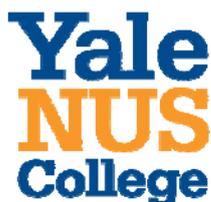


From: Centre for International and Professional Experience
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Subject: CIPE Fortnightly Newsletter



CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Greetings from CIPE,

Just like for all of you, the semester is in full swing for CIPE. Not only are preparations for Week 7 underway but we are also very much looking forward to the Student Research Symposium on Saturday. Come out to support your friends and classmates and hear about the research they did over the summer. It kicks off with breakfast in the Performance Hall Foyer at 9:00 am.

CIPE has also launched a new [website](#) where we've made it easier to find events and opportunities. Please take a look to see what might be there for you. If you are interested in helping CIPE and having input on CIPE's programs, do consider applying for a spot on the CIPE Student Advisory Committee. Applications are due this Saturday.

One of the ways that CIPE shapes its programs is through evaluations. We know that Yale-NUS students are asked for their views a lot and we appreciate that it takes time to respond. With that in mind, we want to thank you in advance and encourage you to participate in the surveys that CIPE is doing this month. Currently, we need the responses from those of you who were awarded a summer opportunity this past summer or who have ever had a language scholarship and in the next couple of weeks, we will be asking many of you about your future plans and how we can support them.

Meanwhile, the CIPE calendar is filled with events and activities related to internships, fellowships, concurrent degree programs, professional development and more. We are also happy to highlight two events put on by student organizations related to entrepreneurship and women in finance. For information about all of these, keep reading the newsletter or check out our redesigned website.

Finally, two reminders: if you are applying for a study abroad spot for next semester, applications are due this coming Sunday (September 10) at 5:00 pm. For freshmen, remember that your attendance is mandatory at the pre-departure briefing for Week 7. It will be held next Wednesday (September 13) starting at 2:00 pm in the Performance Hall.

Cheers,
Trisha Craig
Dean of CIPE

FOR ALL STUDENTS:

Professional Development 1: Productivity: Time and Task Management

If you think you don't have time for this session, then you need this session! Where does all the time go? Are you spending time doing the things that are important to you? Time and task management skills allow people to live more productive and less stressful lives. Join the Career Services team as we explore tools that help...but more importantly, the habits and human practices which make the tools effective. **Before joining the session, please take [this short survey](#)**, which we'll use to guide the session...and also place your lunch order.

Date: Thursday, 07 September 2017

Time: 11:30AM to 1:30PM

Venue: Classroom 15

Succeeding in the Hiring Process: Assessment Centres

What exactly is an assessment centre? Many organisations in a wide range of industries use assessment centres to test your "soft skills" such as interpersonal, multi-tasking, or conflict resolution abilities. This hands-on workshop will allow you to gain familiarity with this evaluation process as you practice activities both as a participant and evaluator, giving feedback as someone on the other side of the table. **Please RSVP on [Simplicity](#)**.

Date: Thursday, 07 September 2017

Time: 7:00PM to 10:00PM

Venue: Classroom 15

Rapid Resume Reviews

CIPE Career Services will be in the Elm Dining Hall during lunchtime every Friday to provide feedback on student resumes. Bring a hard copy of your resume to strengthen it before submitting for future applications! RSVP is not required.

Date: Friday 08 Sep, 15 Sep, 22 Sep 2017

Time: 12:00PM to 1:00PM

Venue: Elm Dining Hall

Summer Research Symposium

Join CIPE, students and faculty at this annual event, where students who pursued faculty-led or self-initiated research projects will showcase their work. Featured fields include economics, political science, environmental studies, urban studies, philosophy, psychology, neuroscience, biology, applied mathematics, astronomy, chemistry, and quantum physics. Come to learn about elves' impact on Iceland's environmental policy, the geometry of emotions, 3-D galaxy maps, and the cognitive powers of otters in the Singapore Zoo,

among others. **RSVP** [at this link](#).

Date: Saturday, 09 September 2017

Time: 9:00AM to 2:30PM

Venue: Performance Hall Foyer, Tan Chin Tuan Lecture Theatre, Saga Lecture Theatre 1

Programme:

Breakfast + poster presentation: 9:00AM-9:40AM

Multimedia presentations: 9:40AM-1:30PM

Lunch + poster presentation: 1:30PM-2:30PM

Applications Open for the CIPE Student Advisory Committee (SAC)

Have strong opinions about experiential learning programs and want to be involved in facilitating student inputs to shape CIPE programs? Then the CIPE SAC is the right group for you. We are looking for three members from the Class of 2021 and a few volunteers from the upper classes to be a part of the CIPE SAC this year. Please refer to the [website](#) for application details. **Application deadline: Saturday, 09 September, 5:30PM.** You may access the application on our website [here](#).

Leadership Ethics

Students will explore and reflect not only on personal, but organizational leadership:

- What is ethical, who decides, and how?
- Whose interest(s) is/are at stake, who determines, and how to assess?
- How to progress from being an ethical person to being an ethical leader?

This is a compulsory course for Leadership Certificate participants from the Class 2018 and 2019. All students are welcome to apply. For more information, or to apply, click [HERE](#). **Please apply by 23:59hrs, 10 September 2017 (Sunday).**

How to Ace Any Interview

Interviews are a critical part of competitive application processes, whether you're applying for a job, scholarship, fellowship or graduate school. Preparing and practicing are crucial to performing. This interactive workshop will walk you through guidelines for preparation, and give you opportunities to practice responding to common and curveball interview questions. The event is open to all students, but from Year 3-4 are especially encouraged to attend. Those who attended last year's Finance Fundamentals series (Module 5 &6) would only want to attend as a refresher/additional practice. **Please RSVP on [Symplicity](#).**

Date: Wednesday, 13 September 2017

Time: 4:00PM to 6:00PM

Venue: Programme Room 1 (In Library)

Heineken Challenge

This challenge is an invitation to all undergraduates in Singapore to make a change in the Heineken brand. The challenge culminates in Singapore, where the Winning Team travels to Amsterdam for the Heineken Experience and a cash prize of SGD1,500. On top of that, the Winning Team will receive a fast pass for the prestigious [Heineken Asia Pacific Graduate Program!](#) **The case will be released on 17 September and due 7 October 2017.** Learn more at www.heinekenchallenge.com.

Leadership Panel

Join us at our Leadership Panel to hear about leadership practices and insights from student leaders and other guest speakers. **Please RSVP via Symplicity by [12 September 2017 \(Tuesday\), 23:59hrs.](#)**

Date: Monday, 18 September 2017

Time: 6:00PM to 7.30PM

Venue: Elm Students' Commons

Princeton in Asia Information Session

"The essence of PiA is to provide transformative, service-oriented experiences for bright, talented graduates and to serve the needs of Asia as determined by our host institutions and Asian partners." Come learn more about Princeton in Asia and meet the Director of Asia Operations. This session is recommended for all Class of 2018 students considering an application in this cycle to PiA and want to more about the 2017-2018 placements in Southeast Asia and application procedures. **Please be sure to RSVP via the Symplicity event posting to secure a seat for the information session.** Lunch will be provided.

Date: Tuesday, 19 September 2017

Time: 12 noon to 1:00PM

Venue: Tan Chin Tuan LT

Writing for the Workplace

Communicating in the workplace can be very different from doing so in an educational environment. Many fresh graduates often find their well-honed ability to write prose is less suitable in a setting that demands concise, bottom-line messages delivered crisply on-the-spot. In this workshop, students will learn how to apply the Minto Pyramid Principle to adjust smoothly to working-environment demands. Students who will be writing business reports, executive summaries, emails, and backgrounders for client projects, internships, or future jobs are encouraged to attend. **Please RVSP on [Symplicity.](#)**

Date: Monday, 9 October 2017

Time: 7:00PM to 9:00PM

Venue: Classroom 15

Social Innovation Consulting: Making an Impact (with Eden Strategy Institute)

Interested in social innovations that create long-term profits in addressing the world's pressing issues? Join us as the Founder of Eden Strategy Institute shares about his experience working with clients in areas such as economic development, education, environmental conservation, global health, resource efficiency, and trade. The session will expose you to the breadth of ways to make a social impact through your career, and give you a taste of what it's like to devise social innovation strategies. Students of all years are welcome. Dress-code is business attire and dinner will be provided. **Please RVSP on [Symplicity](#) by 10 October 2017.**

Date: Wednesday, 11 October 2017

Time: 6:00PM to 7:30PM

Venue: Saga Students' Commons

Check Our Website for the Full List!

There are many more events happening off-campus including case competitions, please check <https://cipe.yale-nus.edu.sg/career-services/student/career-events/> regularly for the full list of opportunities.

FOR CLASS OF 2018:

Seniors, submit Your Look Book by 10 September 2017

To showcase the diversity of profiles and interests that our students have at Yale-NUS, the College is preparing a Look Book. The Look Book is intended to give an overview of our graduating students in a more personalised format than a traditional resume/CV, and will be shared with selective employers and partners to increase awareness and publicity of Yale-NUS students. We advise you to use a tone of professionalism when determining your writing style, as the target audience for the Look Book is potential employers. **If you expect to graduate by May 2018, please submit your entry here:** <https://cipe.yale-nus.edu.sg/student-lookbook/> If you have any questions or technical issues, please contact Nayoung.won@yale-nus.edu.sg

Rangel International Affairs Graduate Fellowship

Deadline Set for September 21, 2017

The [Rangel Fellowship](#) is a US Department of State run scholarship for US citizens pursuing graduate studies in the US. This program serves as a pipeline for those wanting to pursue a career as a Foreign Service Officer (FSO). The scholarship covers up to US\$37,500 annually for a two-year Master's program, as well as internship placements in DC and abroad, and strong mentorship from a current FSO. Students interested in applying should reach out to Charlotte Evans for further advising: charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg, and they can also contact the Rangel representative at rangelprogram@howard.edu. **Applications are due September 21, 2017 directly through the Rangel portal [here](#).**

FOR CLASS OF 2019:

P&G CEO Challenge

Are you excited about the opportunity to work on a live, independent business project that YOU OWN, LEAD and EXECUTE? [P&G CEO Challenge](#) is a 2-day program in October 2017 for penultimate year students of all majors with leadership potential. All CEO Challenge participants will have priority for an interview slot for P&G Summer Internship Program 2018. Learn more in [Simplicity](#).

FOR CLASS OF 2021:

Week 7 Pre-Departure Briefing

There is a mandatory Health & Safety Pre-Departure Briefing for students travelling outside of Singapore for your Week 7 where you will be briefed by the medical and security teams from International SOS highlighting tips and points to note on the countries you are visiting. CIPE will also be on hand to cover general questions and follow up with indemnity and medical forms during the session. Remember to bring your questions for the medical and security teams and a pen.

Date: Wednesday, 13 September 2017

Time: 2:00PM to 4:00PM (Be seated by 1:55pm)

Venue: Yale-NUS College Performance Hall

Logging into Symplicity

You may have noticed that many Career Services events now require registration through [Symplicity](#), which we use to post upcoming events and opportunities. Please refer to the [Symplicity Student Guide](#) for help with login and registration process. Students having trouble with Symplicity should contact amanda.lim@yale-nus.edu.sg.

FOR CLASS OF 2018 and 2019:

Semester Study Abroad Application Deadline

This is a gentle reminder that the **semester study abroad application deadline is Sunday, 10 September at 5:00pm**. The link to the online application and slides from the information session can be found on <https://cipe.yale-nus.edu.sg/study-abroad/semester-study-abroad/>.

FOR CLASS OF 2018, 2019 and 2020:

Summer Evaluation Survey

A final reminder - While your summer experiences are still fresh in your heads, we are hoping to gather your thoughts and experiences so we can continue to make our programs the best they possibly can be. If you participated in any CIPE program this past summer, including short programs such as LABs, please help us by **filling out the survey at [this link](#) by 23:59 on Wednesday, 13 September**. Your insights are truly invaluable and we appreciate any comments you have. Please email Annette Wu at annette.wu@yale-nus.edu.sg if you have any questions or issues with the survey and we look forward to reading your responses.

Credit Transfer for Summer or Semester

If you have done a summer or semester program and want to count the credits toward your major or minor, please note that it is mandatory for you to attend one of CIPE's credit transfer consultation sessions. The information is as follows. Please do not approach the faculty before attending CIPE's session which will give out the credit transfer form in hard copy and guide you to fill it in correctly when speaking to faculty.

If you want to count the credits toward your elective unrelated to major or minor, please send your official transcript to fangwei.goh@yale-nus.edu.sg. A soft copy suffices as long as it is the official transcript. You do not have to attend the credit transfer consultation sessions.

The credit transfer process goes through a few stages and takes time. Complete and correct submissions to CIPE by 6 October will have your credit transfer reflected on [MySIS](#) by the end of AY17/18 Semester 1. Submissions after 6 October will still be accepted and processed but the credit transfer will only be reflected in the next semester.

Credit transfer consultation sessions (Venue: CIPE Conference Room):

Thursday, 07 Sep 4:00pm-5:00pm

Monday, 11 Sep, 12:00pm-1:00pm

Language survey

If you have previously received a scholarship from CIPE to study a language during the summer, please keep a lookout for a short survey. We are keen to know your takeaways from learning a language.

Graduate School Panel Discussion (Sciences and Social Sciences)

If you are considering graduate school in the sciences or social sciences, join this session to hear from the experts – current professors and recently graduated PhDs. The session is open to all, and will be most relevant for students in Year 2 and above. **Register on [Simplicity](#).**

Date: Thursday, 14 September 2017

Time: 6:30PM to 8:00PM

Venue: Classroom 16

Study in Europe Higher Education Fair

Come to this event to learn about graduate programs, bond-free scholarships, internships and traineeships in the European Union. Recommended for all students, but especially for second years and above who are interested in postgraduate study. More info: See their [Facebook page](#).

Date: Saturday, 30 September 2017

Time: 10:00AM to 5:00PM

Venue: Suntec International Convention and Exhibition Centre Concourse Area, Raffles Boulevard Suntec City Singapore 039593

FOR CLASS OF 2019 and 2020:

Citi Markets & Securities Services Meet & Greet Session

Interested to know more about the APAC Citi Markets and Securities Services business and learn the tricks of the trade? Join the campus leads Adam Margolis and Li Lei from Citi's Singapore office for a meet and greet session! This up-close intimate chat will provide you an exclusive opportunity to learn more about one of the most challenging yet exciting sectors in the banking industry and shed light on our businesses and programs. **This event is open to Year 2 & 3 students only.** Dresscode is Business Formal and dinner will be provided. **Please RSVP and submit your resume on [Simplicity](#) by 08 September.** Selected students will be notified via email ahead of time.

Date: Tuesday, 19 September 2017

Time: 6:00PM to 7:30PM

Venue: Cendana Rector's Commons

STUDENT ORGANISATION EVENTS:

CIPE is pleased to help spread the word about two upcoming student-run events:

Entrepreneurship Bootcamp

If you are interested to start up your own venture but unsure where or how to start, come and learn from industry leaders at Entrepreneurship Bootcamp. Organized by Yale-NUS Entrepreneurship Society (YNES), you can expect a day of fun and enriching workshops on idea development, pitching, and fund-raising conducted by professionals in the industry.

The bootcamp is limited to 30 participants, so sign up here: <http://tinyurl.com/entbootcamp>

Date: Saturday, 16 September 2017

Time: 10:00AM to 6:00PM

Venue: Yale-NUS (exact locations TBA)

Women in Finance

If you are interested in: i) Learning how to succeed in the corporate world? ii) Networking with leading female figures in finance? iii) Learning how to make your mark in the world while still in college?

Women in Business has just the event for you! Following the success of our 1st conference, we are proud to present Yale-NUS College's 2nd Women in Finance Conference on September 19th, 2017 (6:30-9PM)!

Among the 1st conference's speakers were:

- Verena Lim (Managing Director of Macquarie Bank, Singapore)
- Jiaying Gian (Executive Director of Commodities, Morgan Stanley)
- Karen Loon (Partner of Assurance, PricewaterhouseCoopers)

This year we have MORE amazing speakers planned!

Informative speeches, enriching conversations and refreshments- an opportunity not to be missed! It is OPEN FOR ALL GENDERS. **Limited positions- hurry and sign up at <https://goo.gl/zwtToC>!**

For enquiries, contact Betty (betty.pu@u.yale-nus.edu.sg)

Date: Tuesday, 19 September 2017

Time: 6:30PM to 9:00PM

Venue: Saga Lecture Theatre 1

ON-CAMPUS OPPORTUNITIES:

Student Associate Program

The Student Associate Program gives all students a chance to apply for various positions on campus with faculty or administrative offices. Opportunities are advertised as they become available, and they range from research in the sciences, social sciences and humanities to roles in administrative support, photography, videography, event management and outreach, and many others. For more information on the program and how to apply, visit [this link](#).

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