

## Important Dates

**Wednesday, December 5**

“What is Business Admin”

High School Recruitment Event  
6<sup>th</sup> Floor – Education Building

**Friday, December 7**

Faculty Council

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon in ED 623

**Friday, December 7**

EMBA End-of-Semester Party  
(Cohort 7)

**Friday, December 7**

Faculty & Staff Holiday Party  
Come and Go from 6:00–10:00 pm  
Sunlight Room @ Science Centre

**Saturday, December 8**

EMBA End-of-Semester Party  
(Cohort 6)

**Mon., Dec. 10 – Wed. Dec. 12**

CGA Coffee Event

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. on 6<sup>th</sup> Floor

**Friday, December 14**

Coffee Party

10:00 – 10:30 a.m. in ED 562

**Friday, December 14**

Children’s Christmas Party  
4:30 – 5:30 p.m. in ED 562

**Tuesday, December 18**

APT & CUPE Staff Meeting  
2:00 – 3:30 p.m. in ED 560

**Monday, December 24**

University closes at 3:00 p.m.

**Tues. Dec. 25 – Tues. Jan. 1**

University Closed

## Faculty Council – December 7

Mark your calendars to attend our Faculty Council meeting on:

**Date:** Friday, December 7

**Time:** 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

**Place:** ED 623

Agenda items include a presentation regarding the Prince’s Charities initiative and a number of motions from the Undergraduate Program Committee.

## ICBC First Round Results

For a second year in a row, students at the Paul J. Hill School of Business placed in the top six of 38 universities in the preliminary round of the annual Inter-Collegiate Business Competition. They are joined by University of Calgary, Concordia University, Simon Fraser University, University of Alberta, and the University of British Columbia.

Representing the University of Regina in the finals are **Courtney Kozakewycz** and **Celine Raisbeck** (Human Resources) with faculty coach **Sean Tucker**; **Leah Cameron** and **Megan Kusisto** (Marketing) with **Tatiana Levit** as faculty coach; and **Mike Brown** and **Taylor Mountain** (Debate) with **Lisa Watson** as faculty coach.

If you are interested in following our ICBC teams at the final round at Queen’s University you can “like” them on Facebook. See

<http://www.facebook.com/hillicbc>.

## Faculty Recruiting

The Faculty is recruiting two new positions:

- Tenure track position at the level of Assistant Professor in the area of Strategic Management
- Tenure track position at the level of Instructor in the area of Accounting

## In the Community

**Shelagh Campbell** joined the Ecole Massey Grade 8 social studies class on November 16th to discuss multinational corporations, the ethics of food production and how to conduct research using the internet.

## Dean’s Research Grant – January 14

The next deadline for the Dean’s Research Grant program is **January 14, 2013**. Faculty members can apply for up to \$5,000 once each fiscal year by completing the 2-page Dean’s Research Grant application form at:

[http://www.uregina.ca/admin/Faculty\\_Information/dean\\_research\\_grant.html](http://www.uregina.ca/admin/Faculty_Information/dean_research_grant.html)

Please see **Ron Camp** if you need the password for the website.

## Acting Dean

**David Senkow** will be Acting Dean from December 3 to 6.

**Brian Schumacher** will be Acting Dean from December 12 to 20.

## Walk-Ins

**Dean Andrew Gaudes** will be scheduling a "Walk-In" hour each day to allow Faculty and Staff the opportunity to pop in with any questions/comments/concerns. For December his "Walk-In" times are as follows:

- Fri. Dec. 7 from 2:00 - 3:00
- Mon. Dec. 10 from 3:00 - 4:00
- Tues. Dec. 12 from 8:30 - 9:30

Of course you are always welcome to schedule an appointment if you have a matter that requires extra time etc.

## Holiday Party

The Faculty will be having a Holiday Cocktail Party on Friday, December 7 in the Sunlight Room at the Science Centre. This will be a come and go cocktail party from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. with finger foods and a cash bar. Please RSVP to **Kelly-Ann McLeod** if you plan to attend.

## University Closed Dec. 25 – Jan. 3

Please note that the University of Regina will close at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, December 24, and will remain closed from Tuesday, December 25 to Tuesday, January 1 inclusive. If you think you will need access to the Education building during these dates and you do not already have an access card, please contact **Devon Anderson**, our Faculty Administrator.

## National Mining Competition

The National Mining Competition is Saskatchewan and Canada's first undergraduate mining case competition. In this inaugural year, teams from across North America were challenged to solve an innovative mining strategy case relevant to business issues facing firms within the Canadian mining sector. Undergraduate students from the faculties of business, geology, engineering, and others, were invited to team up and compete for first place honours in this unparalleled mining-industry event.

The U of R team consisting of **Kirk Morrison, Mitch Clarke** and **Tom Reimer** placed first in this year's competition! It was a great learning experience for all students involved and the Conference attracted industry leaders from companies like Cameco, Claude Resources, K+S Potash, PotashCorp and BHP Billiton. The team presented their championship presentation in front a panel of 12 mining executives on November 5.

## Progress2Capital

**Adam Reeson**, a 2012 graduate of the Hill School of Business was the winner of the Progress2Capital Planning Competition for his company Reeson Premium Signs. **Bruce Anderson** and **Chris Street** worked with Adam in Bruce's New Venture Creation class and with his entry into PNWER competition, where he was a top three finalist. Adam built a start-up in the Entrepreneurship major and Bruce has continued to meet with him since. Congratulations to Adam!

## Student Recognition

**Winnia Zhang**, a graduate of the Hill School of Business, was a recipient of the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal. Winnia was honoured for her work with Dress for Success Regina, as both a volunteer and board member. Dress for Success is a non-profit organization that serves low-income women in the Regina area who are stepping into an office employment environment for the first time. The organization provides women with appropriate office wear, career planning, and skills for the transition into the work force.

## Did you know...

20% of students currently in our faculty come to us through the High School Excellence program.

5% of students currently in our faculty come to us through our 2+2 programs with Xiamen and Hunan University

43% of students currently in our faculty are in our Qualifying Programs.

62% of our part time students are female while 50% of our full time students are female

In Fall 2012 we celebrated 104 students completing their program compared with 91 the previous fall (80 students with BBA and 24 with Diplomas...the year before it was 77 Bachelors and 14 Diplomas.)

In Fall 2011 50% of our new students came from SK high schools, this year it's decreased by 8% (that's students who actually come and take classes).

There has been a 3.71% decrease in students taking a full course load\* from Fall 2011 to Fall 2012

(\*a full course load is 9 credit hours or more)

This information is brought to you courtesy of **Danette Andrews**.