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Sunday Before Class
Mark your calendars for HSB’s Sunday Before Class! SBC is a chance to take a break, eat some free food, and hang out with your honors peers and relax before Dead Week; stop by for a bit or stay the whole time. The event will be held on Sunday, December 4th from

HONORS SEMINARS
Spring SEMESTER 2012

SEMINAR REGISTRATION FOR SPRING SEMESTER BEGINS
November 15th at NOON

Descriptions Can be found at: http://www.honors.iastate.edu/HonorsWebPage/current/seminars_s12.php

HON 322A, Socrates’ Cafe: Global poverty and Undernutrition 4651005
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LUNCH WITH A PROFESSOR

Professor: Betsy Hoffman, Executive Vice President and Provost
When: Friday, Nov. 18 at Noon
Where: 1550 Beardshear Hall

Would you like to network with an ISU administrator over a free meal? This special Lunch with a Professor session, put on in conjunction with Phi Beta Kappa, allows you to discuss what goes into running Iowa State University with Executive Vice President and Provost Betsy Hoffman over an informal, free catered lunch! This is the second of three lunches in the series for Fall 2011. Space is limited so sign up as soon as possible! Sign-up: In the upstairs office of Jischke by Wednesday, Nov. 16.

MEETINGS ON SUMMER RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

Meetings describing National Science Foundation’s Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) program and other summer research opportunities at ISU and elsewhere will be held on Wednesday, November 16 and Thursday, November 17, 2011 (students only need to attend one):

Wednesday, November 16
12:10 – 1:00 pm
Gold Room, Memorial Union

Thursday, November 17
5:10 – 6:00 pm
Gold Room, Memorial Union

A panel of faculty coordinating summer research programs and students who have participated in them will talk about how to find programs, application processes, and other topics related to undergraduate research.

MEETING ON COMPETITIVE LANGUAGE & POST-GRADUATE STUDY ABROAD SCHOLARSHIPS FOR U.S. STUDENTS

Students of all majors and years are invited to attend an informational meeting on competitive international scholarships. The meeting will be held from 5:10 – 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 15 in the Memorial Union’s Gold Room.

ISU coordinators for the Rhodes, Marshall, Fulbright, & Boren Scholarships will describe these prestigious and highly-competitive international awards, their selection criteria, and the types of study, activities and/or language training each supports.

The majority of these scholarships require applicants to be US citizens; international students may be able to apply for the Rotary or Fulbright Scholarship through their home country.

More information on the scholarships can be found at http://www.honors.iastate.edu/HonorsWebPage/current/scholarship_opportunities.php

Andy Albright Jingle Jog

The 5th annual Andy Albright Jingle Jog 5k will take place Friday, December 2, 2011 at 6:00PM. All participants will receive jingle bells for their shoes and are encouraged to dress in fun, holiday attire. Registration, the race route and other information can be found online on the Freshmen Council website (www.fc.stuorg.iastate.edu). Cash and checks will be accepted at registration and check-in, which will begin Friday, December 2, at 4:00PM in the Sun Room of the Memorial Union. Runners also have the option of charging the $20 registration fee to their U-bill, or paying by credit card. This event is open to the public and is hosted by ISU Freshmen Council. The majority of these scholarships require applicants to be US citizens; international students may be able to apply for the Rotary or Fulbright Scholarship through their home country.

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Are you looking for a way to be more involved with the Honors community at Iowa State? Would you like to gain valuable leadership experience in a fun environment? Do you have ideas about new events or programs that can better serve Iowa State Honors students? If you answered yes to these questions you should apply to be on the Honors Student Board (HSB) executive board in the spring semester!

Three positions are vacant and need to be filled: Secretary, Treasurer, and Student Outreach Chair.

All interested candidates must:

- have Tuesday evenings from 5:45 - 7:00 available in the spring semester

- e-mail his/her intention to run (with name, major, year, contact info, and position of interest) to HSB President Tessa Brow (tbrow@iastate.edu) by Friday, November 18

- attend the HSB executive board meeting on Monday, November 28, at 6:15 to give a three to five minute talk about why you are interested in the position, why you are a qualified candidate, and what new ideas you have for the future of HSB

All Honors students are welcome to apply and we look forward to the addition of new, enthusiastic executive board members!

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Be an FHP Leader!

Want to be a peer mentor for next year’s First-Year Honors students? This is your opportunity to gain leadership experience, acquire new skills, and make an impact on next year’s first-year students!

FHP Leaders receive 2 credits for their experience. You can read a full job description and download an application at: [http://www.honors.iastate.edu/HonorsWebPage/current/leadership.php](http://www.honors.iastate.edu/HonorsWebPage/current/leadership.php)

Applications are due Monday, December 5th at 4pm in the Jischke Honors Office. Interviews will take place in January, and training sessions will be held between February and April. Any current Honors student is eligible to apply.

If you have questions or would like more details, please contact Jamie Beyer at jbeyer@iastate.edu or call 294-4371. Don’t miss this amazing opportunity!