

Career Services This Week - Class of 2009
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Tip of the Week: Get started on your internship plans by attending an Internship Information Meeting. Learn about strategies for securing the internship you want and be introduced to the resources that can help you make it happen. Informal Internship Information sessions are held every Friday afternoon at 1:00 in the Career Services Library.

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1)
TRAY LUNCH - "LIFE AFTER COLBY AS AN ECONOMIC CONSULTANT"

Wednesday, October 3, 12:00 noon, Whitney Room, Roberts Union

Ever wondered what it's really like working as an economic consultant? Get first-hand information and advice from a 2005 Colby Grad Dave Acker who works as an Associate with CRA International. All students welcome to attend.

2)
WORKSHOP - FINDING A JOB IN THE OUTDOORS

Tuesday, October 2, 5:00 pm, Lovejoy 208

Seniors interested in possibly pursuing outdoor careers are invited to come learn about career planning and job search strategies for this industry. Learn about the application timeline, necessary qualifications, and resources available to help you in your job search from a Career Services staff member and an experienced industry professional.

3)
INTERESTED IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS GRADUATE PROGRAMS?

Attend a 5-School Panel and Q & A Session, Thursday, October 4, 12:00 noon, Cotter Union 111 (formerly lower Spa)

A consortium of five graduate professional schools of international affairs will travel to Colby to share information about their graduate degree programs. The program will begin with a half hour panel, followed by a Q&A session and then informal conversations with individual students.

The five universities and programs include:

Columbia University - The School of International and Public Affairs
Georgetown University - The Edmund A. Walsh School of Foreign Service
Johns Hopkins University - The Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies
Tufts University - The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy
Princeton University - The Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs

Open to all students interested in obtaining information about international affairs graduate programs.

4)

OCTOBER 7 RESUME DEADLINE - BEAR STEARNS

BEAR STEARNS- Stearns Summer Analyst Global Equities Internship Program

Candidates entering the Bear Stearns Summer Analyst Global Equities Internship Program will participate in a 10-week rotation program. On average Interns rotate through 5 different desks. The rotation program helps interns get familiar with the department's unique culture by experiencing life on the desk first hand. As Interns interact, shadow and work on projects with different members of Global Equities, they have the opportunity to learn about the variety of jobs available and the skills needed to be successful.

Interviewing sophomore and junior candidates in Boston on November 2. Complete details can be found at the Bear Stearns eRecruiting site - www.colby.erecruiting.com. Resume and cover letter must be uploaded and applied to eRecruiting by October 7. For complete details including job descriptions and contact information, visit eRecruiting - <http://colby.erecruiting.com/er/security/login.jsp>.

5)

GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL FAIR ON TAP FOR OCTOBER 10

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm, Cotter Union

Again this year, admissions representatives from over 90 institutions varying in size, program specialties, and geographic locations, will be at Colby to distribute literature, answer questions, and provide useful information about their graduate programs. Fields related to arts and sciences, law, public policy, international affairs, business, medicine, and social services will be represented.

Curious about who's coming? Need more details? Visit

http://www.colby.edu/academics_cs/resources/offices/careerservices/gradfairparticipants.cfm

6)

CRA INTERNATIONAL TO CONDUCT INFORMATION SESSION

Wednesday, October 3, 6:00 pm, Diamond 141

Charles River Associates is an internationally recognized economics and business-consulting firm. Analysts at CRA work closely with the company's senior staff on project teams. The position requires a solid working knowledge of economic concepts as well as command of a broad range of research and quantitative skills. CRA seeks highly motivated and energetic undergraduates who have majored in economics, finance, or mathematics, or who possess an interest in economics and a strong research background. To get a better understanding of the company and position, please join us at this October 3 information session!

7)

OPERATION WALLACEA

Dr. Kathy Slater of Operation Wallacea will be giving a presentation at **7:00pm on Thursday, October 4th** in **Olin Science Center, Lecture Theater 1**. The conservation group Operation Wallacea is currently looking for students to assist in biodiversity assessment and conservation management projects in Indonesia, Honduras, Peru, South Africa, Mozambique and Egypt. Operation Wallacea employ university academics from the US, UK and Canada to conduct research on the population dynamics and behavioral ecology of a range of herpetofauna, bird, bat, primate, mammal, fish, and invertebrate species in remote forest and marine habitats in the tropics. Students who join these projects have a unique opportunity to participate in real scientific research projects and work alongside an experienced team of academics. During the expedition, students learn a range of skills relating to biodiversity monitoring techniques, conservation management, bush/jungle survival and PADI dive training.

8)

FINDING A JOB IN TEACHING WITHOUT CERTIFICATION

Monday, October 15, 4:00 pm, Diamond 110

A liberal arts education has traditionally been excellent preparation for teaching, even if you do not plan to complete certification requirements. In addition to discussing opportunities in private schools, we will explore options in alternative public schools, teaching abroad and other fields that develop teaching skills.

9)

FOR TEACHER-TYPES... TABOR ACADEMY SUMMER PROGRAMS

Information Session Monday, November 26, 7:00 pm, Career Services Library
Interview at Colby Tuesday, November 27; Resume deadline via eRecruiting is Thursday, November 15.

Hiring students from all class years for the following positions: Academic Instructors, Residential Assistants, Counselors, Activity Head, Swimming Activity Head, Sailing Head, Events Coordinator, Office Staff. All positions require a large degree of flexibility. Candidates must be available to work from Monday, June 25 to Sunday, August 12.

10)

ODDS & ENDS

CORO FELLOWS PROGRAM IN PUBLIC AFFAIRS - an intensive nine-month, full-time post-graduate fellowship that introduces diverse young individuals to all aspects of public affairs. The program provides Fellows the opportunity to work closely with individuals and institutions that influence decision-making from a variety of sectors in the civic community. Coro is looking for outstanding leaders to apply for the 2008-09 Fellows Program class. We seek motivated candidates from all disciplines and careers. Our most qualified candidates are confident, energetic and open-minded. 68 Fellows are chosen annually to participate in one of our five center locations: Los Angeles, New York, Pittsburgh, San Francisco, or St. Louis. **The deadline for applications is January 11, 2008.** Visit <http://www.coro.org>.

INDUSTRIAL ECONOMICS, INC. OPEN HOUSE - all students interested in economics and environmental consulting career invited to attend. Friday, October 19, IEc headquarters, 2067 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA. Students may sign up at www.indecon.com.

VAULT VIDEO RESUME MAKEOVER CONTEST - Up to five lucky winners will win a professional video resume shot in the Vault studio, a written resume makeover by Vault career pros and a personal makeover at a top New York City salon. Your winning video resume and look will be featured on the Vault web site this fall - just in time for the autumn recruiting season! Deadline to enter is October 15. Visit <http://www.vault.com/membership/video-resume-makeover.jsp> to enter.

11)

HOT JOBS AND INTERNSHIPS...

IN eRECRUITING - <http://colby.erecruiting.com/er/security/login.jsp>

To login, use full Colby email address as your username and student ID number as your password. Complete your profile to view the "CALENDAR" of Career Services programs and events and search for full-time, summer, and internship positions.

Intern, The Pike School, Andover, MA

Interns begin coursework on Lesley University's main campus in June and finish the following July. During the academic year they are based on Pike's campus full time working closely with mentor teachers. In less than 14 months, they have taught and been carefully supervised in 2 classroom settings, earned their Master's degree in Elem. Ed. and received their Massachusetts Initial Licensure. This intensive program is designed for those individuals who want to apply theory with practice on a daily basis and be prepared for highly competitive jobs in both independent and public schools nationwide.

Park Ranger Intern, Grand Teton National Park, Moose, WY

Working in the field of natural history interpretation consists of positions that deal directly with park visitors. After completing a training session, the work involves answering questions at visitor centers and providing trip planning help at an information desk, researching, preparing, and presenting short guided snowshoe hikes and talks, leading children's programs, providing information to individuals you may encounter on trails or overlooks and completing a wide variety of special projects. Work in other divisions such as administration, resource management, visitor protection, and maintenance may be available to round out the internship experience.