Dean's List
College of Business and Technology
Wednesday, January 30, 2013

Administration, Faculty and Staff:

Dr. Sri Seshadri, Marketing, received the distinguished alumnus award from his alma mater, National Institute of Technology Karnataka from among over 15000 alumni. He accepted the award at a meeting while in Dubai this past week.

Please remember next fall when I ask you to sign up for these slots on NTV and KGFW's Talk of the Town that this is the implementation of that request. We hope that the outcome is greater exposure to the community regarding what we do and the opportunities available in CBT. Thank you to all who have chosen to participate.

Students:
Take a look at a report/poster out by Janice Woods, Director of Internships and Experiential Learning, regarding where our 2012 seniors are now. The National Conference on Undergraduate Research at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse in April has accepted students from UNK who worked in collaboration with their mentors to design and conduct original scholarly projects over the past year. Over 3500 students from across the country applied to the conference. 100% of UNK applicants were accepted this year. That speaks very well for the quality of scholarly projects. CBT students and mentors are as follows:

Student: Justin Vogel, Mentor: Greg Broekemier
Title: "The Funeral Service Industry: Consumer Knowledge and Perceptions"

Student: Rebecca Swenseth, Mentor: Greg Broekemier
Title: "University Athletics Attendance: Determining Factors That Affect Students’ Decisions Regarding Attending NCAA Division II Sporting Events"

Student: Lisa M Klingelhofer, Mentor: Greg Broekemier
Title: "Keeping Downtown Businesses Involved and Vital in Development Organizations"

Student: Margaret Fennessy, Mentor: Michelle Fleig-Palmer
Title: "Selection of Creative Individuals Through Interviews to Facilitate Innovative Organizational Cultures"

Student: Amanda Swenson, Mentor: Michelle Fleig-Palmer
Title: "HEALTH CARE REFORM: THE IMPACT ON BUSINESSES AND
Take a look at the top Major Field Test Performers. Included in the “section 1” photo:
Danielle Meyer – Deshler, NE (her score was at/above the 75th percentile)
Ciera Neverve – Kearney, NE (her score was at/above the 75th percentile)
Marissa Niday – Fremont, NE (her score was at/above the 90th percentile)
Zach Schultz – Grand Island, NE (his score was at/above the 90th percentile)
Travis Arnold – Beaver Crossing and York, NE (his score was at/above the 90th percentile)
Kyle Glidden – Benkelman, NE (his score was at/above the 75th percentile)
Michael Runge – Waco & York, NE (his score was at/above the 75th percentile)
Ryan Skogg – Littleton, CO (his score was at/above the 75th percentile)

Included in the “section 2” photo:
Benjamin Fullerton – Neligh, NE & Albert City, IA (he scored at/above the 90th percentile)
Eric Rosenberg – North Platte, NE (his score as noted above was in the 99th percentile)
Joe Mannschreck – Cook, NE (he scored at/above the 75th percentile)
Jared Carlson, Eagle, and Brett Klein, Scottsbluff, also scored well.

Internships and Experiential Learning Highlight
Clayton Pfeifer, Senior in Management Information Systems, advisor Vijay Agrawal
Clayton is beginning a spring internship with Xpanxion, LLC, in Kearney, where he will work in software quality control. Xpanxion was founded in 1997, is headquartered in Atlanta, Georgia, with a large quality control center in Kearney, and is a leading provider of outsourced software and Business Process Outsourcing services. Clayton transferred to UNK from Central Community College during his sophomore year, where he was highly involved in extracurricular activities and some freelance technology projects, as well as maintaining his honor student status. While at UNK, Clayton has continued to excel academically while also seeking additional freelance projects, including maintaining Facebook sites for several small businesses and nonprofits, as well as for a candidate in the 2010 Congressional election. Clayton is thrilled to have the opportunity to intern with Xpanxion as it will allow him to gain additional experience in software testing and apply many of the fundamental skills he has learned in his coursework at UNK. Xpanxion has been a great supporter of internships with UNK as well as a strong recruiter at UNK career events.
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SPRING 2012 GRADUATES:
Where are they now?

Overall Placement Summary

Other statistics:
- In 2011, 74% of CBT grads who secured FT jobs were working in Nebraska.
- In 2012, 66% of CBT grads who secured FT jobs were working in Nebraska.
- 23% of May 2012 grads are in grad school:
  - UNK graduate programs
  - Creighton, UNMC, UNL, UNO
  - Univ of Minnesota, Univ of Notre Dame, Texas A&M
  - Law school, medical school, professional programs, MBA programs

Sample employers:
- 3E Company
- Applied Industrial Technologies
- Baldwin Filters
- Best Buy
- Buckle Corporation
- Crescent Electric Supply Co.
- Eaton Corporation
- FDIC
- Gavilon
- GE Energy Solutions
- Industrial Maid, LLC
- Intellicom
- Lincoln Journal Star
- MeyerWells
- Modern Woodman of America
- Molex
- Morton Buildings
- Nike
- Pioneer Seeds
- Plains Equipment Group
- Platte Valley State Bank & Trust
- PoolCorp
- Pramac America, LLC
- Principal Financial Group
- Sherwin Williams
- Sporting Edge
- Tonniges & Associates
- Union Pacific Streamline
- US Bank
- Valley Bank & Trust
- Valley Medical Management
- Veyance Technologies
- Waddell & Reed
- Walt Disney Company
- Werner Enterprises
- Womack Machine Supply

Starting salaries reported
$30,000 - ($43,000) - $56,000