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**CARROLL SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT**
**BOSTON COLLEGE**

**THIS WEEK**

AUGUST 27, 2017

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**this week EVENTS**

**MONDAY, AUGUST 28**

**First Day of Classes**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30**

**Dean’s Coffee**

*1:00-3:00 pm in the Fulton Honors Common*

Come meet the new Peer Advisors!

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1**

**Student Involvement Fair**

*10:00 am - 2:00 pm on the Stokes Lawn*
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

Labor Day - No classes

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

Last date for undergraduate students to add a course or drop a course or declare a course pass/fail online

Dean’s Coffee

1:00-3:00 pm in the Fulton Honors Common
Featured Guest Employer: EY
And the Peer Advisors will be doing resume critiques so you can be prepared for the Career Fair!

Resume and LinkedIn Profile Critique Night

5:00-7:00 pm in Thomas More Apartments - 2150 Comm. Ave.
Get a critique from an employer or alum in your field of interest!
Sign up on EagleLink.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Start@Shea Kickoff Event

7:00 pm in Fulton Honors Library
Interested in entrepreneurship? Join us for a panel discussion featuring entrepreneurs and venture capitalists working on innovative ideas and initiatives. Panelists:
- Nick Rellas, Co-Founder & CEO, Drizly
- John Burns, CEO, Breakaway Group
- Nataly Kogan, Co-Founder & CEO, Happier, Inc

Advising Deadlines

- September 6th: Last day of drop/add and to make a class pass/fail. Note: there is no extended deadline for making a course pass/fail. The only time you can change your course to be pass/fail is during drop/add.
October 2nd: Last day to drop a class in Fulton 315.

Introducing this year’s EY Peer Advisors!
This year we are excited to have 12 new peer advisors. Starting this week, they will be offering drop-in hours in Fulton 315. Stop by! They can help you out with last minute changes to your class schedule, resume critiques in preparation for the internship search, how to network effectively, what classes to take abroad, and more! The drop-in schedule can be found at www.bc.edu/carrollpeeradvisor.

Dean’s Office drop-in hours are back!
The Dean’s Office has drop-in hours every week to help answer your questions about courses, studying abroad, concentrations, or any other curriculum related questions. All drop in hours will be in Fulton 315

- **Monday**, 10:00am-12:00pm; 1:00-3:00 pm
- **Tuesday**, 10:00-12:00pm; 1:00-3:00 pm
- **Wednesday**, 11:00 am-12:00 pm
- **Thursday**, 10:00am-12:00pm; 1:00-3:00 pm

Dean’s Coffee

*EVERY Wednesday 1:00-3:00 pm in Fulton Honors Common*

Academic Planners are in!
First come, first serve – in Fulton 315!

**DROP/ADD FAQs**

How do I override into a closed course?
Override permission into a closed course is obtained only through the Department Chairperson of said course.

Can I pass / fail a course and how do I do it?
Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors are allowed to take a course pass/fail provided the course is an elective in A&S, LSOE, CSON. Pass/fail is declared during drop/add and may require permission of the instructor. The pass/fail option should be used sparingly (1 course) if a student is contemplating application to graduate school.

How do I arrange a course overload?
Students with a GPA of at least a 3.0 may register for a sixth course during drop/add.
this week CAREERS

Note: Not all available internships and jobs are listed here. For a full list of job postings, visit EagleLink at www.bc.edu/eaglelink

ATTENTION SENIORS:
Deciding whether to accept or reject an employment offer can cause considerable anxiety. It is important that you do not feel pressured to make a hasty and ill-considered decision. Please feel free to talk it over with Dean Amy Donegan, or one of the Career team members here in CSOM.

Should I accept my summer offer or keep interviewing?
If you had a good summer experience and are happy with the offer, you should accept. The reality is that campus recruiting will most likely be occurring beyond the point at which you have to accept. The bottom line is if you get another offer, you will never have as much knowledge about that job as you will have from your summer internship placement, there is more risk involved going with the unknown. Often students hold off on accepting, continue to interview only to end up accepting their summer offer. Collecting multiple offers takes opportunities away from classmates who do not yet have offers. This reflects poorly on BC from both the student and employer perspective.

If you are looking to change industries, then you should decline your offer and create a strategy for your job search. Do not take an offer that you are not excited about just because it’s an offer. You have worked too hard to settle at the very beginning of your career. Just be prepared to work at your job search and get help with your search, expand your resources beyond campus recruiting, networking with alumni will be an invaluable resource to use for this process.

Reneging an offer
If you accept your job offer either verbally or in writing, you have entered into an agreement with that employer. Do not consider accepting the offer and continuing to interview. This reflects badly on you and on Boston College. If you have accepted an offer and continue to interview, your EagleLink privileges will be revoked. You are better off asking for an extension. It is perfectly reasonable to ask, some employers will honor this and some will not but it does not hurt to ask.

Asking for a deadline extension
You may ask for an extension; the employer does not have to grant it. In highly competitive industries they really don’t have much incentive to grant you an extension.
Consider all the ramifications first. Make sure you have a concrete and appropriate reason for asking for an extension. Expecting to hear soon from another employer with whom you’ve interviewed is a legitimate reason. If you are just hoping to get more interviews, that's not a concrete reason.

Don’t wait until the last minute to ask for an extension; this looks like you don’t think ahead and may indicate that you might behave the same way on the job.

Be tactful and diplomatic in your wording. You will need to explain your reasons to the employer. Do not lie; they have seen this situation plenty of times before. They will be aware of what is going on.

The Campus Recruiting timeline policy for this current year is attached. The policy is only a suggestion from the Career Center, employers do not have to abide and if they are non OCR employers we have no leverage. If you do receive an offer from an employer that seems unreasonable please notify the Employer Relations team at the Career Center. (student.recruiting@bc.edu)

Are you interested in learning about case interviews for consulting and other industries? Don’t miss these important opportunities to prepare for the job search!

**Learn about Case Interviewing**

Many organizations are using case interviews, traditionally consulting was the industry that primarily used case but now it is being used by some financial firms (Citi for example) and some marketing/insurance firms.

**Do a Live Mock Case Interview with Marc Cosentino, author of Case in Point**

Marc Cosentino, author of Case in Point is doing Case Mock Interviews on September 11th and the morning of the 12th. Sign up your availability via this google doc. We will select these via lottery.

**Meet Fulton’s very own Consulting Industry Expert . . .**

"Raffi Grinberg is a former Bain & Company management consultant. He's also written the published math textbook The Real Analysis Lifesaver, worked as a product manager at Vanguard as well as a startup, and built the financial education app DollarsEd. Raffi
Raffi will be holding office hours every week and doing some consulting and case prep info sessions. See below for upcoming events:

**A Career in Consulting**
Tuesday, August 29th, 6-7pm workshop, Fulton 511
Learn first-hand what a career in consulting looks like from an ex-Bain employee, both in terms of your day-to-day work as an associate as well as your long-term trajectory

**Case Interviews Workshop**
Thursday, August 31st, 6-7pm workshop, Higgins 263
Learn more specific tips and tricks on how to succeed in a case interview, with plenty of live practice.

**A Career in Consulting**
Wednesday, September 6th, 4:30-5:30pm, Fulton 145
Learn first-hand what a career in consulting looks like from an ex-Bain employee, both in terms of your day-to-day work as an associate as well as your long-term trajectory

**Case Interviews Workshop**
Thursday, September 7th, 4:30-5:30pm, Higgins 225
Learn more specific tips and tricks on how to succeed in a case interview, with plenty of live practice.

**Additional Case Prep Resources...**
The following resources are available compliments of the CSOM Career Team to help you prep for case interviews:

- **CQI (Case Questions Interactive)**
  - [https://bostoncollege.cqinteractive.com](https://bostoncollege.cqinteractive.com)
  - Login using your BC email address and use the password: casequestions40
Video Vault walks you through several cases so you can see exactly how to do this and also practice.

- password: casequestions

Borrow a copy of *Case in Point*
- Dean Donegan has a limited supply of *Case in Point* for you to borrow. Stop by Fulton 315L

**Career Fairs: Save the Date**

**Public Accounting Career Fair**
Friday, September 8 | 1:30-4:00 pm in Heights Room
Meet with representatives from ~25 public accounting firms looking to hire both undergraduate and graduate students for full-time jobs and internships.

**Fall Career and Internship Fair**
Tuesday, September 12 | 1:00-5:00 pm in Conte Forum

**Work on Campus!**
The Boston College student call center is hiring students looking to sharpen their communication and negotiation skills. Eagle callers raise crucial funds for the University by contacting the BC community over the phone. This is a great position to have on your resume as it can strengthen your sales and communication experience. We pay $11.50/hour and offer flexible hours on weekday evenings and Sundays. If you are interested, please apply online at: [https://goo.gl/3Uz7PN](https://goo.gl/3Uz7PN)
Please reach out to the call center manager, Anyenda Inyagwa, at inyagwa@bc.edu if you have any questions.

**Save the date: Moelis & Company Information Session**
September 19th, Fulton 511, 7:00-9:00pm
Moelis & Company is a leading global investment bank which advises corporate and financial clients on M&A, restructuring and capital markets transactions. The firm was founded in 2007 by Ken Moelis, the former head of UBS Investment Bank, and completed an IPO in 2014.
The Boston office is seeking 2018 Summer Analysts and 2018 Full-Time Analysts. At this event, junior and senior bankers from the Boston office will be on-hand to give an overview of the firm and the Summer Analyst / Full-Time Analyst role.
**Internship Opportunity: Carbon Black HR**

Recognized as a "Top Place to Work" by the Boston Globe, Carbon Black offers the most complete software solution to prevent, detect and respond to cyber-attacks. Our entire team – from sales reps to intelligence experts – work hard in a collaborative, all-inclusive environment where good ideas and a positive attitude are the currency of success.

We are looking for a driven & professional local college senior to join us in HR over the Fall 2017 semester. We are currently at 70% growth, so we are looking for an intern to assist with HR operations and employee benefit programs in our fast-paced, high-energy team environment. This position has tremendous potential for growth as we may look to extend the internship through Spring 2018, and/or hire this person full-time upon graduation and successful completion of the internship.

We need someone who is exceedingly well organized, flexible, enjoys the personal interaction with others and can commit to a minimum 10-hour work week. The ability to work in a fast-paced environment with high efficiency and accuracy is crucial. Apply: [https://lifeatcb.carbonblack.com/job/CABLUS134/Human-Resources-Intern](https://lifeatcb.carbonblack.com/job/CABLUS134/Human-Resources-Intern)

**Internship Opportunity: Search Fund Accelerator (SFA)**

Search Fund Accelerator (SFA) is an innovative Private Equity firm designed to optimize a niche investment model known as the Search Fund. SFA provides support and committed capital to entrepreneurs seeking a single business to acquire and actively manage and grow as CEO. SFA’s Internship Program includes workshops and events to enrich the learning experience. The position is ideal for undergraduate students interested in pursuing careers in business, particularly in finance or consulting.

The Internship Program requires a commitment of 20 hours/week for at least 12 weeks. This unpaid Internship Program is open to current students who receive course credit from their university.

Responsibilities • Identify and evaluate potential acquisition targets  • Conduct research to identify and evaluate industry niches  • Interface with brokers and bankers to source opportunities  • Analyze financial statements, business models and other information in Confidential Information Memoranda  • Conduct due diligence on acquisition targets  • Recruit and train future SFA interns

Qualifications • Undergraduate student eligible to receive course credit for the internship  • An entrepreneurial, energetic, optimistic attitude  • Strong analytical abilities and attention to detail  • Excellent English communication skills, both written and oral  • A good understanding of financial statements

Apply at [http://www.searchfundaccelerator.com/interns](http://www.searchfundaccelerator.com/interns)
Apply for a BC Legacy Grant
Exploring Boston’s mental health crisis via a documentary. Visiting musicians who connect with patients in a hospital. Tackling immigration issues in Germany through onsite research. These student projects were made possible because of BC’s Legacy Grants.

BC’s Legacy Grants fund creative and innovative BC student projects that impact the lives of others—from individuals to whole communities. Projects that initiate change, that serve others, and that exemplify what it means to be “men and women for others.” If these projects inspire you, share your excellent idea and apply for a Legacy Grant. Fall applications are accepted October 1st – October 31st. Learn more and apply online at: bc.edu/legacygrants. Questions? Contact Meghan Dunn at meghan.dunn@bc.edu.

Sales and Business Development Club E-Board Applications
The Sales and Business Dev Club is starting fresh and is looking for applicants to be part of the team! We are going to bring in guest speakers and representatives from Fortune 500 companies like Oracle come and talk careers. If you are interested in finding out more information, shoot us an email and we will add your name to the list. Reach out to us at bostoncollegesales@gmail.com if you have any questions regarding roles, responsibilities, or anything else. We are looking forward to hearing from you.

MindSumo and Wells Fargo Campus Analytics Challenge
MindSumo is a platform that provides real company projects for college students to help them develop professional skills and valuable experiences for resumes. We have worked with over 350 companies in the past and have over 300,000 students in our community.

This Wells Fargo challenge launches on September 1st, has a prize pool of $11,000 for the top 7 winners and the company also wishes to recruit students that send in the best ideas.

Wells Fargo Campus Analytics Challenge- What can you build better with us?
The data set for this challenge will be given once the challenge launches on September 1st. Students can register for it right away and will be notified once the challenge launches.
Want to stay on top of the latest events within the Carroll School?

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