



## IN THE KNOW



### Disney Fall Recruiting begins

Each semester the Job Resource Center Internship Program partners with the Disney College Program to bring Disney Florida recruiter Randy Gonzalez on campus to give presentations. Students can participate in an internship either in Anaheim California at Disneyland Resort or in Orlando, Florida at Walt Disney World Resort. Moraine Valley sends an average of 14 students each semester to participate at either Disneyland or Walt Disney World. Moraine Valley ranks in the top 15% among colleges and universities and in the top 5% among community colleges in student recruitment, retention and successful completion of the Disney College Program. Recruiting season ends Nov. 4, 2011. For more information and to inquire about your eligibility, please contact: Marie Harrell, Internship Manager, at [harrellm3@morainevalley.edu](mailto:harrellm3@morainevalley.edu). Apply at [www.disneycollegeprogram.com](http://www.disneycollegeprogram.com)

## UPCOMING EVENT

### INTERNSHIP EMPLOYER PANEL

NOV. 3, 2011

Building L, Library Lounge 3-5 pm

The **Fall 2011 Internship Employer Panel will be held in the Library Lounge on Thursday**. The panel will educate students on the benefits of obtaining an internship and how it can contribute to their academic, professional and personal success, and how having an internship also leads to retention and completion. Among the employers on the panel discussion are: The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms; Country Financial; Carousel Checks; Culinary Arts Department; Disney College Program Alum; and Spring Hill Suites. Employers will discuss what they look for in an intern and the importance of students participating in an internship. The students also will have an opportunity to ask questions.

## INDUSTRY NEWS

### Different Types of Internships for College Students

By Deborah Federico

A recent study by the National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) found that 42 % of seniors with internship experience who applied for a job received at least one job offer, compared to only 31 % of seniors who had no internship experience. So, as tempting as it is to return to your summer lifeguarding position, you don't need to be convinced of the importance of doing an internship.

For more information, [Different types of Internships](#).

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## WHAT'S NEW/WORKSHOPS

### JRC INTERNSHIP ORIENTATION

In an effort to streamline the services and to reach more students, the Job Resource Center is offering internship orientations on Mondays from 10-11a.m. and Thursdays from 11-noon. Students must register by calling (708) 974-5737

### OUTREACH MARKETING/STUDENT RECRUITMENT CAMPAIGN

Last semester the Internship Manager outreached to the student organizations of color to assist in redesigning the marketing flyer for the Internship Program. The reason was to increase the participation of students of color in the Internship Program and to help with recruitment, retention, and completion here at Moraine Valley. The Asian Diversity student organization won the redesign campaign and the Alliance of Latin American Students (ALAS) won the student recruitment campaign.

### FALL WORKSHOPS

JRC Career Workshops are held throughout the semester on a variety of topics. For more information please go to [morainevalley.edu/jrc](http://morainevalley.edu/jrc) or [collegecentral.com/morainevalley](http://collegecentral.com/morainevalley)

If you would like more information about the Internship Program, please contact Marie Harrell, Internship Manager, at (708) 974-5737 or Job Resource Center at [www.morainevalley.edu/jrc](http://www.morainevalley.edu/jrc)