Tuesday April 5, 2016

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Profit Share
Thursday, April 7, 2016
11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Join us at Glory Bound to raise funds for continued success of our PRSSA Chapter. Stop by at any time during the day on “Gyro Tuesday!” Bring a friend and don’t forget to mention PRSSA!

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2. Etiquette Dinner, April 7
5. Graduate Student Appreciation Week, April 4-8
The Graduate School will celebrate the accomplishments and contributions of Southern Miss graduate students and highlight resources that are available to them to help them successfully complete their degree program by hosting a series of events. Events will include:

- Open House and Hall of Fame Students Portrait Unveiling
  April 4 | 2-4 p.m. | McCain Library Second Floor

- “I Don’t Like the Other Grad Students in My Program: Am I a Bad Person?” Negotiating relationships of all kinds with peers in graduate department will be discussed.
  April 6 | Noon-1 p.m. and 5:30-6:30 p.m. | Luckyday Multipurpose Room

- “Leadership Development: An Exception to the Rule”
  April 7 | Noon-2 p.m. | Bennett Auditorium

- Copyright Seminar
  April 8 | Time and Location (TBD)

- Graduate Student Mixer/Social
  April 8 | 4-6 p.m. | R. C. Cook Lounge

6. CNBC Workshop Application Deadline, April 22
CNBC is hosting an invitation-only, interactive workshop at the 2016 NABJ and NAHJ Annual Convention and 2016 AAJA National Convention designed to educate aspiring journalists about the fundamental values of world-class business journalism and demonstrate the underlying strategies that define and differentiate CNBC in the marketplace.

But this isn’t just a workshop – it’s an opportunity to get noticed by CNBC.

3 participants will be selected at the end of the workshop for an opportunity to interview at CNBC Global Headquarters for a CNBC Business News Associate position.

To request an application to this free workshop, interested applicants should send their resumes and contact info to biznewsassociate@cnbc.com by April 22, 2016. We will review submitted resumes and send applications to eligible candidates. Due to the high volume of resumes we receive, we regret that we will only be able to send applications to attend the workshop to those in whom we have interest. Completed applications must be submitted to CNBC via email no later than 5:00 PM ET June 3, 2016.

7. Scholarship Opportunities

- The Auro Neely-Gary Memorial Scholarship, deadline April 15
The Aura Neely-Gary Memorial Scholarship Fund was established in 2007 in memory of Mrs. Gary by her family. Mrs. Gary’s strong commitment to education and self-improvement was the impetus for her family’s desire to establish this scholarship. The family wanted to honor her memory by providing a college scholarship to a person whose secondary school education may have been interrupted for various reasons or those who require assistance to continue their education. The fund awards one or more scholarships annually (depending upon the number of deserving applicants) in the amount of $2,000 based on merit and need to a male or female
student planning to enter a college or university in Mississippi. Preference will be given to students who desire to resume their education following a period of personal difficulties. Special consideration will be given for young women who had previously dropped out of school and are now enrolled at a postsecondary institution.

Apply for this scholarship at www.cfgj.org/scholarships

- Associated Press Sports Journalist Scholarship, deadline June 1
The Associated Press Sports Editors are sponsoring four $1,500 scholarships for collegiate sports journalists.

APSE, a national organization of sports editors, is awarding four scholarships to help motivate talented students to pursue a career in sports journalism. Collegiate sports journalists entering their sophomore, junior or senior years are eligible for the scholarship which will be awarded based on the students’ journalistic work, their academic record, financial need, and geography. The winners will be chosen by the APSE scholarship committee, which is chaired by Joe Sullivan, sports editor of the Boston Globe and includes editors from all sections of the United States. Deadline is June 1.

Please include the following information in your letter of application:

- Personal: Name, address, age, phone number.

- Academic: A copy of the student’s collegiate grades.

- Financial: A brief rundown of the student’s financial situation, with regards to how he/she plans to pay for tuition.

- Five examples of sports journalism (usually stories but could also be sections the student has edited), using either links or PDFs.

Email information to Joe Sullivan, sports editor of the Boston Globe at Jtsullivan@globe.com with APSE Scholarship in subject line.

If you need to use standard mail for academic information, send to this address:

APSE Scholarship
C/o Joe Sullivan, Sports Editor
Boston Globe
135 Morrissey Blvd.
Boston, MA 02205-2845

- Envision Kindness Photojournalism Contest
The Student Photography & Film Contest, which is now open for registration (submissions begin April 4, 2016) and concludes with announcements on June 30, 2016, is intended to engage student photographers and photojournalists in a nationwide community-building project in which they capture acts of kindness and compassion. These images will serve as reminders of all the good that occurs around the world on a daily basis, and serve as inspirational devices that promote subsequent acts of kindness from both participants and the public. To that end, the images will be used in our other efforts to promote and inspire kindness, including:

- Dispersion through our web and social media platforms
● In printed/published materials and for research purposes to better understand how images of kindness affect people

● Students will be eligible to win multiple cash prizes. Please see the brochure for much more detail, including the raffles for those who register and/or submit early! Students will have their work reviewed by distinguished judging panels in each of our submission categories. Some of the judges generously donating their time and expertise to this contest include:

- Documentary Still Images: Dan Beatty, Jim Dooley, and Ed Kashi
- Documentary Film: Chelsea Matiash, Elaine Sheldon, Lana Slezic, and Julie Winokur
- Illustrative Still Images: Alissa Everett and Vincent Versace

(More judges (and all judges' bios) will be announced shortly on our website)

More information, including the full contest rules, technical specifications, and registration form can be found on their website: [www.envisionkindness.org/programs](http://www.envisionkindness.org/programs).

8. Internship Opportunities

- **Mississippi Jr. Miss Program**
  The intern will research and design a web based template for the DYW of MS Program that will be used to provide communication through a newsletter format, set up a social media plan that DYW of Mississippi can utilize throughout the year to assist in contestant recruitment as well as program marketing. Must be organized, detail oriented, strong computer skills and is familiar with communication through several types of social media applications.

  For more information or to apply please email Ronald Collier at rcollier@multicountycsa.org

- **Mississippi State University Riley center**
  This intern will assist the MSU Riley Center-Education Department with educational materials, such as brochures, workshop forms, lesson plan resources for teachers, database. Must be able to use Microsoft Word, Excel, fax machine & copiers. Should be outgoing, honest, dependable, professional and articulate and possess excellent writing, communication and organization skills.

  For more information or to apply please email Charlotte Tabereaux at CTabereaux@riley.msstate.edu

Both of these internships are paid, the student will receive a $4000 salary for the duration of the 8 week internship program.

9. Job Opportunity

- **WGBC News Reporter**
  This position is for a news reporter who are the key "front-line" people in the news department. They are on-the-scene at every kind of event. Local news reporters must be excellent writers, capable of working quickly and accurately.

  Contact Susan Ross for more information susan@wmdn.net
• **WGBC Sales Assistant Job**
This position offers support to the sales staff and managers by handling much of the office work, including drafting proposals, which allows the sales staff to focus on meeting with clients and developing business.

Contact Susan Ross for more information susan@wmdn.net

• **WTOK- Creative Services Producer**
WTOK-TV, in Meridian, MS, is accepting applications for Creative Services Producer. Producer will be responsible for conception to completion of creative commercials and station promotions. Creative writing and communication skills and the ability to work under tight deadlines and flexible hours are essential. Responsibilities include web content production and implementation. Previous videography and editing skills, radio or TV experience, and extensive computer graphics experience is preferred.

To apply, contact Rachel Sloan, Human Resources, WTOK-TV 815 23rd Ave, Meridian, MS 39301 or email humanresources@wtok.com. Pre-employment drug screening and MVR check required. WTOK-TV is a drug free workplace, equal opportunity employer and also participates in the Homeland Security E-Verify program.