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MESSAGE FROM OUR DEPARTMENT CHAIR

Welcome to the 2015-16 school year! To new students, we are so happy to have you in the ISSCM family. To all students, faculty, staff, alumni, and friends, the start of a school year is such an exciting time to meet new people and establish goals for the coming year. I'm writing to introduce this first, official ISSCM department newsletter. You will find news about the department, exciting achievements of our students, faculty and programs, and the plans we have for the near future. In addition to the department highlights, we now feature a Job of the Month section where we list current opening job positions relevant to both SCM and MIS students. I would like to invite you to be part of our dedication to a life-long journey of learning, leadership, and success with technology, analytics, and innovation!

Dr. Shu Schiller

DEGREE PROGRAMS & FACULTY

The Department of Information Systems & Supply Chain Management (ISSCM) offers the following [programs](#):

- B.S.B. Management Information Systems
- B.S.B. Supply Chain Management
- Minor in MIS, Minor in SCM
- Master of Information Systems
- M.S. in Logistics & Supply Chain Management

Learn more about our [faculty and staff](#) and two hundred and fifty [students](#).

SPOTLIGHT - NEW FACULTY: AMIR HASSAN ZADEH

Amir Hassan Zadeh is our new assistant professor of information systems. He is obtaining his PhD degree in management science and information systems from the Oklahoma State University. He holds degrees in both industrial and systems engineering and applied mathematics.

His overall research interests include areas of information systems, decision science, and operations management. His current research projects involve the use of big data technology in business analytics, social networks analysis, healthcare, and recommendation systems. He

has previously published papers in *Decision Support Systems*, *Production Planning & Control*, *International Journal of Advanced Manufacturing Technology*, *Annals of Information Systems*, among others, as well as presenting several papers at national and international meetings.

While teaching at Oklahoma State University, Amir received three awards including the Outstanding Graduate Teaching Associate Award, the Distinguished Graduate Fellowship (DGF) Award, and the Phillips Dissertation Fellowship Award. In his free time, Amir enjoys traveling and outdoor activities.

MASTER PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

On August 20th, 2015 we welcomed this year's new cohorts, the Fall 2015 cohorts for the Master of Information Systems and the Master of Science in Logistics and Supply Chain Management. We are excited to welcome the new students and look forward to their accomplishment in the programs. The students spent 4 days networking, working on simulations, listening to guest speakers, and enjoying the food! Students shared a beautiful weekend on Wright State University's campus, and started their first online course on Monday, August 24th. We wish the Fall 2015 Cohorts best of luck and look forward to seeing them again in January 2016.



Pictured above: Fall 2015 M.IS Cohort



Pictured above: Fall 2015 MSLSCM Cohort

DAVE - DATA ANALYTICS VISUALIZATION ENVIRONMENT

The brand new, 1000 sq. ft. facility on the second floor in Rike Hall is fully-equipped with professional hardware and software for business analytics that can transform data into valuable insights and visualization that can turn information into powerful stories. DAVE's mission is to support learning and collaboration. Students, you will gain hands-on experiences with analytics in the lab. Faculty, DAVE offers unique opportunities to answer your research questions. Industry partners, come to DAVE and discover how you can unleash the power of your business data. For more photos, visit our [Flickr](#) site.



FALL 2014 COHORT OUTSTANDING STUDENTS

Each year the faculty selects an Outstanding Student from each cohort. These Outstanding Students are chosen based on their academic qualifications, participation in the program, capstone research, and overall value added throughout the program. They will also be recognized at the university's Outstanding Graduates event later in the year.

Please join me in honoring this year's Outstanding Graduates:



Pictured above: Nathan Jackson, MSLSCM & Jerry Hensley, M.IS

FACULTY RETREAT

On Friday, August 30th, all ISSCM faculty and staff spent a day together at the department Faculty Retreat. Dr. Tim Kloppenborg, an experienced coach on strengths-based team building lead the group through the discovery of our own strengths as well as the understanding of others' strengths. Together, the department scores the highest on Strategic Thinking, followed by Relationship Building, Executing, and Influencing.



Pictured above: Faculty and guest speaker Dr. Tim Kloppenborg

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Fall Fest - Fri, Sept 4, 10am - 3pm
ISSCM Faculty Meeting – Wed, Sept 16, noon – 1pm
College Faculty Retreat – Fri, Sept 25, 9am – 5pm
ISSCM Advisory Board Meeting – Fri, Oct 2, 8:30am – 1pm
Raj Soin A Night of Celebration – Fri, Oct 2, 6pm
Speedway Runs on Technology – Mon, Oct 12, 6:30pm
Business Keynote on Sports Analytics – Wed, Oct 28, 1pm
DAVE Open House – Later Fall, stay tuned

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Senior Engineer - Network/Server Management, University of Dayton - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

This position will install, configure and administrate the University network and server monitoring systems. Position will provide in-depth knowledge of University Linux/Unix systems.

Supply Chain Process Analyst - Regal Beloit - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

This position will be responsible to facilitate and execute action plans, process controls, data corrections, technology expansion, and performance metrics to support key Supply Chain programs. Specific job responsibilities may include database maintenance and data mining activities; Monitor, analyze, and report key performance metrics; Understand and support Corporate and Supply Chain functional initiatives; Supplier communication and information gathering; Ability to motivate and drive Supply Chain activity through commercial program execution.

Software Service Engineer Intern - Gleason Metrology Systems Corporation - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

The software service intern will work with a team of service and software engineers and assist in the development and testing of software applications for Gear Metrology machines. The intern will be expected to support customers both internal and external in computer/software issues. Specific tasks will be assigned matching the intern's skill set to the on-going projects facilitating the intern's growth in the area of software engineering and service support. This is a part-time position looking for approx. 20 hrs. per week. Work will be during daytime hours (8 am -5 pm) Mon-Fri. Will coordinate around student class schedule. The position does not include any benefits.

IT Systems Engineer/Developer - Community Blood Center - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

Currently seeking a dynamic "IT Systems Engineer / Developer" to join our IT Team. In this role, you be part of a team that designs and supports complex IT systems for over 550 end users located in two main Dayton locations and satellite locations throughout the country.

Supply Chain Internship Program - Nestle Purina - Visit our [LinkedIn](#) page for Details

Nestle Purina is currently seeking candidates for our Supply Chain Internship Program. It is a fantastic opportunity for someone wanting to pursue a career in the industry. Below are just a few highlights of the program. We are currently seeking undergraduate and graduate students who will be graduating between December 2016 – June 2017 and are willing to work May 23-July 29, 2016.

This internship will provide interns with real life experiences of a supply chain position at Nestle Purina. During the internship students are provided significant coaching and mentoring to grow their skills and knowledge. Based on performance as an intern and the needs of the business, this internship can lead to a full-time Trainee position.

To learn more about the opportunity and to apply for the position, here is a direct link to the job

description:

St. Louis, MO: Click [HERE](#) for Link to Internship STL

Minneapolis, MN: Click [HERE](#) for Link to Internship MN

Bentonville, AR: Click [HERE](#) for Link to Internship AR

Scottsdale, AZ: Coming Soon!

Materials Supervisor - Gulf Shore Assemblies, LLC - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

Supervises the materials, planning & logistics in a professional manner insuring accurate and timely flow of information while optimizing use of inventory, minimizing costs of manufacturing and delivery.

Please send resumes to: recruitment@creativebi-llc.com

Senior Project Manager - RoundTower - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

The Project Manager role drives all aspects of project activity, including collaborating and coordinating across all RoundTower and Customer business segments. Manages project scope, defines work plan, resource needs, timeline and deliverables for RoundTower directed projects. The Project Manager manages project resources to complete project on time and within budget. Keeps project team and RoundTower leadership updated as to project status and risk factors. Ensures adherence to quality standards and reviews project deliverables for completeness.

Co-Op, Commodity Management - UTC Aerospace Systems - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

Area of Expertise: Strategic partnership and leverage of the supply base to meet the company's procurement requirements in terms of quality, delivery and cost.

Typical Roles/Area of Focus: Incumbent's responsibilities will generally focus on commodity management.

Freight Operations Coordinator North America, Transportation Expert - SEKO Store Development Services B.V. - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

Responsibilities: The primary responsibilities of this full-time position will include planning, quoting, routing, booking and tracking of Store Development shipments within North America. Daily work includes interaction with internal and external customers, agents and carriers. If you enjoy a fast-paced environment with unique transportation challenges, working with people in a high performing team, and creative problem-solving, then this is an excellent opportunity for you.

To apply, email your resume and cover letter to: Jobs.usa@sekosds.com

Supply Chain Project Coordinator, Store Development Expert - SEKO Store Development Services B.V. - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

Essential Duties and Responsibilities: include, but not limited to, the following:

- Successfully work within a collaborative team environment and lead by example.
- Multi-faceted store development project management as assigned by the Control Tower Manager or Director.
- Partner closely with customer project managers to effectively plan and coordinate all shipments from supplier to store site, which may also include managing warehouse consolidation for last mile delivery.
- Work with suppliers to obtain critical product information and coordinate orders to ensure on-time and in-full delivery.
- Work with SEKO transportation team to coordinate product pickup from suppliers.
- Work with site supervisors to coordinate delivery to store site.
- Evaluate and solve issues that may arise on a day-to-day basis to enable strong customer communication and ensure product gets to store in accordance with the store build schedule.
- Perform simple analysis as required on performance metrics, costs and other areas as required to improve best practices.
- Serve as primary point of contact on all assigned projects between customer, suppliers, site supervisors, SEKO transportation team and the Control Tower team.
- Develop and suggest process and system solutions in the interest of continuous improvement.
- Support Operational Process Reviews (internal/external) for continuous improvement.
- Comply with SEKO SDS's C-TPAT Security Profile.
- Uphold SEKO SDS's Core Values, Mission Statement, and Quality Policy.
- Develop an understanding of and affinity for retail store development processes.
- Develop knowledge of import/ export to BRIC countries and markets as needed.

To apply, please send a resume and cover letter to: Jobs.usa@sekosds.com

Data Analyst/Modeler - University of Dayton - Click [HERE](#) for Job Details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page

This position will be responsible for building reports that satisfy business requirements using the Ellucian Banner Operational Data Store (ODS) and Enterprise Data Warehouse (EDW) and, as well as, incorporating other data sources within the Cognos 10 reporting environment. This position will work with users to define requirements for simple to complex reports, cubes, and dashboards.

The Data Analyst/Modeler will build modules using Cognos 10 Report Studio and Analysis Studio as the primary reporting tool along with the Oracle 11 database. They will also create supporting Framework Manager data models, metadata, and SQL code. The Data Analyst/Modeler will be responsible for developing, testing, tuning, and deploying reports, dashboards, cubes, and events in support of client reporting needs. This individual will also provide assistance and support to end users who are using Cognos tools to develop their own reports.



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