

Arts and Sciences Career Services Newsletter

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1. UPCOMING A&S AND CORNELL CAREER SERVICES PRESENTATIONS

- 3/3 Tips on Finding Internships – Student Panel, 5:00 p.m., Lewis Auditorium, Goldwin Smith
- 3/4 Vanderbilt Accelerator Program Information Session, 4:35 p.m., Kaufmann Auditorium, Goldwin Smith
- 3/4 What to Do When You are on Reserve or Wait-listed at Law School, 4:35 p.m., 103 Barnes
- 3/5 Internship Opportunities with Cornell Cooperative Extension, 4:30 p.m., 153 MVR
- 3/5 Vanderbilt Accelerator Program interviews by registration in G55 GSH, no later than Tuesday, 3/4, 4:00 p.m.
- 3/6 Presidents Council of Cornell Women (PCCW) Alumnae Career Panel, 4:35 p.m., HEC Auditorium, Goldwin Smith
- 3/6 Alternatives to Veterinary School, 4:35 p.m., 145 Warren
- 3/6 Churchill Scholarship Information Session, 4:35 p.m., Library, 103 Barnes
- 3/6 Terri Ann Lowenthal’81, Strategist, Consultant and Business Manager, 6:00 p.m. dinner seminar by registration in G55 GSH
- 3/8 PCCW Women’s Networking Luncheon, limited to junior and senior women, on-line registration required by March 1:
<http://www.career.cornell.edu/careerConnections/pccw.html>
- 3/10 HCEC Registration 2008 for 2009 Acceptance, Step II, 5:00 p.m., 103 Barnes (repeated 3/11)
- 3/25 It’s Not Too Late: Senior Job Search, 4:35 p.m., 142 Goldwin Smith
- 3/27 Interviewing with the HCEC and the Interviewer’s Perspective, 4:35 p.m., Lewis Auditorium, Goldwin Smith
- 3/28 Planning (AAP) Alumni Career Forum, 2:30 – 5:00 p.m., Hartell Gallery, Sibley
- 3/29 Career and Calling, 10:00 a.m., 114 MVR, Pre-registration required; e-mail dhm8@cornell.edu by March 28
- 3/31 Dan Gross’89, Columnist and Nonfiction Author, Munschauer Career Series Speaker, 4:35 p.m., HEC Aud., Goldwin Smith
- 3/31 Dan Gross, 6:00 p.m. dinner seminar on careers in newspaper, magazine and book publishing, by registration in G55 GSH

2. March 2008 ON- and OFF-CAMPUS CAREER FAIRS and networking events

<http://www.career.cornell.edu/careerFairs/cuevents.html>

NONPROFIT CAREER NETWORKING FAIRS: <http://www.career.cornell.edu/publicService/careerFairs.html>
Limited admission, open to Cornell students: March 7 in NYC; March 14 in Boston, March 28 in Philadelphia.

THE NACE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT VIRTUAL CAREER FAIR: <http://asp.symphlicity.com/nacelinkvcf/>
is free to international students at NACE-member schools (Cornell is a member) who: wish to return to their home country for full-time or internship opportunities; are currently pursuing one-year Optional Practical Training (OPT) and/or long-term opportunities in the United States; are currently pursuing summer Curricular Practical Training (CPT) internships in the United States. To sign up for the Career Fair, link to their Web site and fill out the form under "Candidate Registration". Once the registration is approved you will receive an e-mail with login instructions.

3. FINDING EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES and OCCUPATIONAL INFORMATION

Campus resources for summer, intersession and year-round research, academic and employment information:

1. Check your academic departments' and college career offices' bulletin boards, file cabinets, books and binders
2. Cornell Public Service Center, 200 Barnes Hall - <http://www.psc.cornell.edu/>
3. Cornell Undergraduate Research Program - <http://www.arts.cornell.edu/ur/>
4. Cornell Summer Programs - <http://www.sce.cornell.edu/ss/courses/off/index.php>
5. Cornell Student Employment Services, 203 Day Hall - <http://www.sas.cornell.edu/SES/home.htm>
6. Cornell Career Services Web sites and libraries in G55 Goldwin Smith and 103 Barnes Hall
<http://www.career.cornell.edu/jobsAndInternships/default.html>
7. Cornell Career Services CornellTRAK job listing system: www.career.cornell.edu – Check weekly for additions.
8. If you are work-study eligible, you can apply for funding through DY0: have up to 50% of your wages subsidized by Cornell. Application in 203 Barnes Hall or Day Hall. <http://www.career.cornell.edu/jobsandinternships/DY0/faq.html>
9. CU students' reports on their past summer jobs: <http://www.career.cornell.edu/surveysAndSalary/summer.html>

4. FELLOWSHIPS & INTERNSHIPS

What is a fellowship? Read overview and detailed descriptions at: <http://www.career.cornell.edu/fellowships/default.html>

Amnesty International USA Reebok Human Rights Summer Fellowship offers students ages 18-26 the opportunity to gain practical experience alongside international human rights leaders. Apply by March 4, 2008 to Reebok Fellowship Coordinator, AIUSA National Student and Youth Program, 600 Pennsylvania Ave., SE, 5th Floor, Washington, DC 20003, 202/544-0200x526. Download application from: www.aiusa.org/reebok.

Cornell in Hollywood Unpaid Internships: 2008 application deadline is March 15. <http://www.cornellclubla.com/cih.html>.

The Polaris Project works to combat human trafficking and modern-day slavery. They offer several semester and summer fellowships in Washington, D.C and a few summer internships in Los Angeles. Refer to: www.polarisproject.org. Summer Fellowship applications are due between April 18 and May 23. Early applications have preference. Polaris Project, P.O. Box 77892 Washington, DC 20013, Tel: 202-745-1001, Fax: 202-745-1119, E-mail: Info@PolarisProject.org and for the LA internships: LA@polarishproject.org or 213-388-2514.

The Washington Center for Internships and Academic Seminars is pleased to announce our special Campaign 2008 Academic Seminar website. This site contains information about our forthcoming programs at the Democratic and Republican national conventions, as well as the 2009 Presidential Inauguration program. A new online application is now available to make it easy to apply. <http://www.campaign2008.info>. The application deadlines for the convention programs are: Democratic National Convention, Denver, CO and the Republican National Convention, Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN Regular Deadline: March 1, 2008 (space guaranteed) Late Deadline: June 1, 2008 (space available basis).

5. ARTS & SCIENCES CAREER SERVICES

The Robert and Donna Paul Advising Center, G55 Goldwin Smith Hall, Cornell University
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- **Lisa Harris, Director:** advises humanities majors; A&S students interested in legal careers and law school applicants and students considering journalism and publishing careers.
- **Diane Miller, Assistant Director:** advises social science, foreign language and area studies majors; students interested in marketing, teaching and international careers; A&S students looking at gaining credit for internships.
- **Irene Komor, Career Counselor:** advises economics, mathematics, computer science, A&S biological and physical science majors; career counseling and testing for Arts undergraduates; advises students interested in advertising and PR.
- **Jennifer Perry, Administrative Assistant:** schedules advising appointments and coordinates A&S Dean's Certification letters for applying to law schools.
- **Student Career Ambassadors:** schedule advising appointments, offer assistance in the A&S career library and provide resume and cover letter critiques daily during the academic year – no appointment necessary. Schedule posted in office.