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MESSAGE FROM OUR DEPARTMENT CHAIR

"This year, the Teaching Award in the Department of Information Systems & Supply Chain Management goes to ... Dr. Kevin Duffy!" "And the College Service Award goes to ... Dr. James Hamister!" When Dr. Raj Soini announced the awards at the College Appreciation Dinner last Friday, cheering and applause filled the dining hall. We are proud of our faculty and students, our achievements, and more importantly we want to invite you to be part of our future success. Please join us and share the moments of joy in this month's newsletter.



Dr. Shu Schiller, Department Chair

AWARDS

Congratulations to Dr. Kevin Duffy on winning the Teaching Award in 2015!



Congratulations to Dr. James Hamister on receiving the College Service Award in 2015!



MASTER PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Our two Fall 2015 cohorts got off to a great start this year. They have already finished their first course, and are going through their second class. Students started work with their advisors on their capstone projects. We are excited to see these projects being developed to transform organizations.

The staff is already busy recruiting for our next cohort in 2016! Are you or someone you know interested in getting your masters?

Click [HERE](#) to apply for Fall 2016.

Want more information about our MSLSCM program: Click [HERE](#)

Want more information about our M.IS program: Click [HERE](#)



Valerie Stueland
Director of Master Programs



Picture above: Masters Programs Fall 2015 cohorts Pilot Training on Orientation Day

FALL FEST

Students enjoyed food, games and entertainment while obtaining information about student organizations, campus departments and local communities during Fall Fest on Sept 4.



Picture above: Christeena Parsons (SCM Club President), Megan Gibson, Mona Almasoudi & Joshua Rowland (MIS)

Club President)



Picture above: Fall Fest in Full Swing on Sept 4

MIS CLUB

The first MIS Club Meeting took place on Sept 24th in the new DAVE lab. President Josh Rowland welcomed members and thanked Dr. Kevin Duffy for being the faculty advisor. The club elected a new VP, Robert Carnicom. Faculty Dr. Anand Jeyaraj, Dr. Amir Zadeh, and adjunct faculty Paul Hansford also attended the meeting to support the club.



Picture above: MIS Club meeting



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SCM CLUB

The first meeting of the SCM Club was held on Oct 1st in the DAVE lab. President Christeena Parsons welcomed members and new officers VP Carleigh Green and Treasurer Megan Gibson. The group elected their Special Events Coordinator, Clint Bachus. Faculty Drs. Jim Hamister and Larry Weinstein attended the meeting to support the club.



Picture above: SCM Club meeting

ISSCM ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

The [ISSCM Corporate Advisory Board](#) met on Oct 2nd. Faculty and board members discussed and proposed ideas and suggestions for student success, research collaboration, program innovation and growth.



Picture above: ISSCM Advisory Board Meeting



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Picture above: Christeena Parsons (SCM Club President) & Joshua Rowland (MIS Club President) presenting to the ISSCM Advisory Board

FACULTY RESEARCH SPOTLIGHT

We are pleased to announce the newest publications by our faculty:

Kevin Duffy, Anand Jeyaraj, Berkwood Farmer & Vikram Sethi (2015). Organizational Engagement with Supply Chain Integration: Achieving a Tangible Strategy. *Journal of Information Technology & Software Engineering*, 5(140).

Amir Zadeh, A. H., & Kasiri, N. (2015). Inventory Record Inaccuracy Due to Theft in Production-Inventory Systems. *The International Journal of Advanced Manufacturing Technology*: 1-9.

Zolbanin, H. M., Delen, D., & Amir Zadeh (2015). Predicting Overall Survivability in Comorbidity of Cancers: A Data Mining Approach. *Decision Support Systems*, 74, 150-161.

Kendall Goodrich, Shu Schiller & Dennis Galletta (2015). Pardon the Intrusion! Intrusiveness of Online Video Advertising and Effects on Marketing Outcomes, *Journal of Advertising Research*, 55(1), 37-50.

Russ Roysden & Shu Schiller (2015). Retooling for Success: A Case of VoIP Implementation at A Midwestern Financial Service Office, *Journal of Midwestern Association for Information Systems*, 1(1).

George Polak & David Rogers (2015). Decision-Making for Portfolio Optimization using Information Entropy, *The INFORMS Annual Meeting*.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

[Speedway Runs on Technology](#) – Mon, Oct 12, 6:30pm - 009 Student Success Center

[Honda: The Power of Dreams](#) - Tue, Oct 13, 5:30pm - Rike Lobby

[Business Keynote on Sports Analytics](#) – Wed, Oct 28, 1pm - Student Union Atrium

DAVE Open House – Later Fall, stay tuned

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Business Intelligence Application Consultant - Teradata - Click [HERE](#) for job details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page
This position will be a technical contributor on a BI solution delivery team that works with various Teradata corporate departments. The BI Application Consultant will specialize in the design and development of BI applications that use data from Teradata Databases (Teradata, Aster, Hadoop). The BI Application Consultant will be a member of a solution delivery team and work with other team members on-site, as well as team members in Teradata's off-shore development centers. BI Tools that will be used to build the analytic applications will consist of SAP Business Objects (BOBJ) tool suite – Webi, Explorer, Dashboards, Lumira, etc. Additional BI Tools may also be used over time based on analytic requirements.

Information Technology Director - Council on Rural Services - Click [HERE](#) for job details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page
Drive operational efficiency thru the utilization of technology and lead the IT Department, support the Council on Rural Services brand through website and graphic communications. IT leadership experience plus experience with both physical and virtual server environments, implementation of business application software and Microsoft certification or equivalent expertise. Knowledge of website communications and graphic communications a plus.

Network Security and Maintenance Administrator - Council on Rural Services - Click [HERE](#) for job details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page
Administer security and network maintenance in WAN. Associates in computer network security, classes in Microsoft preferred. One year in networking security preferred but not necessary.

Senior Business System Analyst - Red Hawk Technologies - Click [HERE](#) for job details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page
Red Hawk Technology is seeking an experienced Business Analyst to support the development of complex web and mobile applications that integrate with client enterprise applications. The BA will be responsible for working with client stakeholders to define functional requirements, systems integration requirements, and key performance indicators (KPIs). The BA will also be responsible for leveraging KPIs during post-launch solution evaluation to assess the performance and value delivered to the client. The BA will identify and recommend removal of barriers or constraints that prevent the full realization of the value to the client. Speaking to clients while representing Red Hawk Technologies as an innovative company is paramount and requires the candidate to possess clear verbal (soft) skills, excellent written communications (documentation, correspondence) as well as a high level of organizational skills and techniques. Candidates interested in this position must have 5 or more years of experience in a similar role and be able to provide examples of their failures and successes.

Operations Internship - J. B. Hunt - Click [HERE](#) for job details or visit our [LinkedIn](#) page
Gain exposure and understanding of basic transportation management principles. Become involved and participate in daily operational tasks including planning of freight; asset utilization; safety management; Department of Transportation (DOT) compliance; driver payroll; Customer Value Delivery; logistics management/analysis; driver supervision; profit-and-loss management; maintenance coordination. Gain understanding of industry trends and company initiatives as it relates to driver retention. Perform pertinent account-specific duties as required by customer. Perform other related duties as required or assigned.



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