ANNOUNCEMENTS

Student Spotlight Blog
It’s the first week of winter quarter, but Jillian is already six months into an internship with the Chicago Reader and loving it. In her new blog, Why I Love My Internship --And How You Can Love Yours, Too, Jillian learns from “Skilled and respected journalists” by “tagging along” to interviews with an array of character ranging from Egyptologists to Convicts, writes her first every theatre reviews, and anticipates a new challenge writing for the Chicago Reader food blog. Through it all she gains, “valuable insight into how to make an internship the most enriching experience possible,” as well as, “many valuable lessons about the journalistic process.”

Master Class with Brian Patacca
Brian is an actor, coach, host, and Northwestern alum. He is hosting a master class on the business of acting. Join him for a fast-paced, innovative day where you’ll align your career and life by learning the five tools every actor needs so that you can thrive in the business of acting. He focuses on creating an environment that is spontaneous and effective, while continuing to inspire your artistic spirit.

The master class will meet January 31st from noon to 4:00pm at Wallis Theatre. Check the EPICS blog for more information.

EXTERNAL PROGRAMS

Leadership Journey to Optimus!
Join EPICS as we visit the Optimus Chicago office on Friday February 28th from 9am - 1pm (includes travel time). Optimus is a creative services company. They shoot, design, edit, mix, color, and do whatever it takes to bring their clients’ ideas to life. With their home base in Chicago and a 2nd location in Santa Monica, they work with clients from concept to finishing.
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Internship Opportunities
The following are featured internship opportunities for SoC students broken down by market. To learn more about and/or apply for any of these positions, please login into SoConnect, where you can also view ALL available opportunities.

Los Angeles
- **Viacom Media Networks** - Viacom Winter/Spring Internship
- **Creative Artists Agency** - 2014 Summer Internship Program, Apply by 2/1
- **Film 44** - Film Intern
- **HBO** - PAID HBO West Coast Summer Internship, Apply by 2/28
- **NBC Universal** - Summer 2014 Internships-NBC News Group
- **Partizan Entertainment** - Production, Development, & GM Internships

New York City
- **Araca Group** - Theater Intern
- **Creative Artists Agency** - 2014 Summer Internship Program, Apply by 2/1
- **MCC Theater** - Development, Education/Outreach, and Marketing Internships
- **NBC Universal** - Bravo Communication Intern
- **Warner Brothers Pictures** - Promotions & Publicity Interns

Transportation to/from campus will be provided. To apply, all interested students should email epics@northwestern.edu with a resume and brief paragraph letting us know why they want to attend and/or how this will help them with their career goals or exploration.

The Araca Project 2014
The Araca Project is seeking innovative, enthusiastic and passionate theatrical entrepreneurs for their 2014 season! Selected artists will be offered an opportunity to produce their work in an Off-Broadway venue. Candidates for The Araca Project need to be graduates of the classes of 2004-2014 from a partner school such as Northwestern University. Whether you are a writer, director, or producer, get a team together to pitch your project!

Applications are due by March 14th, 2014. Visit the blog to access the application. For more information, please email EPICS Director Heather Trulock at heather.trulock@northwestern.edu.

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- Yes, the program is still happening and fully funded.
- The Indian Cinema Seminar open to all SoC undergrads and students enrolled in the MFA in Writing for Screen & Stage program (who have not already attended the seminar). All applicants must be a current student in Fall 2014 in order to apply.
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2014 Career and Internship Fair
Save the date for the Career and Internship Fair, which will take place April 16th!

1:1 Career Coaching Drop-Ins
Drop-In hours have started again for Winter Quarter. The EPICS Coordinator holds weekly drop-ins in Frances Searle, room 1-102. These meetings are 15 minutes in length, with no appointment necessary. View our website for more information.

University Career Services
In addition to the EPICS Office, we encourage you to meet with University Career Services for your career development needs. A list of the services they provide is here.

CAREER SERVICES

Chicago
- Allied-THA - Promotions & Marketing Intern
- Carnivale - Marketing & Communications Internship
- Lookingglass Theater - Development, Education, Graphic Design, Marketing, & Production Department Interns
- The Onion News Network - Graphics & Production Interns
- Trillium Productions - Freelance Assistant Editor
- WBBM-FM B96 - Promotions Internship

Other Markets
- Zadpro - Operations & Account Management Summer Internship (Chennai, India)
- Clear Channel Media & Entertainment - KDWB/Cities97 Promotions Intern (Minneapolis, MN)
- Creative Artists Agency - 2014 Summer Internship Program (Nashville, TN)
- Hearst Television, Inc. - Production Internship (Manchester, NH)
- NBC Universal - NBC News Group Summer Internships (Englewood Cliffs, NJ)
- The Dershowitz Group - Public Affairs and Strategic Communications Internship (Washington, DC)

QUESTIONS?
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