NEWS

Bryan Ritchie, Madison professor and director of the Michigan Center for Innovation and Economic Prosperity, is founder of MSU Enet, a new student business incubator and an entrepreneurship certificate program, connecting university and community resources into an innovation ecosystem for entrepreneurs.

Madison seniors Nicholas Pfost (SRP) and Alice Topping (IR) are members of the MSU Homecoming court. Pfost’s studies focus on Sex and Gender and International Relations and he is chairperson of The Alliance of Queer & Ally Students. Topping is minoring in Spanish, specializing in Peace and Justice is a resident mentor.

Madison in Photos. Fall has been busy at James Madison College. View photos of JMC freshmen participating in community service projects, the Alumni Student Pizza Welcome Night, and the dinner celebrating the life and career of Professor Jonas Zoninsein.

Submissions from the 2010 "Traveling the US and Abroad" photo contest can also be viewed. Thank you to everyone who submitted photos. We appreciated the wide-ranging subject matter and fine work of all submissions. Congratulations to first, second, and third place winners, respectively, Mark Cunningham (IR ‘94), Evan Fowler-Guzzardo (PTCD/IR ‘08), Bill Thebert (JMCD ‘81). Four honorable mentions are also noted.

First Place - Vietnam: Feel the Power

Alumnus Paul Long (Urban ‘88) was named President/CEO of the Michigan Catholic Conference. He has served the MCC as Vice President for Public Policy since 1994.

Alumnus Jasmine Gary (SR ’06) is featured on the MSU website in a new feature Spartan Sagas. Share your own Spartan Saga.

April Publius Print Available. Read the JMC Student Senate newsletter from April 2010 to see what Madison student leaders accomplished last year and a feature on the MSUMUN.

EVENTS

JMC Homecoming Weekend Events:
Join the JMCAA for the Annual Meeting and Alumni Reception
Friday, October 15, 4pm - 6pm
Hosted by Alumna Nicole Nystrom
Midwest Strategy Group, 101 S. Washington Sq., Suite 620, Lansing MI
Refreshments will be provided.

Annual JMC Homecoming Tailgate
October 16, 2010
9:00am to 12:00pm
Pompon team performs at 9:30
Case Hall
Don't miss this delicious brunch!
These events are free but please RSVP.

Founders Circle Luncheon
Friday, October 22, 2010, 11:45am
Kellogg Center, MSU
Featuring Flint Mayor and Madison Alumnus Dayne Walling
"Beyond the Rust and the Bust: Recycling Michigan's Cities for the 21st Century."
Click here to register

MSUAA Spartan Women's Luncheon in Washington DC
October 26, 2010, 11:30 am to 1:00 pm
Clyde's of Gallery Place
707 7th Street, NW
This continuing series of events brings MSU women together to meet, network, and hear about matters of current interest from some of the university's best and brightest faculty. To register for the luncheon and learn more about its featured speaker, visit the Web site. Rocky Beckett will attend on behalf of JMC.

Alumni Career Day
Saturday, January 29th 2011
If you interested in serving on a panel (Law, Business, Federal Government, Local and State Government, Nonprofit, Public Affairs), please contact Jaimie Hutchison at dandersj@msu.edu
Thank you to our Sponsors: Next Step Test Preparation, Anderson Economic Group, Public Sector Consultants, and alumni Ann Marie and John Lindley.

Contact Donna Hofmeister to RSVP at hofmeist@msu.edu or 517-353-9977 for more information.