Join Faculty and Students in Florence for an Alumni Study Abroad and Travel Program

June 9-16, 2013
Rome Extension, June 16-19, 2013

Register soon as space is limited!

This alumni travel program will coincide with Madison's student study abroad program in Florence, with classes taught by Madison professors. The trip will be managed by the experienced MSU Alumni Association travel program, Classic Travels of Okemos, MI, and Alumni Relations at JMC. Dean Sherman Garnett, and Professors Eric Petrie and Tobin Craig will lead the classroom activities. We will have two morning classroom sessions with students and faculty, discussing significant readings, such as the contrast between ancient and modern republicanism. Guided tours and day trips (that may join together alumni, students, and faculty) are included in the package, as well as a banquet for the whole group (including students and faculty). The 3-star hotel Palazzo Guadagni in Florence has been booked for just our group and is located in a noble historic palace from the 1500s in the Santo Spirito neighborhood. The trip will be limited to 20-30 individuals. A Rome side trip is also available for our group. Click here for more information and to register. Contact Kim Allan with questions.

UPCOMING MADISON EVENTS

JMC 10th Annual Alumni Career Day
Saturday, February 2, 2013
1:30 to 6:00
Case Hall, Club Spartan
Click here for details

Lansing Alumni and Friends Reception Everyone Welcome!
Saturday, February 2, 2013, following Career Day
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Harrison Roadhouse, East Lansing
Appetizers provided, courtesy of the JMCAA and the college, cash bar RSVP to Donna Hofmeister

Retirement Celebration for Professor Mohammed Ayoob
Friday, February 22, 4pm to 6pm
Centennial Room, Kellogg Center, MSU
Everyone Welcome. Contact Donna Hofmeister to RSVP or with questions. Professor Mohammed Ayoob, University Distinguished Professor of International
Relations, and professor at JMC since 1990, will be retiring June 2013. He is in his consultancy year this academic year. Professor Ayoob is featured in an MSU's Engaged Scholar, a publication of University Outreach and Engagement. The article starts on page 12.

JMC Student Senate Career Exposure and Networking trip to Detroit
March 22 & 23, 2013
The JMC Student Senate will be taking 25 students to Detroit, visiting the work places of Madison alumni and hosting an alumni/student mixer one night. Several alumni offices are scheduled but please contact JMC junior Greg Brown if you would be willing to host the mixer, know of a good location to visit, or if you would like to help in any way.

JMC Career Exposure spring break 2013 trip to CHICAGO
Sunday, March 3, to Thursday, March 7, 2013
Please join us:
* Sunday, March 3, 3pm to 5pm: JMC Student-Alumni Mixer, Dave and Busters in Chicago: RSVP
* Tuesday, March 5, 6pm to 9pm: Dinner and bowling with young alumni RSVP: YOUNG ALUMS
* Wednesday, March 6, 7pm to 9pm: Dinner with Lawyers and Lobbyists RSVP: DINNER WITH LAWYERS

College Events Calendar

FACULTY AND COLLEGE NEWS

Professor Cook's Year in Washington D.C. is Featured in MSU's Engaged Scholars
JMC Professor Lisa Cook's year as a senior economist on President Obama's Council of Economic Advisers is featured in MSU's Engaged Scholar. One of the most expansive professional development experiences for an economist is to advise the President of the United States. Cook had that opportunity recently, serving as a senior economist at the Council of Economic Advisers, focusing on the euro zone, macroeconomics, technology and innovation, and entrepreneurship.

Madison Academic Diversity Initiative
Are you an Alumna/as who lives in the Lansing/East Lansing area? Are you passionate about supporting current Madisonians? Do you believe in the power of diversity and how it benefits the lives of Madison students? If you answered yes to these questions, you are just the person we are looking for! The JMC College Office of Diversity Programming is excited to begin the Madison Academic Diversity Initiative (MADI) and we need YOU in order to be successful. One way, will be to participate in a community dinner with students. If you are interested, please contact Jasmine Lee, Coordinator of Diversity Programming.

ALUMNI NEWS

Alumnus Anthony Leiserowitz discusses climate change with Bill Moyers
JMC alumnus Anthony Leiserowitz, Director of the Yale Project on Climate Change Communication and a Research Scientist at the School of Forestry and Environmental Studies at Yale University, discusses climate change on Moyers and Company. Watch the video.

Alumni News Sought for the JM Scene Newsletter and JMC Website
News about all alumni is always welcome, to be used in newsletters and other college media. Send news about your career, education after Madison, and other life events, as well as photos, to Kim Allan.
JMC Alumni Blogs

The alumni blogs page has been posted. If you have a blog you would like to share with Madison colleagues and friends, please send the link to Kim Allan. The blogs do not reflect the views of James Madison College, but are provided as a courtesy.

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James Madison College at MSU offers sophisticated multidisciplinary programs in the social sciences founded on a model of liberal education and designed to prepare students for law school, graduate study, decision-making roles in public and private enterprise, and careers in government, media, politics, social services, public administration, education, business, and the foreign service. Students examine how public policy problems are identified, analyzed, and resolved in the US and globally. It is an unusual, exciting, innovative place where students and scholars examine and debate important public affairs issues.

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