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CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Greetings from CIPE,

Congratulations on finishing another semester, which we hope was productive and meaningful to you. We are looking forward to seeing you in the new year, but in the meanwhile, we hope you will enjoy some well deserved down time filled with family, friends and joy.

Some of you may wish to spend the break thinking ahead to the summer and it's a good time to check out the listings in [Symplcity](#). We continue to add opportunities so if you don't see anything that appeals immediately, do return to see updates. For those of you who are seniors and planning to apply for graduate school soon, do be in touch with a CIPE advisor if you haven't yet as deadlines are rapidly approaching.

Still, there is something to be said for taking the break to clear your head and at the end of the newsletter, we have some recommendations for books that the CIPE staff have either read and enjoyed or are looking forward to reading over break.

When we come back in January, do look at the CIPE website or talk to your advisor as we will be announcing LABS, some exciting new opportunities at Yale, new study abroad partners and summer projects.

Have a happy and healthy break. All best wishes for the New Year from all of us at CIPE.

Cheers,
Dean Trisha Craig

FOR ALL STUDENTS:

Looking for a Summer Internship?

Every year, CIPE curates a number of [internships](#) with employers who are seeking student interns for 8 or more weeks over the summer vacation period (May – July). The first wave of applications are due on 1 February 2018, and new internships are being added every week in [Symplcity](#) between now and January. Students are encouraged to thoughtfully prepare quality resumes & cover letters by referencing guidelines

posted on our [Career Resources Portal](#), and seeking feedback from the Career Services team before applying. In January, we will also offer several sessions of the Writing Killer Resumes & Cover Letters workshop and Rapid Resume Reviews to help with your applications (please register in [Symplicity](#)).

Opportunities range across a variety of roles and industries in and outside of Singapore, and all opportunities posted in Symplicity include support from the College for items such as travel insurance and eligible funding. Each posting in Symplicity also includes contact information about the best person from CIPE to help you with your application. For more information about CIPE-coordinated internships, please refer to the FAQs online: <http://cipe.yale-nus.edu.sg/summer-opportunities/internships>

Self-Sourced Internship Funding

While CIPE-coordinated internships span a wide range of fields, we invite and support [student-sourced internships](#) which may be better aligned with individual interests. CIPE will provide funding on a competitive basis to a limited number of self-sourced internships. The vacation period would be an excellent time to begin your application, research, and outreach process. Applications for penultimate year students (round 1) are now open, and due on 11 January 2018. Round 2 applications (for all students) will open in February. For more information, please visit our website at www.bit.ly/cipe-ssif or contact Nayoung Won at nayoung.won@yale-nus.edu.sg.

External Adviser Programme

CIPE's External Adviser Programme (EAP) provides students with access to external advisers who have a wide range of experience. Read more at <https://cipe.yale-nus.edu.sg/career-services/external-adviser-programme/>, or email Paul Wilt at paul.wilt@yale-nus.edu.sg to learn more.

Two new advisers added:

Vijay DESAI: A global citizen of the US, Canada, and India, Vijay Desai is an educator and entrepreneur who promotes effective and efficient problem solving, with a focus on success from planning through implementation.

Karthik KARKAL: With urban design experience in India, the United States, and Singapore, Karthik Karkal can talk to you about how smart collaboration and innovation solve problems on some of the biggest projects humans undertake—the design of their cities.

Yale-NUS Student Name Cards

A good first impression is important and having a name card enhances it. It will also facilitate follow ups after the meeting. If you are interested in having your own name cards, please fill in the [Yale-NUS Student Namecard Request Form](#) and submit it to the vendor directly. The printing process takes approximately 3 working days and an email notification will be sent to inform you once the name cards are ready for collection.

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:

Graduate School Advising

Graduate school deadlines for the 2018 cycle are fast approaching and if you plan to apply this year, we want to hear from you.

- Contact [Nilanjana Pal](#) if you are considering an MBA, US medical school or US law school.
- Contact [Charlotte Evans](#) if you would like to apply for a degree-granting fellowship ([see examples here](#)).
- Contact [Zhana Sandeva](#) for grad school in all other fields (research Master's and PhD programs; professional Master's that are not in business, law or medicine).

Thomas R. Pickering Foreign Affairs Fellowship application open

The US State Department is funding US\$37,500 annually for tuition, room, and board for two-year Master's programs in foreign service related degrees such as economics, public policy, international affairs, and business administration. [The program](#) also helps students with a domestic and international internship with the Department of State and overseas US embassy during the fellowship tenure. Employment in the Foreign Service after completion of the fellowship is included as part of the program. Applicants must be US citizens to be eligible to apply. **The application is now open and the deadline closes January 12, 2018.** If you would like feedback from CIPE, please email Charlotte to notify her of your candidacy: charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg.

NYU Shanghai Writing & Speaking Fellowship deadline January 05, 2018

[This fellowship](#) is a 10-month postgraduate experiential opportunity for those who are passionate about educating and providing writing tutoring to an international university community based in Shanghai. [Fellows work closely](#) in the academic resource center as well as on their own scholarship project and student life activities over the course of the fellowship. **The deadline is January 05, 2018 for the priority applications.** Students wishing to apply should email Charlotte to receive application feedback at charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg.

FOR CLASS OF 2018, 2019 and 2020:

Humanity in Action Fellowship application open

[HiA](#) is "an intensive, immersive academic program that brings together international groups of university students and young professionals to explore national historical and contemporary challenges of diversity and pluralism, with an emphasis on social impact and active citizenship. Yale-NUS sophomores, juniors, and seniors who are US citizens are eligible to apply to this program. The fellowships consist of two options: Europe focus in Amsterdam, Berlin, Copenhagen, Sarajevo, and Warsaw June 8-July 8, 2018 or a United States focus in Atlanta and Detroit July 10-August 5, 2018. **The deadline is January 08, 2018.** If you are applying, please email Charlotte to receive application feedback at charlotte.evans@yale-nus.edu.sg.

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](#).

WHAT WE'RE READING:

Here are some suggestions from members of the CIPE team about books they've really enjoyed or ones they're hoping to curl up on a couch and read over the break. If you read something that you really love, tell us! We're always looking for suggestions of great books.

Arundhati Roy's second novel *The Ministry of Utmost Happiness*. One of the CIPE team says she recommends it "to all our students who share a concern about the rise of the Hindu right in India. Even if you don't care about politics, it's an engaging and beautifully written story."

Another took Martin Seligman's FLOURISH on holiday and loved the inspiring stories of Positive Psychology in action. Seligman, a professor of Psychology at Penn, asks what is it that enables you to cultivate your talents, to build deep, lasting relationships with others, to feel pleasure, and to contribute meaningfully to the world.

The Dean is looking forward to reading Maya Jasanoff's new literary biography and commentary on Joseph Conrad, *The Dawn Watch*, and thinks it is especially interesting to contrast Conrad's era of encroaching globalization with our own.

Finally, one of us has Option B by Adam Grant and Sheryl Sandberg on the vacation reading list, figuring it will have important lessons about building resilience (which we could all use).

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