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**Yale-NUS
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Welcome to the new campus and the start of the semester! We here at CIPE are excited about what we have in store for this year and the many opportunities we've developed for students. While we are always happy to see you, we know you don't always have time to stop by (though you really should come check out our beautiful new space) so we will be sending you our newsletter on a fortnightly basis. This will help you keep track of the activities and programs at CIPE as well as off-campus events. Plus, it's a way for us to highlight important information and deadlines as well as feature stories about your peers and our partners.

This newsletter lists many events and activities that are coming up but I want to signal a few. Freshmen: you've heard about Week 7 (and maybe even chose Yale-NUS because of it) and now it's almost here. Come to the **Week 7 Fair** in the Black Box Theatre on **Wednesday, 19 August at 1:00 pm** to hear from faculty members the adventures they have planned for this year. Also, every one of you has a CIPE advisor and you'll be hearing from us this month to set up a time to meet.

We're really looking forward to the **Summer Symposium** that's taking place on **Saturday, 22 August** at different locations around campus. Do plan to drop by between 10:00 am and 3:00 pm to catch a short film, listen to presentations, see a photo or talk to students about their research.

The **Leadership Certificate** is a unique opportunity that Yale-NUS offers and can be both an important learning journey for you and a way to develop your professional profile. Do come hear more to see if this rich and rigorous program is right for you at a pizza party on **Monday, 24 August at 7:00 pm**.

Finally, one of the areas where we are expanding our programming is in career services. As we get closer to having our first graduates, we want to make sure that you have opportunities to consider all your options for life post Yale-NUS, whether that's graduate or professional school, a job, a fellowship or something else. Over the course of the year, we will be working hard to bring you different kinds of programs like workshops, networking events, career panels and more so do stay tuned.

Trisha Craig
Dean of CIPE

For All Students

1) Summer Symposium

The experiences students have on CIPE summer programs are just too good not to share. From **10:00 am to 3:00 pm** on **Saturday, 22 August** the Summer Symposium will feature reflections, photos, sharing sessions, research posters and even a mini film festival by students. Drop by the Performance Hall, the Black Box Theatre and the Library to learn more about what your friends did over the summer.

2) Leadership Certificate Pizza Launch Party

We are throwing a pizza party on **Monday, 24 August** from **7:00 - 8:30 pm** (at the Elm Common Lounge on Level 2) to tell you more about the Leadership Certificate Program. The Certificate offers a pathway for students interested in structured leadership development together with a cohort of peers. Enrolment in the Certificate offers access to customized events and programs. Read more about the Certificate on our [website](#) and rsvp for the pizza party [here](#).

3) Sign up for 3 Leadership Courses

CIPE is offering 3 leadership courses next semester:

- **Inter-Group Dialogue** is a curriculum-based dialogue program facilitated by trained staff/faculty, and that meets weekly over 8 weeks. Participants explore their social and personal identities while critically examining dynamics of power, privilege, and inequity, as well as building skills for action. The course counts toward the elective requirement for the Leadership Certificate and is open to all students. Read more and apply [here](#) by **Tuesday, 25 August**.
- **Ignite!** is a multi-session program to help you discover your strengths and values, face your fears, set achievable goals, and increase your impact on the world. Whether you are already in a position of leadership or simply keen to grow in self-awareness, this program is for you. This course counts toward the elective requirement of the Leadership Certificate and is open to first- and second-year students. Read more and apply [here](#) by **Friday, 28 August**.
- **Leadership Fundamentals** is a multi-session course that offers broad exposure to foundational perspectives and skills in leadership studies. Topics covered include personal impact, relating and influencing, organizational effectiveness, civic engagement, and global citizenship. This course is a required component of the Leadership Certificate and is open to second- and third-year students. Read more and apply [here](#) by **Friday, 28 August**.

4) On-campus Jobs

The Student Associate Program (SAP) gives you the chance to gain valuable work experience on campus by helping faculty or administrative departments in their research and project operations. For the latest opportunities, click [here](#).

5) Concurrent Degree Programs

Did you know that Yale-NUS offers several exciting programs that let you earn your Master's degree in conjunction with your undergraduate studies? It's never too early to consider your future possibilities so while we list the info sessions for these degree programs under the Class of 2017 events below, if you are a freshman or sophomore interested in learning more, you are warmly invited to attend.

For Class of 2017

1) Penultimate Year Internship Info Session

What should third-year students expect as they enter the competitive world of securing a penultimate year internship? How can CIPE help reach your career goals? Come to this info session exclusively for third-year students to learn more about how you can prepare for the coming year. Refreshments will be provided.

Date: Monday, 31 August

Time: 7:00 - 8:30 pm

Location: Classroom 16

2) 5 Year Concurrent Degree Programs (CDP)

Third-year students may already have seen an email from Navid about upcoming deadlines for 3 Programs: The Master in Public Health at the Yale School of Public Health (YSPH), the Master of Public Policy with the Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy (LKYSPP), and the Master of Environmental Management or Environmental Science with the Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies (YSFES). Declare your interest in any of the 5-Year Programs by emailing Navid.Ladha@yale-nus.edu.sg by **Sunday, 30 August**. Info sessions for each program will also be held from Aug - Sep in Classroom 16. See below for details:

- The YSPH info session will be held on **Wednesday, 26 August** from 2:00 - 3:00 pm. More info is available [here](#).
- The LKYSPP info session will be held on **Tuesday, 1 September** from 12:00 - 1:00 pm. More info is available [here](#).
- The YSFES info session will be held on **Wednesday, 9 September** from 12:00 - 1:00 pm. More info is available [here](#).

For Class of 2017 and Class of 2018

1) Evaluations of Summer Programs

All students returning from CIPE Summer Programs should have received a link to complete an evaluation on their program(s). Please submit your responses by **11:59 pm Friday, 21 August**.

2) Study Abroad Info Session

Applications to study abroad in Semester 2 are due on **Tuesday, 15 September**. Join CIPE at this info session to learn about Semester 2 study abroad opportunities and the application process. Bring questions!

Date: Wednesday, 26 August

Time: 6:30 - 8:00 pm

Location: Tan Chin Tuan Lecture Theatre

For Class of 2019

1) Week 7 Fair

You've heard the hype and now it's time for the unveiling of your Week 7 opportunities! Please join us in the **Black Box Theatre** on **Wednesday, 19 August** from **1:00 pm - 3:00 pm** for our Week 7 Fair. Faculty will be presenting their Week 7 LABs and there will be a follow up Q&A session outside for you to ask your professors leading the Week 7s any questions about their projects. We will also be covering important information, such as how to submit your Week 7 preferences, so please make sure to put this in your calendars! We have a great selection of opportunities this year and we're very excited to share them with you at the Fair. See you all then!

2) Join the CIPE Student Advisory Committee (SAC)

We are looking for 2 first-year students to join our amazing CIPE SAC. As an SAC member, you will advise CIPE on our programming and serve as a bridge between CIPE and the student body. If you are still looking for reasons to join, click [here](#). Apply [here](#) by **Friday, 28 August**.

Off-campus Opportunities

Career Events

The following events will give you the chance to meet professionals and learn more about internships and full-time opportunities at various companies. Visit our Career Events page [here](#) for more information and to register. The page will be updated regularly.

Deutsche Bank Careers Event - Different Dimensions

Thursday, 27 August 2015, 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm. Open to second- and third-year students.

Bank of America Merrill Lynch (BAML) Campus Visit

Tuesday, 1 September 2015, 6:30 pm - 8.30 pm. Open to all classes and majors.

An Afternoon with Bain & Company

Monday, 7 September 2015, 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm. Open to third-year students only.

Goldman Sachs Diversity Networking Sessions - September 2015

8, 10 and 15 September. Open to third-year students only.

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- Ralph Waldo Emerson

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