April 2017

**Upcoming Events & Deadlines**

**April 14**
**On-the-Market Presentation Competition and Reception**

**April 18**
**Registration for FL2017 Begins**

**April 28**
**Last day of classes SP2017**

**Seminars – Faculty**

**Accounting Seminars**
Fri. Apr. 7 10:30 - 12:00 SH 113
Fri. Apr. 14 10:30 - 12:00 SH 113
Fri. Apr. 21 10:30 - 12:00 SH 113

**CRES Economics Seminars**
Thu. Apr. 6 4:00-5:30 SH 241
Thu. Apr. 13 4:00-5:30 SH 241
Thu. Apr. 20 4:00-5:30 SH 241

**CFAR Finance Seminars**
Fri. Apr. 14 10:30 - 12:00 SH 241
Fri. Apr. 21 10:30 - 12:00 SH 241
Fri. Apr. 28 10:30 - 12:00 SH 241

**Finance Brown bags**
Tue. Apr. 4 12:00 - 1:00 SH 241
Tue. Apr. 11 12:00 - 1:00 SH 241
Tue. Apr. 18 12:00 - 1:00 SH 241
Tue. Apr. 25 12:00 - 1:00 SH 241

**Marketing Seminars**
Fri. Apr. 7 11:00-12:30 BH 550
Fri. Apr. 28 11:00-12:30 BH 550

**BCSCL/OMM Seminars**
Wed. Apr. 12 4:30 - 6:00 KC 220
Fri. Apr. 14 9:30 BH 550

**Organizational Behavior Seminars**
No scheduled workshops

**CRES Strategy Seminars**
Wed. Apr. 19 10:30-12:00 BH 550
Wed. Apr. 26 10:30-12:00 BH 550

**Announcements**

**On-the-Market Presentation Competition and Reception**
Friday, April 14
Presentation: 2:00-5:00 pm - Bauer Hall 150
Reception: 5:00 - 6:30 - Frick Forum
This is a new event where On-the-market students will present their research for 10 - 15 minutes with a few minutes of Q & A. We will have 3 judges (Olin PhD alumni) judging the presentations based on the quality of the research and students’ ability to effectively communicate their research. There will be a significant monetary prize awarded. The judges will also engage in conversation with our current students in a panel session after the awards ceremony regarding the job market process and what to expect as faculty. There will be a reception immediately following the presentation event.

**Registration Deadlines**
April 3 - Last day to drop with a “D” Mini B courses and last day to drop with a “W” for full-semester courses - Graduate Business
April 7 - Last day to change grade option to “C”
April 10 - Last day to drop with a “W” for Mini-B courses - Graduate Business
April 18 - Registration begins for FL2017 semester
April 28 - Last day of classes for SP2017 semester

**PhD Accolades/Awards/Paper Acceptance**

**Dissertation Defenses**
You are invited to attend the following student dissertations in April:

**DBA**
Yong-Kyu (Kevin) Gam, Tuesday, April 11, 2017 - Simon Hall 109 - 10:00 am

**PhD**
Peter Haslag (FIN), Wednesday, April 5, 2017 – Simon Hall 241 – 10:00 a.m.
Kandarp Srinivasan (FIN), Monday, April 17, 2017 – Simon Hall 241 – 10:00 a.m.
Seung Hwan Jung (OMM), Tuesday, April 18, 2017 – Bauer Hall 550 – 4:00 p.m.
Steve Gray (OB) - Thursday, April 20, 2017 - Bauer Hall 550 - 10:00 a.m.

Congratulations also goes out to Gabbie Toniettto (MKT-CB), who successfully defended her dissertation in April

Congratulations to Diego Vega San Martin (FIN) who accepted an offer as Visiting Assistant Professor of Finance at Edwin L. Cox School of Business, Southern Methodist University
**Congratulations** to Chase Potter (ACCT) and his wife, Chantelle, on the birth of their daughter:

**Quinn Carleen Potter**
March 4, 2017

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**Olin Events**

**April 12, 2017**  
**BCSCI Operational Excellence Seminar**  
**John Stroup**, CEO, Belden  
4:30 - 6:00 p.m., Charles F. Knight Center, Room KC 220  
[Register Here]

**April 14, 2017**  
**Research Seminar**  
**Professor Rene Caldentey**, The University of Chicago  
9:30 a.m., Bauer Hall Room 550

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**You and a guest are invited to attend Olin Celebration Weekend!**  
Join Olin alumni, students and friends for our signature events

- Emerging Leaders Celebration | April 20, 4:30 – 7:00 pm | Emerson Auditorium  
- Celebrating Leadership at Olin | April 21, 7:30 – 9:15 am | Emerson Auditorium  
- **Distinguished Alumni Awards and Centennial Gala** | April 21, 6:00 – 9:30 pm | Mudd Field, Knight Hall & Bauer Hall  
[Register Here] by April 14!

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**WUSTL Events**

**Campus Wide Blood Drive – April 5**

*1 Day... 7 Locations... Countless Lives Saved*

One donation can save the lives of three people in our community!  
Sign up today to donate blood or volunteer at Washington University’s campus-wide blood drive! The drive will be held Wednesday, April 5th, and will feature seven locations and a variety of times to fit your schedule. Appointments are strongly encouraged, and they will help you get in & out sooner! To schedule your appointment, volunteer, or learn more, please visit [www.blooddrive.wustl.edu](http://www.blooddrive.wustl.edu)

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**Relay For Life**
Saturday, April 9, 6:00pm Francis Field Athletic Track
This 12-hour, overnight walk-a-thon is the university’s signature fundraising event for the American Cancer Society. The festivities will begin at 6:00 pm on Saturday April 9th. For more information visit RelayForLife

ThurtenE Carnival: April 21-23
ThurtenE was formed in 1904 as a secret society of men chosen for their leadership, character, and participation in campus activities. Membership varied in the early years from 4 to 14, finally settling into a consistent 13. Today the carnival serves as an incredible community event that brings together over 50 student groups to provide a unique and fun event for the greater St. Louis community. For more information, visit their website at ThurtenE Carnival

Graduation
The university-wide ceremony will be held on Friday, May 19, 2017 at 8:30 am. Olin’s Graduate Business Graduation Recognition Ceremony will be held at 3:00 pm. A reception in Knight Hall will immediately follow. Visit the WUSTL Commencement Web Site to learn more! Please share this link with your families so they can plan ahead, as well.

For the latest WUSTL news, visit WUSTL EVENTS

TipBits

Missouri History Museum Exhibit
#1 in Civil Rights: The African American Freedom Struggle in St. Louis
March 11, 2017 - April 15, 2018

#1 in Civil Rights: The African American Freedom Struggle in St. Louis examines the local civil rights movement and the city’s leading role in advancing the cause of racial justice. From ground-level activism to groundbreaking court rulings, St. Louis has been front and center in contesting racial inequities. #1 in Civil Rights uncovers a history that’s compelling and complex, but that all too often has been overlooked in the telling and retelling of the larger national narrative. That narrative includes four precedent-setting Supreme Court civil rights cases that originated in St. Louis—possibly the most to ever reach the High Court from one source. It also includes events and battles that had significant and lasting impact. Admission to this exhibition is FREE. For more information visit: http://mohistory.org/civilrights

ST. LOUIS EARTH DAY FESTIVAL
Earth Day, Every Day...for Everyone!
Sat-Sun, April 22-23, 2017
11 am – 5 pm
Muny Grounds, Forest Park
Free & open to the public | Family & dog friendly | Rain or shine!
Join in this community tradition to learn about sustainable products and services offered by local businesses and organizations, meet area non-profits that share Earth Day values, catch local musical acts and performance art, participate in a number of hands-on educational activities, and enjoy diverse cuisine featuring local, organic, vegetarian, and vegan options. For more information visit stlouisearthdayfestival

Visit Explore St. Louis to see more events happening in the area!