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OFFICE OF STUDENT AFFAIRS THE CHINESE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG



Career Planning and Development Centre

Questions or comments? Email the CPDC at cpdc@cuhk.edu.hk or call 3943 7202

Strike:

360° Business Diagnosis

Learn more about how you can build up your career in the pharmaceutical industry.

As an alumnus of CUHK graduated from the School of Pharmacy, Kelly will share her career transformation from a technical personnel to a business generalist, who gradually became a director of a worldwide top 10 pharmaceutical company.

Speaker : Ms. Kelly Lam

Zone Director of Hong Kong, Macau, Taiwan of Sanofi

Date : 28 November 2011 (Monday)

Time : 5:30pm

Venue : LT3, Lee Shau Kee Building

Through an interview demonstration during the session, students would understand how they should prepare themselves for a career in the business world with a technical or science academic background.

Interested students should register at https://webapp1.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/wrs/public/login.aspx?AppID=13.

Strike:

Alumni Sharing Session: "Undergraduate vs Postgraduate vs Life as a Consultant"

A young graduate of CUHK with a background in Chemical Pathology in 2009, Tony first joined IBM as a Consultant Trainee upon graduation and was promoted as a Consultant in IBM Global Business Services within 2 years.

Tony will share his insights and offer advice in 2 aspects:

1. Choices Between School and Workplace:

Mhat you should consider when facing choices between pursuing a MSc/MPhil/PhD and start your career after graduation.

2. Your Technical Background and Business World

- How the analytical training of a Science student can align with a job as a consultant, and
- The skills required of a "client-facing" business job in general.

Speaker : Mr. Tony Yung

Consultant, Strategy & Transformation, IBM Global Business Services (MPhil Chemical Pathology 2009, CUHK)

Date : 23 November 2011 (Wednesday)

Time : 5:30pm

Venue : Rm 404, William M.W. Mong Engineering Building (ERB)

Interested students should register at https://webapp1.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/wrs/public/login.aspx?AppID=13.

HKAGR Student Survey 2011

The HKAGR has devoted in graduate development since its establishment. Following the success of the HKAGR Careers Fair 2011 which took place last September, the HKAGR Student Survey 2011 kicked off this month.

You are invited to share your feedback and thoughts on your job hunting experience through completing the survey: https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/HKAGR_Student_Survey_2011

London School of Economics SU Alternative Investments Conference 2012

The London School of Economics and Political Science has launched the registration procedures for the LSE SU Alternative Investments Conference (AIC) 2012

Students who are interested may visit http://www.lseaic.com/PastConferences/Default.aspx for more information.

Your attention is drawn to the registration process, i.e.:

- 1. This is a paid event; and
- 2. You will be required to submit your CV during the registration process. Your information and CV will be passed to the recruiting agencies and other sponsors/co-organizers of the conference as well.

CICC 2012 Summer Intern Online Application Open Now

In 2012 Summer Internship Programme, CICC offers penultimate year undergraduate, master, MBA and PhD students various internship opportunities in Research, Strategic Research, Capital Markets, Investment Banking, Sales and Trading, Private Wealth Management, Wealth Management, Wealth Research, Quantitative Analytics, Operations, Information Technology, Risk Management, Human Resources Management, Firm Management, etc.

If you like to apply for the 2012 Summer Internship Programme, please complete the online application on the website at http://www.cicc.com.cn/cicchr/Resume_en.asp?op=Jobs_1&typ=3 by 6pm on 9 December 2011 (Friday) in Beijing time.

Inquiries about the application can be sent to talent@cicc.com.cn.

Questions or comments? Email the SAAS at saau@cuhk.edu.hk or call 3943 7216

Closure of University Swimming Pool

The University Swimming Pool will be closed from 1 December 2011 (Thursday) for annual maintenance. The date of re-opening will be announced in due course.

Student Leader Training Scheme 2012

To enhance the office bearers' efficiency and effectiveness in managing their associations, the "Student Leader Training Scheme" was launched in 2010. This year, more experts from different disciplines will be invited to offer useful and interactive training to our participants. You are cordially invited to join the Scheme.

Training Package

- A Day Camp on Leadership Skills and Team Building*
- A Workshop on Budget Control*
- A Workshop on Poster Design**
- A Workshop on Handling Complaints and Conflicts**
- A Workshop on Communication Skills*
- Two Field Visits to Social Enterprise / Medium-Small Business**
- A Talk on Integrity by ICAC and Privacy Commissioner for Personal Data ***

(*Mandatory; ** Optional; *** Voluntary)

Incentive Plan

- A unique certificate will be presented to the participants who have completed at least 5 out of 7 activities. (The position held by the awardees in their associations will be marked on the certificates.)
- The awardees will be invited to the Dinner Gathering cum Certificate Presentation in April 2012.

Other Details

Eligibilities : 1. All undergraduate and postgraduate students who are / would be the office bearers of the

recognised student associations (i.e. postgraduate / undergraduate student societies registered under CUHK /

College student unions).

2. New committee members in 2012 are preferred.

Quota : 40 students

Medium of Instruction: Cantonese (with either Chinese or English handouts)

Fee : No charge for the Scheme, yet a deposit at HK\$200 will be levied.

(The deposit will be refunded to the participants who have completed at least 5 out of 7 activities.)

Enrollment Period : 18 November 2011 (Friday) – 30 December 2011 (Friday)

Application Form : Downloadable from the following link: <u>www.cuhk.edu.hk/osa/slts.pdf</u>

Remarks : A short face-to-face / phone interview may be required.

All successful candidates should attend the Welcoming Tea Reception in January 2012

Enquiry : 3943 7947 (Ms. Cecilia Law)

VC's Meetings with Students in November

To facilitate direct communication between the Vice-Chancellor and students for a better development of the University in whole, various meetings have been scheduled for the academic year 2011-12. The following, among others, will be held in November:

Dinner with Students at Morningside College

Date : 22 November 2011 (Tuesday)

Time : 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Venue : Dining Hall, Morningside College

For enquiries, please contact Mr. Eric Lee at 3943 1738.

Asia Society Hong Kong Centre Student Ambassador Programme

Asia Society Hong Kong Centre Student Ambassador Programme is now open for enrollment. The Programme aims to foster students' whole-person development, particularly in developing an international perspective, communication and interpersonal skills as well as broadening students' social exposure. Selected applicants will be trained for conducting scheduled tours, and receive a commendation letter as well as a certificate of recognition for their contribution and participation. Shortlisted applicants will be invited to attend briefing and screening sessions to be conducted on 30 November 2011 (Wednesday) or 1 December 2011 (Thursday).

Details of the Programme and the application form can be downloaded from www.cuhk.edu.hk/osa/Asia Society Ambassador.pdf. Please submit the duly completed application form together with a résumé to the Student Services Centre of the Office of Student Affairs (1/F, Benjamin Franklin Centre) on or before 23 November 2011 (Wednesday). For enquiries, please contact Ms. Tam of the Office of Student Affairs at 3943 7253 or Ms. Cathy Luk, the Programme representative at 2384 0095.

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i-Run Hong Kong Special Marathon 2012 – Pair-up Runners Wanted

Jointly organised by the CUHK and Tung Wah Group of Hospitals, the "i-Run Hong Kong Special Marathon" which was launched in 2011 will be rerun in 2012. This race not only signifies the achievement of inclusion for people with intellectual disability (ID), but also promotes active participation of people with ID in sports and the adoption of healthy life style.

The race is now recruiting pair-up runners from CUHK. Basic information is shown below:

Date : 8 January 2012 (Sunday)

Time : 10:00 am

Venue : Sir Philip Haddon-Cave Sports Field, CUHK

Category of Race : 3 km Race (time limit: 90 mins)

5 km Challenge Race (time limit: 90 mins)

Basic Requirement: Age 18 or above

Registration Fee : Free

Enquiry : 2870 9334

More details can be viewed at http://i-run.tungwahcsd.org.

Meeting Real Santa Claus from Finland

Are you interested in meeting the real Santa Claus from Finland this Christmas?

The Consulate General of Finland in Hong Kong has promoted a special event for children, especially focusing on those who are from various situations such as underprivileged, living in poverty and seriously ill. If you would like to join the real Santa Claus from Finland on 16-18 December 2011 to create a magical moment for the afore-mentioned children to remember, please keep track of the announcement of the Office of Student Affairs. We shall send details of the programme through mass email in due course.

Don't miss the chance to work with the real Santa Claus from Finland!

Student Counselling and Development Service



Questions or comments? Email the SCDS at scds@cuhk.edu.hk or call 3943 7208

Student Development Programmes

Development workshops are offered to facilitate students' personal growth and self-enhancement. In November, the following workshop will be conducted for postgraduate students:

Theme : Enhancing Personal Effectiveness (修心養德 勝券在握)

Date : 22 November 2011 (Tuesday)

Time : 6:30pm - 8:30pm

Venue : Rm 710, Mong Man Wai Building
Target Audience : Postgraduate hostel residents

Quota: 50

Enquiry : 3943 7208 (Ms Flora Kong)



A Life-Saver: Mental Health First Aid (精神健康急救基礎課程)

With the belief that it is important to strengthen our resilience and equip ourselves to cope with life's challenges, a 12-hour Mental Health First Aid Standard Course will be organized in December 2011. The Course is especially offered to full-time postgraduate students.

The Course will enable participants to:

- Learn about the basic knowledge of depression, anxiety disorders, psychosis and substance abuse.
- Anticipate the possible crises which may arise from these mental health problems and proceed with the necessary intervention.
- Learn about community resources and help the person involved to seek professional treatment and make use of suitable resources.

Qualification acquired: Participants who complete the 12-hour MHFAS Course will be awarded a "Mental Health First Aid Standard Course

Certificate" issued by the Mental Health Association of Hong Kong and acknowledged by ORYGEN Research Center of

the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Melbourne.

Mode of Learning: Lecture, group discussion, video demonstration, role play, exercise, etc.

Target Audience : Full-time postgraduate students

Dates : 6 · 9 · 13 & 16 December 2011

(Tuesdays and Fridays; 4 x 3-hour sessions, 12 hours in total)

Time : 6:00pm - 9:00pm

Venue : Rm 710, Mong Man Wai BuildingQuota : Max. 30 (first-come-first-served)

Language of Delivery: Mainly Cantonese

Instructor : Student Counsellors, Student Counselling and Development Service, OSA

Course Fee : HK\$ 60.00 (Including Manual and Certificate)

Enrollment & Payment: Postgraduate Halls **Enquiry**: 3163 3123 (Ms Hsi)



Graduate Recruitment Talks

Below are a few messages from the recruiters for your attention. For further details and online registration to the talks, please go to https://webapp1.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/wrs/public/login.aspx?AppID=13)

MSCI Inc.

Date of Recruitment Talk: 22 November 2011 (Tuesday)



MSCI is a leading provider of investment decision support tools to over 5,000 clients worldwide – ranging from large pension plans to boutique hedge funds. We offer a range of products and services —including indices, portfolio risk and performance analytics, and governance tools — from a number of internationally recognized brands such as Barra, RiskMetrics and ISS. For more information about MSCI Inc., please visit our website www.msci.com.

We believe the talent and passion of our people is critical to our success, and that recruiting and retaining superior talent is key to retaining our industry leading position.

MSCI offers unique and diverse opportunities for career development and enhancement. We offer a fast-paced yet collegial environment, which is created through global teamwork and close working relationships with different levels of management. You will be given extensive responsibilities and will be challenged intellectually.

Full time and internship opportunities are available at MSCI Inc. in multiple business units across our global locations. If you are in your penultimate or final year of studies and keen to find out how it is like working in MSCI Inc., sign up for our upcoming event on campus.

Come and join the career talk to learn more!

ING Life Insurance Co., (Bermuda) Ltd

Date of Recruitemnt Talk: 28 November 2011 (Monday)

Graduate Opportunity: Corporate Leadership Programme (Non-sales Role)

Application Deadline: 23 December 2011 (Friday)



The programme is designed to create the leaders of our future. It is a fast track programme to bring you to our middle tier of management in 2 years' time, during which you will be sent to different departments to learn the business, receive professional training, and mentoring from senior executives, take an overseas assignment and visit ING companies abroad. Every trainee will be assigned a mentor – a senior ING executive from whom you can gain knowledge, skills and experience. Your receiving manager in each assignment and HR Professional will also coach your development throughout the programme.

We will be present in your campus to talk about your career opportunities. If you consider yourself an ideal candidate, please send us by e-mail your full CV, with details of academic results, qualifications and any other achievements, to recruit26@ing.com.hk.

To find out more about the Corporate Leadership Programme, please visit our website at www.ing.com.hk

Standard Chartered Bank

Date of recruitment talk: 30 November 2011 (Wednesday)



At Standard Chartered, we are seeking bright minds with big ambitions to join us as we lead the future of banking in the world's most dynamic markets. Our graduate programmes will set you off on the right path, accelerate your career with real responsibility and real experience from day one.

Our Consumer Bank International Graduate Programme is designed to equip Masters students with the knowledge and skills to quickly move into a leadership position. Whether it's leading a team, running a budget or delivering transformational change for our customers, we expect you to lead as soon as you graduate.

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