



## Career Services Newsletter

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### COLD MARKET, HOT ADVICE

#### Notes from the Director

Welcome to Spring Semester 2010 – a time for new schedules and new challenges.

If a job search is included in your list of challenges – the sub-category for that objective needs to be 'networking'. We would like to think "who you know" plays only a small role in obtaining the right position but, in this economy, you must not minimize the importance of great contacts.

The Office of Career Services offers many resources and events to assist you with your networking skills and in making professional connections (see the 'Upcoming Events' corner below).

Please visit us today at UC106, call us at 812-941-2275, or join us on Facebook (IU Southeast Career Services) or Twitter (IUSCareerServ)

#### Jobs and Upcoming Events!

These days, either you're looking for a job or know someone who is. Not only can you check out job postings through your CareerLink account, but you can also check out useful tips and resources on the Career Services website. Expect to find other recommended job search sites, resume worksheets, interviewing tips, upcoming job fairs and events, and much, much more.

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Psychology Internship Info Session – Wednesday, January 27, 2010, 12:15 – 1:15 pm in University Center North (UCN) 127

Journalism Job Fair – Saturday, January 30, 2010, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm at Ball State University

Volunteer/Internship Fair – Tuesday, February 9, 2010, 11:30 am - 1:30 pm, Hoosier Room – Get a FREE LUNCH and learn about volunteer and internship opportunities with local non-profit organizations! Game of LIFE – Friday, February 12, 2010, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, Woodland Lodge – Get a FREE LUNCH, play a round of LIFE and learn ways to gear up for a successful future! Open to all students.

Etiquette Dinner – Thursday, February 18, 2010, 5:30-7:30 pm, Hoosier Room - Learn business etiquette skills for dining and interviewing. The cost is \$10 and seating is limited. For more info or to RSVP call 812-941-2275.

Café Resume – Wednesday & Thursday, February 24 & 25, 2010 in the Bookstore Lobby outside the coffee shop – Professional HR representatives from local employers review resumes & offer suggestions.

Networking Event for Employer Connections – Friday, March 5, 2010, 8:00 am – 1:30 pm in Knobview. Learn how to meet & greet with employers in social settings. The cost is \$10. RSVP to 812-941-2275.

Education Job Fair – Thursday, March 11, 2010, 4:00 – 6:00 pm, Hoosier Room – Open to anyone interested in teaching, counseling, subbing, etc.

Business & Industry Job Fair – Thursday, April 1, 2010, 6:00 – 8:00 pm, Hoosier Room

Stay tuned...Check out the Career Services website ([www.ius.edu/CareerServices](http://www.ius.edu/CareerServices)) for more information regarding these events or to keep up-to-date on news and upcoming events.

#### Hot Internship Jobs available for spring....

We still have 89 positions available for spring....check some of these out:

-Sales and Marketing Internship-\$8.50/hr/part-time/Jeffersonville location

-Internal Audit Internship-\$11-12/hr

-Hoosier State Press Association Foundation/\$330 week stipend

-IT jobs/internships available at the Spring IT Career Fair in Bloomington, call Rosie Shannon at 812-941-2275 for more information!

Check out all of the paid and unpaid internships on our website—log into your account to view the 89 postings listed—please call the Career Services if you cannot view the jobs.

NOTE: Internship requirements do include at least a 2.5 GPA and junior standing

To learn more about internships, visit <https://www.ius.edu/careerservices/article/Internships>

#### Intern Corner

Congratulations to the 45 interns placed (so far) for spring semester!

STILL LOOKING? Even though the job market might seem slow, there are still great ways to get your foot in the door! Internships are the most secure way for you to become a permanent employee. According to Businessweek.com, more employers are searching through their intern inventory to fill new entry level positions. Ninety-one percent of PriceWaterhouse Coopers new full time positions were filled with former interns.

REMINDER: Just a brief reminder to all current Interns, please make sure you remember to fill out and return your Learning Agreements to our office...that includes: meeting with your faculty advisor, filling out the Learning Agreement forms and discussing what your advisor wants you to do for their grading process. Also double check the dates for the midterm evaluations to keep those on track. If you have any questions feel free to contact the Career Services office!