

The HoHoSeMo

A semimonthly news update
Of the NKU Honors Program
September 30, 2008

IMPORTANT DATES AND NOTICES: Mark your calendars!

Honors All-Program Meeting

Wednesday, October 1, 2:00-3:30 pm in BEP 200

This is an important meeting with mandatory information for ALL Honors Fellows. Hear about spring courses and scholarship opportunities!

Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month

Friday, October 3, 12:00-1:15 pm in the Student Union Auditorium

Featuring guest speaker Dolores C. Huerta, farm labor activist.

Reception for Dolores Huerta 2:00-3:00 pm in the Honors House

Can't make the Huerta talk? Come to meet her afterwards in the HoHo Lounge.

Spring 2009 Graduation Deadline

Wednesday, October 8th is the deadline to file the paperwork necessary to graduate in May 2009. Seriously, if you intend on graduating in May, you must file this very important paperwork with the Registrar's Office. You must fill out one "Application for Undergraduate Degree Candidacy" form and one "Program Certification Form" for EACH of your academic programs (major, minors, concentrations) – including the Honors Program. If you are completing any Honors Program as part of your degree, you must complete a Program Certification Form for Honors, have it signed by Belle Zembrodt or David Kime, and return it to the Registrar's Office.

***NOTE:** Even if you have completed the Honors Program, the Honors distinction will not be on your transcript if you do not complete the Program Certification Form. And yes, we're saying this because it has happened! Graduation forms can be found at <http://registrar.nku.edu/facultystaff/studentforms.php>.*

Honors Advising

Feeling good and hungry (for knowledge), it's advising time! While capstone students should continue coordinating with Jodi Ferner, all pre-capstone students should meet with Honors Advisor David Kime or one of our outstanding Peer Advisors, Ashley, Audrey, Colleen, Jessica, or McKenzie. How do you know which one to meet with? It can't be simpler...just e-mail honorsadvisor@nku.edu and our advising team will let you know who your advisor is and when you can meet with him or her.

The Legend Lives On

All are invited to join the first meeting of an exciting new campus organization – The Blue Flannel Club. This club is dedicated to keeping the spirit of the legendary blue flannel alive and getting in touch with nature through fun, exciting, and educational regional field trips. The organizational meeting and election of officers will take place at 5:00 pm on Wednesday, October 8th in the Honors House lounge. A showing of the movie "The Descent" will immediately follow. Contact David Kime (kimed@nku.edu) or find us on Facebook for more information, or if you wish to join, but cannot make the meeting.

Future Leaders Internship Program (FLIP)

NKU and the Department of Political Science and Criminal Justice are pleased to announce applications are available to participate in the Future Leaders Internship Program (FLIP). All NKU students are encouraged to consider this excellent opportunity to intern in Spring 2009 in state government while earning 6 hours of college credit.

FLIP students travel to Frankfort, Kentucky and serve as legislative interns for elected Representatives, Senators or executive branch members during the General Assembly. In addition to learning more about the legislative process, interns broaden their professional network, meet influential Kentuckians, work on policy issues facing our Commonwealth, interact with constituents and learn about the inner workings of state government.

If this program is of interest to you, please download an application at <http://www.nku.edu/~psc>. The application deadline is October 10th. Please feel free to contact Dr. Julie Kunselman, kunselmanj1@nku.edu if you have any questions.

Fall 2008 Student Funding Opportunities...

The NKU Research Foundation is sponsoring two competitive student funding opportunities: The Student Undergraduate Research and Creativity Award Grant provides up to \$500 and the Graduate Student Research Grant up to \$750. Both initiatives must be supported by a faculty mentor. October 24 is the deadline for this competition. Visit <http://rgc.nku.edu> and link to "Student Opportunities" for details.

Get more information at the All-Program meeting on October 1 from 2:00-3:30 pm in BEP 200.

Get International without Leaving Campus!

Participate in International Education Week Events the week of Nov 17-21. To see a complete schedule visit The Office of Education Abroad website, <http://studyabroad.nku.edu/iew2008.php>.

Honors Capstone Presentations

Tuesday & Wednesday, December 2 & 3 in Budig Theatre

Support your fellow Fellows as they put the capstone on their honored careers!

Funny how someone you've yet to meet

Can teach you a lot about who you are...

Please come out to one of the following events at **Xavier University or University of Cincinnati** to hear first hand about the challenges and rewards of **Peace Corps** service:

Xavier University

Tuesday, October 7th

Information Meeting & Video

Gallagher Student Center, 3rd
Floor

Clock Tower Lounge

6:00pm

open to the public

On Campus Interviews*

All Day

Career Services Center, Room

310

University of Cincinnati

Wednesday, October 8th

Information Meeting & Video

Tangeman Student Center, Room
427

5:30pm

open to the public

Thursday, October 9th

On Campus Interviews*

All Day

Career Services

*To schedule an interview you must **submit an application by September 29th** @www.peacecorps.gov. The application process takes 9-12 months. Apply early to assure a timely departure. For questions about events or to schedule an interview: Carrie Teiken, cteiken@peacecorps.gov 800.424.8580, option 1.

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