



# November Newsletter

CAREER & COMMUNITY LEARNING

## Career Fair 2005

**Who:** Freshman, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors, Alumni, All majors  
(\*the afternoon interviewing session is reserved for Seniors and Alumni)

**What:** Guilford's BIGGEST Recruiting Event: **Career Fair 2005**

**When:** **Wednesday November 16, 2005**  
Information Session, 10:00am to 1:00pm (open to all students and alumni)

Interview Session, 2:00pm to 5:00pm

**Where:** The Empire Room, Downtown Greensboro

**Why?**

1. Investigate actual job openings
2. Discuss the possibility of a formal job interview at the afternoon Interview Session (seniors & alumni) or for a later time (all others).
3. Undergraduate students may also talk to employers about careers, companies, summer and part-time jobs, or internship opportunities.

You will benefit by bringing a supply of resumes and dressing appropriately for interviews. Employers will have company literature available for your information.

**No prior registration is required, just come!**  
**Need a ride? Call x2187 by Nov.14**

**Questions:** Contact Career & Community Learning (316-2187)  
Or visit our website for details, tips and a list of attending companies: [www.guilford.edu/careerdev](http://www.guilford.edu/careerdev)

## November Calendar Highlights

- Nov. 4** Japan Exchange and Teaching Program (JET) Info Session  
3-4 pm in Boren Lounge
- Nov. 7** Giving Tree Begins
- Nov. 10** Summer Opportunities Info Session  
3:30-5:00 pm in Boren Lounge
- Nov. 15** Peace Corps Info Session 7:00-8:00 pm in Boren Lounge AND  
George Warren Brown MSW Program (Washington University)  
Info Session 5-6pm  
Community Center
- Nov. 16** Career Fair, Downtown Greensboro Info? call x2187
- Nov. 18** Blood Drive 10:30 am -3 pm in Founders Gallery & Commons

# Internships



Did you know you could **live in Washington DC for a semester or a summer**, pay Guilford tuition and get Guilford academic credit??? You can if you are at least a second-semester sophomore and carry a 2.75 or higher grade point average. Participate in at least one of the many Washington Center Internship Programs! Although our nation's capital is the hot bed for political activities, there are MANY areas outside of politics in which students can gain rich, marketable internship experience. There are eleven thematically established undergraduate programs.

## Program

- 1) Advocacy, Service and Arts Program
- 2) American Leaders Program
- 3) Business and Information Technology Program Administration
- 4) Congressional Leadership Program
- 5) Cordova/Fernos Congressional Program
- 6) Governors Internship Program
- 7) International Affairs Program
- 8) Law and Criminal Justice Program
- 9) Mass Communications Program
- 10) NAFTA Leaders Program
- 11) Science and Policy Program

## Sample Placements

Amnesty International Child Art Foundation, The Smithsonian Institution, The Corporation for National & Community Service  
The World Bank, United Nations Association, Embassy of Canada  
Business Software Alliance, US Small Business

White House Office, Congressional Offices, Senate Committees  
Congressional offices of Resident Commissioner Luis Fortuno and, Senator Hillary Rodham Clinton, UNIVISION  
National Museum of Natural History, Merrill Lynch, US Mexico Chamber of Commerce, Bank of America  
US Department of State, Center for Strategic and International Studies, National Defense University  
US Attorney's Office, US Marshals Service, DC Office of the Public Defender, Federal Bureau of Prisons  
CBS News, USA Today, Talk News Radio, National Public Radio  
World Bank, Office of the US Trade Representative, embassies  
US Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Veterans Affairs  
Department of Health and Human Service  
Energy Regulatory Commission.

### **Why should you consider doing an internship?**

According to the Washington Center, "Good internships are prized by today's college students. These short-term work & learning experiences are critical stepping stones to professional success. When you intern, you test your interests, develop new strengths, and learn of opportunities and career paths. The experience you gain gives you an important edge in the competition for future professional employment and admission to graduate and professional schools. Internships are increasingly popular with employers, too. Firms that hire new college graduates now rank internships as their most effective source of new recruits...Increasingly, a significant internship is an essential part of higher education, and students who do not have one are at a disadvantage."

### **Why an internship in Washington DC?**

In addition to..." the rich intellectual and cultural diversity, Washington DC offers students an unparalleled number and range of internship opportunities. The nation's capital is home to thousands of corporations, businesses, embassies, volunteer organizations and interest groups, cultural and scientific organizations, law and lobbying firms, trade associations, and major media headquarters - not to mention the White House and federal government and congressional offices. It is by far the most professional city in the nation, with almost 40 percent of both men and women working in professional positions. It is a city of leaders - and future leaders - and for interns it is an unrivaled source of experience respected by employers worldwide. The city is fun, too!..."

For more information about The Washington Center, please contact Lisa Zaleon Tell, Internship Coordinator, Office of Career & Community Learning (336)316-2412 or ltell@guilford.edu.

# What's Happening in Community Learning...

**Involved in community service and activism?  
travel to meet other students who are also involved?**

**Want to  
Contact Kenyona**

**(Sunny) Matthews x2456  
if you're interested in attending either of the  
conferences below & would like to carpool with  
other Guilford students.**



**NC Campus Compact's Student Conference  
Nov. 5th at Appalachian State University in Boone.**

This annual student conference on service provides students an opportunity to share and learn about leading volunteer service, service learning, and civic engagement programs on their campuses.

Many of the workshops are student-led and provide practical models for strengthening service programs on campuses.

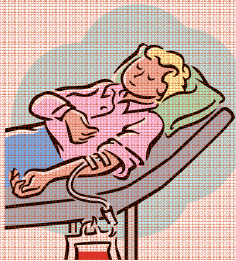
**The COOL Conference**

**March 3-5th at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, TN.**

The C.O.O.L. Idealist National Conference is the largest convening in the country of campus community members involved in service, activism, politics, and socially responsible work.

For 21 years, this conference has brought together student leaders and activists, campus administrators, and nonprofit professionals for three days of networking, storytelling, and learning.

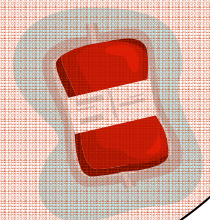
## Project Community Needs Your Blood!



Our annual fall **Red Cross Blood Drive**  
is **November 18th from 10:30 am - 3 pm**  
in the Commons & Gallery.

Sign up in advance with Project Community  
starting Nov. 7th.

**GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE!**



# CCE CORNER

**CCE students: as you read this newsletter and others, do you think that the information is probably not really meant for you?**

Do you think that you don't have time for the Career Fair or the Etiquette Dinner? Each and every event and program that we sponsor or co-sponsor is also produced with your needs in mind! It never hurts to come check out a job fair and see which employers are hiring this season -- even if you'll not be job hunting for a while! Consider it preliminary job research!

You never know when you'll be invited over to the boss's house for lunch or dinner, and if you go to the Etiquette Dinner, you'll then feel comfortable in any social situation in which you find yourself!

**From now on, when you read our newsletters and our Senior Scoop, remember, the information is intended for YOU! Make plans to attend all of the above! Need more information? Call 2187 or visit our website, [www.guilford.edu/careerdev](http://www.guilford.edu/careerdev) !**



## Giving Tree 2005



The Giving Tree displays the wishes of those in need in the community. Many families need help this year because they lost significant income due to layoffs, illness, and other unforeseen circumstances.



### Want to help?

Be on the look out for Christmas Trees all over campus. On each tree will be plenty of ornaments with personal requests for gifts.

Take as many as you like, and return your gifts wrapped or unwrapped to Project Community (located in lower level Founders Hall) by December 7th.

Monetary donations are also welcome.

Checks should be written out to Guilford College

*For more questions please contact us at [projectcommunity@guilford.edu](mailto:projectcommunity@guilford.edu) or call x2137*



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