Spring 2008 Calendar
Jan. 24  Last day to drop/add/register late for Spring
March 3-9 Mid Semester Vacation
NO CLASSES all week
Mar 17  Last day to apply for May 2008 graduation
Mar 19  Last day to withdraw from Spring courses
March 20-23  Easter Vacation
NO CLASSES
Mar 24  Advance registration for Summer 08
May 1   Last day of classes for Spring
May 3   Commencement

Summer Session I - May 12 - June 30
Summer Session II - July 1 - August 18
Summer III - May 12 - August 18
Fall 2008 starts August 26, 2008

Graduation Application Form
If you plan to graduate May 3, 2008 please submit a completed Application for Graduation form to the Registrar by March 17, 2008. The form is on-line on the Registrar’s page and in the Brennan School of Business. You may also wish to make an appointment with your advisor, Linda Puvogel, lpuvogel@dom.edu, to verify you have completed all required coursework.

Tax Assistance Program (TAP) Volunteers
For anyone interested in preparing tax returns as a Tax Assistance Program volunteer, please attend a brief information session on Thursday, January 17 at 2:15 in Lewis 334. Details on preparer requirements and on-campus training will be provided. No previous experience is required. Contact: Steve Harrington (708)524-6773

You may have read that Edward Brennan Died on Thursday December 27, 2007. We honor his memory and send condolences to his widow, Lois, and his family.

CareerFest
Friday, February 1, 2008
9:00 - 11:30am and 12:30 - 3:00pm
Drury Lane in Oak Brook Terrace
See iscpa.org

CareerFest is the annual job fair, open only to students and alumni of ISCPA schools (Dominican is one of them). If you are looking for a summer internship or a full time position, CareerFest could be the best avenue for you. There are currently 120 companies registered for CareerFest, including: AT&T, CBS, Chase, Follett, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, IRS, McMaster Carr, Northrop Grummon, The Field Museum and Zurich.

$10 early registration by January 25
$20 registration at the door

Early registration is centralized and accepted only at the Academic Enrichment Center - Parmer 010. Checks for $10 payable to: Dominican University.

Professional Dress - Bring Many Resumes
A current list of registered employers is available on the iscpa.org website and on the board outside the Brennan School of Business Office.

Prep for CareerFest
Target Corporation Executives will be at Dominican for a CareerFest Prep Night. If you want some tips on how to work the room at CareerFest, please come and get some timely advice.
When: Thursday, January 31, 2008
Time: 4:00 - 6:00 pm
Space limited to 50 students - response required via e-mail. Pizza will be served.
RSVP: hope.heiser@target.com

If you can not attend the Prep night or have other questions about CareerFest, contact Grace at gwhiting@dom.edu or 708-524-6456 (Lewis Hall 202)

Accountant - A bi-lingual Accountant (Polish) is needed at Comarch, Inc. Please send your resume to: Agnieszka.Raszewska@comarch.com The company is located at 10 W. 35th Street, Chicago. Great entry level opportunity.
Brennan School of Business
Spring 2008 Lecture Series

Social Entrepreneurship: One Man’s Journey
Thomas M. Owens, Owens Foundation
Founder of the Cara Program
Tuesday, January 22, 7:00 p.m.
Bluhm Auditorium, Parmer Hall

Understanding What Your Career is in Today’s Corporate Environment
Paul Schneider, Partner, SSP BPI Group
Monday, April 7, 7:00 p.m.
Bluhm Auditorium, Parmer Hall

Annual Business Forum on Corporate Governance
Limited Seating
Friday, April 25, 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
University Club of Chicago
76 E. Monroe, Chicago

For more information on the series, call: the Brennan School of Business - 708-524-6810

Scholarships
REACH is pleased to announce the “REACH Your Goals” Scholarship Program for the fall 2008 term. This program is designed to assist the growing number of adult learners who are returning to college. REACH scholarships may be used towards the cost of attendance at your institution as determined by the financial aid department. See www.reach-chicago.org for guidelines and for the application. Deadline: February 8, 2008. Up to four (4) $1,500 scholarships will be awarded.

Women in Accounting
The Margaret Keldie Scholarship Fund supported by ASWA - American Society of Women Accountants. Selection criteria includes: the academic record, potential contribution to the accounting profession, college transcript, reference letters and a personal interview. (Financial need is NOT a criteria and Illinois residency is not required) Scholarships of $1,500 for full time and $800 for part time students are available. See: www.aswachicago.org to download the forms. Deadline: February 22, 2008.

William G. McGowan Scholarship
The William G. McGowan Charitable Fund has selected Dominican University as a McGowan Scholars Academic Institution for the 2008-2009 academic year. The scholarship covers the full actual tuition cost for the academic year, up to a maximum of $18,000.

We are very fortunate to be honored with this funding. The McGowan Scholars Program, administered by the William G. McGowan Charitable Fund, was named in honor of the contributions made by the founder and chairman of MCI Communications Corporations to the fields of business, telecommunications and entrepreneurship. The scholarship hopes to recognize academic achievement, excellence in performance, leadership ability and involvement in academic and community activities.

The Scholarship award period is for the 2008/2009 academic year and covers the full tuition costs. The scholarship recipient must agree to be a full time student for that period (full time defined as 3 courses in Fall and 3 courses in Spring). Mr. McGowan believed a new perspective is gained by full time attendance and wanted to pass this insight and experience to students. The McGowan Scholar will be selected on the following criteria:

1. Minimum 3.0 GPA
2. Two Business Faculty recommendations
3. Completion (at the time of application) of at least one semester of graduate business study at the Brennan School of Business.
4. An essay of 1000 words or more on the contributions of William G. McGowan to today’s business world in general and to the telecommunications field in particular. The essay must be in standard APA format, with a minimum of four references.
5. Scholarly achievement, leadership qualities, character excellence and community involvement and service

DEADLINE: March 1, 2008.

To Apply: Pick up your application packet from the Brennan School of Business Office, Lewis 203. Submit required materials as stipulated in the packet, to:
The Brennan School of Business, Lewis 203
Attn: Grace Whiting

The main number to Dominican University is:
708-366-2490
Put it in your speed dial
Answered 24/7