As always, please remember to check your Catamount email regularly.

If you would like to contribute information, an event, or an announcement (personal or professional!) to MBA Weekly, please submit to the MBA office by Mondays at noon.

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MBA Program Announcements

• MBA Program in Asheville – The MBA director and program coordinator can be available at UNCA this Wed, Jan 26 beginning at 2:30pm. If you would like to make an appointment, please email kumcintyre@wcu.edu.

• MBA Program on Facebook and Twitter! Help us cut down on emails and still get up-to-date information and reminders from our office.
  Facebook: Western Carolina University MBA Program
  http://www.facebook.com/home.php?#!/pages/Western-Carolina-University-MBA-Program/110713338999770
  Twitter: @wcuMBA  http://twitter.com/#!/wcuMBA

Opportunities


• Summer Internship – Mission Hospital. The pet therapy program in the Integrative Healthcare department at Mission Hospital will have an opening to host a summer intern from May – August, 2011. Applications will be accepted through Mission Hospital’s Human Resources department and are due by April 15th. Interested students should contact Lauren Abe, Workforce Development Specialist in Human Resources by phone at 828-213-4222 or via e-mail at lauren.abe@msj.org

• Summer Fellowship - Environmental Defense Fund Climate Corps Public Sector Fellow. Paid fellowship in Durham, NC - $1000/wk for 10 weeks. Deadline is Feb 11, but positions are appointed on a rolling basis so apply early! See previous MBA Weekly for attachments.

• Internship – Blueprints for Business. Flexible internship hours in business consulting, with Ron Sanga, MBA alum. See previously MBA Weekly attachments at http://www.wcu.edu/27772.asp for more information.

• Graduate Research Symposium - Thursday, March 24, 2011 in the University Center. Deadline to submit a proposal is February 21, 2011. Those who graduated in December are also welcome to participate. For more information and to register, go to http://www.wcu.edu/1149.asp.
• **2011 Graduate Liberal Studies Regional Conference – April 8-9 at UNC Asheville. Deadline to submit a proposal is February 1, 2011.** The Master of Liberal Arts Program at the University of North Carolina at Asheville invites you to submit proposals. See previous MBA Weeklys at [http://www.wcu.edu/27772.asp](http://www.wcu.edu/27772.asp) for attachments.

**Student Resources**

• **Library Resources - Betsy Clementson, MLIS**

Betsy’s February Forsyth office hours will be Tues, Feb 1 and 15 from 12:30-1:30pm in the student lounge (2nd floor).

MBA Research Library Resource Guide – [http://researchguides.wcu.edu/MBA](http://researchguides.wcu.edu/MBA). Contact Betsy at [clement@wcu.edu](mailto:clement@wcu.edu) or 828.227.3413.

• **Career Services**

MBA students have access to a host of career services through both WCU and UNC Asheville's Career Center.

_WCU Career Services_ - [http://career.wcu.edu](http://career.wcu.edu)

_UNCA Career Center_ - [http://www.unca.edu/career](http://www.unca.edu/career)

**GBSA Activities**

• **Welcome MAcc students!** We have Angi West, a MAcc program representative, on our GBSA board, and expect to see more than a few faces from the Accountancy program at First Friday.


• **First Friday.** We’re back! Come join us for the first First Friday happy hour of the semester! Friday, February 4 from 5-7pm at Olive or Twist, downtown Asheville.

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