any questions or concerns, please contact the UT Austin Archer Fellowship Program Coordinator, Rose Mastrangelo, 232-7564
http://www.utexas.edu/ugs/archer

Study Abroad Office “Planning Scholarships” form now available

The Study Abroad Office is very pleased to announce that the PLANNING SCHOLARSHIPS website and application form is now available.

http://world.utexas.edu/abroad/funding/scholarships/planning

Key Features:
- Deadline: December 11, 2012
- Award Period: Funding can be applied to programs between fall 2013 and summer 2015
- Award Amounts: $2000 - $3000 per student

Planning scholarships have been developed to encourage students to apply for funding in advance of selecting a program. These scholarships have been designed so that students have the guarantee of funding before having to select and/or commit to a program.

EMPLOYMENT AND INTERNSHIPS

McKinsey & Company Brief and Meet for Summer Business Analyst internship
Thursday, October 25 at 5:30 p.m.
AT&T Conference Center, Salons AB

This event is open to students of all disciplines planning to graduating in December 2013 or later. Learn more about internship opportunities at McKinsey & Company.

McKinsey is an international management consulting firm that works with leading corporations, non-profit institutions, and governments on issues of critical importance to senior management. McKinsey helps its clients solve strategic, organizational, and operational problems in order to make significant and enduring improvements in their performance.

What is unique about McKinsey is that the people who make up the firm are as important as the clients. Get a behind the scenes look at www.mckinsey.com/usschools.

Pre-Graduate School Internship

Are you thinking about whether graduate school is in your future? Are you uncertain about what it would be like to be a graduate student and what academic program may be suited best to your interests and career goals?

If your answer to these questions is yes, you may wish to consider undertaking the Intellectual Entrepreneurship (IE) "Pre-Graduate School Internship." This internship is open to students in all UT colleges/schools and departments. You may earn one, two or three hours of academic credit (CMS 164M/264M/364M) by participating in the internship.

You may read more about this program (including FAQ's, examples of internship activities and an easy to complete internship contract) on the web: http://communication.utexas.edu/ie/

USEFUL MISCELLANY

About Plan2News
Plan2News is published on Tuesdays and Fridays during the semester for students currently registered in Plan II and others associated with Plan II who send their e-mail addresses to planinewsletter@austin.utexas.edu. News items for the letter include announcements from the Plan II office and the Plan II Student Association and performances and exhibits by Plan II students.

Read the newsletter to learn about courses, registration, advising, job opportunities and special events.

Submitting to Plan2News
Please keep in mind that although Plan2News enjoys a substantial and diverse readership, its circulation is still relatively small. It should not be relied upon as the sole advertisement for a position or an event. To reach a wider audience, please use university-wide electronic and paper advertising outlets.

Personal and political announcements will not be published in Plan2News. Job and internships announcements must be sent to the Liberal Arts Career Services office, after which they may be considered for publication in the newsletter.

To place a news item in Plan2News, you must do the following:
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