UNCW Communication Studies Society

March 2009

Mission

The purpose of the UNCW Communication Studies Society is to prepare members for a clear understanding of the communication field and to provide networking opportunities with peers and professionals in communication related fields.

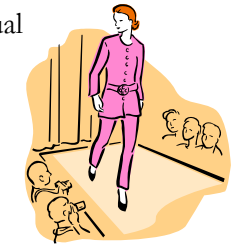
Leadership Workshop

Are you interested in becoming more involved in CSS? Then consider running for an executive board position for next year! CSS will hold a leadership workshop during our regular meeting on Wed., March 18th to talk about the different positions available. Learn about what each of the board members does and have the opportunity to test your leadership skills. Applications for board positions are due April 1st by 7:00 pm and will be distributed at the meeting.

CSS Website

Check out our official CSS website at http://student.uncw.edu/org/css.

Fashion Show



CSS will host its 7th Annual Dress for Success Fashion Show, "Fashion to the Rescue" on Fri., March 27th at 12:15 pm in the Warwick Center Ballroom. Learn how to dress for an interview and on the job from fellow COM majors, who will model attire provided by Banana Republic. Skits produced by the Studio Television Production class will be broadcast during intermission. Admission is free and the event is open to the general public. Event attendees will have the opportunity to win fun prizes from local businesses. Partial funding was provided by SGA. For more info, contact co-event coordinator Amanda Frasca at arf9040@uncw.edu.

Raffle and Auction

Support COM department scholarships by purchasing raffle tickets and placing a bid in our silent auction on COM Studies Day. Look for us in Leutze Hall during the panels and at the Warwick Center during the fashion show! Contact Susan Surey (ses7946@uncw.edu) for more information or to help donate items.

COM Studies Day

Exercise those networking skills by attending COM Studies Day on Fri., March 27th! COM alumni will participate in two panel discussions in Leutze 125 (TV studio) to talk about their careers and life post-UNCW. Don't miss this opportunity to learn from others who have been in your shoes. The morning panel, with representatives from Lenovo, DREAMS of Wilmingon, RBW Integrated Marketing, Anderson Group Public Relations, W.W. Grainger Inc, and General Electric, will be held from 10:00-11:00 am. The afternoon panel will be held from 2:00-3:00 pm, and features representatives from WWAY News Channel 3, Acosta Sales and Marketing, The Cape Fear Public Transportation Authority, Walt Disney World Resort, and North Carolina Central University. This is a great chance to practice your professional handshake and to collect valuable business contacts (and business cards). Thirty minute networking sessions held immediately after each panel will be held in the Leutze Hall Lobby. Admission is free and open to the public. Arrive early, as seating is limited!

Relay for Life

Cancer affects everyone, so help us find a cure! Relay for Life is our big spring service project, and right now you can sign up to be on the CSS team! To register,

--Go to the official Relay website at www.relayforlife.org/NewHanover.
--Click on the "Sign-Up" link.
--Then click on "Join a Team.
--Search for "UNCW CSS" team name.
--Click on "UNCW CSS" (which will be highlighted in blue next to Taylor Bailey's name).
--Then click "Join Our Team" option.
--There is a $10 registration fee. If you choose to pay by cash or check, you need to turn it in to Taylor.

The date of the walk is on Friday, April 24th. The time our team will be there is to TBA. You can still raise money if you cannot attend the walk. Earn points for raising money under the CSS team. Contact Taylor if you have any questions at ctb8397@uncw.edu.

Need Points?

Contact Sean (som3281@uncw.edu) about bringing food and refreshments to meetings and events. It's easy as pie! Or lend Kelly (kjp2745@uncw.edu) a hand with securing door prizes for our meeting raffles.

Media Panel Thanks

Thank you to everyone who came out to our ALL ACCESS media panel on February 11th! Special thanks to our panelists and to moderator Sean McBride for their efforts in making the event a success!

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Important Dates

March 4……..…MMOM
7:00 pm, LH 143
March 7-15…...……Spring Break
March 16……....PCOM Advising Begins
March 18……..CSS Meeting
7:00 pm, LH 143
March 27…….COM Studies Day Fashion Show
April 1…..Officer Applications Due
Award Applications Due
CSS Meeting
7:00 pm, LH 143