ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Internship Awards
Looking for summer internships and need additional financial support to make it happen? Check out the programs below that can assist you in funding your summer internship!

School of Communication Internship Awards
Two award programs are available for School of Communication students only! The Molotsky Internship Award provides funding for students interning outside of the Chicagoland area. The Hammerschlag Internship Award provides funding for students interning anywhere over the summer. Application deadline for both awards is Monday, May 12th, 2014. Visit our website for the applications and more information. Email epics@northwestern.edu with any questions.

Summer Internship Grant Program (SIGP)
SIGP is sponsored by University Career Servicers and is open to all Northwestern undergrads. SIGP provides a $2500 stipend to help support Northwestern undergraduate students participating in unpaid summer internships. Application deadline is Tuesday, April 15th at 12 pm. Click here for more information.

Student Spotlights
Kristin Chung is starting to feel like a marketing insider. She has a handle on her new job and has immersed herself in the fast-paced work environment of Starcom MediaVest Group. Read about her experience as a marketing intern, and learn some insider marketing jargon along the way. All part of her new Student Spotlight Blog: An Insider.

After six months at Chicago Reader, it’s finally time for Jillian Sandler to say goodbye. “As my time at the Reader comes to a close, I realize how lucky I am to have had so many unique opportunities,” says Jillian. Take a trip to an urban farm and the Oriental Institute in Hyde Park; read her first ever theatre and food critique, as she recounts some of those unique opportunities, in the latest Student Spotlight Blog: Bidding Adieu.
The Araca Project 2014

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Making a Difference: Working with Children with Disabilities

Are you interested in applying your School of Communication degree in a career that gives back and makes a difference? Come meet alumni and professionals to learn how you can make a passion for helping others your full-time job or an exciting volunteer opportunity. April 10th from 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm in Frances Searle, Room 3-417. For more information, visit our blog.

The Castleton Festival has grown exponentially since its first season in 2009, emerging talent and established professionals come together in a country retreat setting to present music, opera, and theater with fresh energy. Read more about this festival and their media internships available on their Employer Spotlight!

Employer Spotlight

Adult Swim Games has internship opportunities for Northwestern Wildcats. Check out the new blog post by Matthew Schwartz (Comm ’95) producer for Adult Swim. Matt knows what your thinking “Isn’t Adult Swim part of Turner Broadcasting, the entertainment and cable news giant owned by the Wall Street behemoth Time Warner? Ugh. This sounds like a bunch of slick corporate hooey.” But, as an intern with Adult Swim Games, you will be an integral part of the game development process, from the early pitch phase, to design, prototyping, testing, and publishing. Visit SoConnect to apply for this internship opportunity, deadline is March 8th.

The Araca Group is one of New York’s leading entertainment merchandising and production companies, with operations on Broadway and around the globe, and they’re looking for Northwestern students to pitch the next big off Broadway play! If you have a script and a team of talented actors, designers and producers, the application for 2014 is currently available at www.aracaproject.com.

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EXTERNAL PROGRAMS

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The Business of the Business: Film Development

Interested in a career in development? Learn what this career entails/how to break into the biz. Aspiring writer? How do you get your story/script heard? Relocating to LA post-grad? Gets tips for this transition from one of our own.

Join Industry Pro and SoC alum, Nikki Levy (Wedge Works/Fox Animation, DiNovi Pictures, Endeavor) as she shares her insight and expertise on these topics and more! Tuesday, April 8th @ 7pm, Annie May Swift Auditorium.

INTERNSHIPS/FREELANCE/FULL-TIME

Internship Program Info Session

Learn more about the School of Communication’s academic internship program and receive tips from David Downs, LA internship instructor, and our EPICS Coordinator/Chicago internship instructor. The info session will be Wednesday, April 9th @ 6pm in Annie May Swift Auditorium. Click here for more information.
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
- **College Humor** - Production & Post-Production Internships
- **NBC Universal** - Campus 2 Career Internship Program Summer 2014
- **OddLot Entertainment** - Production & Development Internship
- **Story Pirates** - Programming Intern
- **Viacom Media Networks** - 2014 Summer Internship Program
- **Warner Music Group** - Summer 2014 Internships

New York City
- **MCC Theater** - Development, Marketing, & Education/Outreach Internships
- **NBC Universal** - Campus 2 Career Internship Program Summer 2014
- **Northern Lights** - Production/Post Production Internship
- **Showtime Networks** - PAID Summer Awards Internship
- **Theatre Communications Group** - Internship Program
- **Turner Broadcasting** - Summer 2014 Internships
- **Viacom Media Networks** - 2014 Summer Internship Program

Chicago
- **Chicago Humanities Festival** - Development, Marketing, Programming, & Web Content Internships
- **Gene Siskel Film Center** - Media and Digital Marketing Specialist
- **Steppenwolf** - Apprenticeship Program & Multicultural Fellowship
- **Viacom Media Networks** - 2014 Summer Internship Program
- **CBS Radio** - 104.3 K-Hits Summer Marketing/Promotions, WXRT Radio, & B96 Morning Show, Afternoon Show, Promotions Internships
- **Intersport** - Social Media Intern

Other Markets
- **Adult Swim** - Summer Games Intern, Apply by 3/8! (Atlanta, GA)
- **AC Entertainment** - Summer & Fall Internships (Knoxville, TN)
- **Center Stage** - Summer Internships (Baltimore, MD)
- **Cleveland Play House** - Apprenticeship & Internship Programs (Cleveland, OH)
- **Peninsula Players** - Production & Administrative Interns (Superior, WI)
- **Southwest Airlines** - Fall 2014 Internships (Dallas, TX)

Freelance & Full-time Opportunities
Below are featured freelance & full-time opportunities that are now available on SoConnect. Log on to learn more about and/or apply for these opportunities.

- **CBS Radio** - Account Executive, National Sales Assistant & Sales Assistant positions
- **CBS WHBF-TV** - Account Executive & Local Sales Manager
- **Gene Siskel Film Center** - Media and Digital Marketing Specialist
- **Hyperfex, LLC** - Advanced Film Sound Designer and Mixer for Issue-driven Feature Film
- **Meltwater Group** - Media Consultant - International Management Program
- **Savannah College of Art and Design** - Writer
- **The Alumnae of Northwestern University** - Independent Video Project
**Hash It Out**
Hungry for help with your resume/cover letter? Feeling scrambled when it comes to your career plan? Come meet with EPICS on **April 4th from 10:30am - 1pm** in the Louis Hall Lobby. Grab a snack and take advantage of face time with EPICS staff to make sure you are connected to internships, events, and other opportunities. See our blog for more information.

**LA Internship Advising**
David Downs, our LA internship class instructor, will be on-campus on **April 9th from 12pm - 5pm** to hold appointments with students interested in exploring opportunities in the LA market. Sign-up for an appointment with David via SoConnect (instructions on homepage).

**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.

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*Photos from the 2013 Career and Internship Fair (Justin Barbin)*

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