Mission Statement:
The Management/Economics Department provides students with conceptual knowledge, analytical tools, practical skills, and experiences they will be able to use and build upon wherever they work. Our mission is to advance the intellectual, ethical, and social development of students so they become personally and socially responsible managers, leaders, and individual contributors who create value for their organizations and communities.

Areas of Study | Number of Students
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Management Majors | 93
Accounting Majors | 29
Accounting Minors | 3
Management Minors | 25
Economics Minors | 13
Health Care Minors | 19
Organizational Leadership | 27
Sport Management Concentration | 11

Faculty News

Dr. Yoo-Taek Lee had an article published in The Journal of Creativity and Innovation, Seoul, Korea, Vol. 4, No. 2, 2011 (written in English): “Competing on Entrepreneurial Management Innovations: A Case Study of the Fact-based Management System.” Additionally, Dr. Lee was an invited guest speaker and judge for Startup Springboard, an event where developers, designers, and entrepreneurs come together to share ideas, form teams, build prototypes, and launch startups. This was held at MIT in November.

Dr. Sharon McKechnie co-presented the paper titled “Perceptions of Intentional and Unintentional Discrimination” at the Gerontological Society of America 64th Annual Meeting in Boston on Nov 18th.

Dr. Shuyi Jiang’s paper “Survival in the U.S. Petroleum Refining Industry” was accepted by the Journal of Applied Statistics.

Students in Dr. Patricia Clarke’s MGMT 2111: Personal Finance, a service-learning course, recently conducted Financial Literacy Workshops on campus. Small poster sessions were based on a course research project and included college loans, apartment rental, Individual Retirement Accounts (IRAs), health insurance, Certificates of Deposit (CDs), cell phone plans, and credit cards.

Dr. Rebecca Moryl gave a presentation titled: “T-shirts, Moonshine, and Autopsies: Using Podcast Topics to Engage Undergraduate Microeconomics Students” at the 7th Annual Economics Teaching Conference in New Orleans in October.
President: Zach Raffa (new)
Vice President: Steph Hellested
Treasurer: Nate Rosa (new)
Secretary: Sarah Hamilton
Public Relations Officer: Kathryn Coburn (new)

Meetings: Mondays WSC 111 at 7:00PM

New this semester: Meetings will be more involved, informative and entertaining. New additions to meetings include: Watching CNBC clips of current business news, clips from Mad Money, episodes of Shark Tank. Team building and public speaking activities such as trivia, business style "crossing the line," elevator pitch and marketing competitions.

Upcoming events: Business, Economics and Current Events Jeopardy will be coming up after Spring break. Prizes awarded.

Department Events

⇒ Monday February 27th 10:00 AM
Coffee with the Faculty

Join Professors Sharon McKechnie and Rebecca Moryl for an informal chat.

- Get to know the faculty and other MGMT/ECON/ACCT majors.
- Talk about MGMT/ECON current events, such as:
  - The Euro crisis and improving the job market in the U.S.
  - Iran Sanctions
  - Economics of the Super Bowl.
Coffee and snacks provided.

⇒ Save the Date March 28th: Internship Roundtable 5:30 PM in the New Modular Building. Attendance is Mandatory for Juniors!

EC Business Club

Here are a few of the highlights from this semester’s student interns in the MGMT/ECON department.

Jean Mathurin—2012
Jean Mathurin is working in Game Day Promotions with Harvard Athletics

Andrew Heath—2012
Andrew Heath is working at Harvard University Dept. of Athletics Game Promotions and NetScouts Basketball Intern,

Kristin LeBel—2011
Kristin LeBel is working at Harvard as a Manager of Recreation.

Student Scholarship:

Mark DeCristoforo and Colin Shea, both management majors, have been nominated for the 16th annual poster session on Capitol Hill. This event highlights the students’ research in their respective fields and presents their findings at a conference.

Laurence Bradford, an Economics minor, was a finalist for the CIEE South Korea Scholarship Program.

Alumni News

Kristen Breslin (2010) recently passed the CPA exam and earned her MBA and Masters in Accountancy from Northeastern University.

New Majors:

WELCOME!!!

- Daniel Ho
- Morgan Lion
- Juan Levy
- Mairead Kelly
- Ana Maria Lopez
- Alexandra Fitzgerald
- Rachel Barber
- Aelish Sullivan
- Alexandra Tikellis

Student News and New Majors