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News and Events

Talk the Talk

Ask questions, share ideas, and discuss GSU's future at the next Chat with the President. Join President Maimon and other university administrators on Tuesday, November 11, at 6 p.m., in the Cafeteria Annex. As an added incentive, pizza will be available to all who attend. See you there.

GSU Goes Global

The CenterPoint for Entrepreneurs at GSU is joining the international celebration of Global Entrepreneurship Week from November 17 through 21. The entire university community is encouraged to join in the weeklong series of free events.

Trivia Competitions: Pop-Culture Meets Entrepreneurship - Test your knowledge and win big prizes with a series of quizzes on entrepreneurial films, corporate logo recognition, and product names that are used as nouns. *Open to GSU students only.*

November 17-21

Free Business Clinic - Meet with an expert business consultant to discuss starting a new business or growing your current one. Consultations are confidential and one-on-one.

November 17-21

9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The CenterPoint for Entrepreneurs (Room C-3300)

Artrepreneur Panel - You've unlocked your creative potential, but how do you unlock your business potential? A panel of successful artists will discuss being an artist *and* making money.

November 17

7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Cafeteria Annex

Meet the Entrepreneur - Avoid pitfalls and build on the success of those who have gone before you. Learn business secrets from Rich Crews, longtime entrepreneur and owner of Behold Signs in Midlothian.

November 18

5 to 6 p.m.

The CenterPoint for Entrepreneurs (Room C-3300)

Visit the [CenterPoint](#) website or call 708.534.4929 for full event details.

Free Concert at CPA

Chicago College of Performing Arts Symphony Orchestra and the Conservatory Chorus from Roosevelt University will perform at the Center For Performing Arts, on Tuesday, November 17, at 7:30 p.m.

Stephen Squires, Orchestral Conductor and Cheryl Frazes Hill, Choral Conductor, will lead the orchestra and chorus in the performance of works by Debussy, Bruckner, Wagner, and Ravel.

This concert is free and open to the public.

ScholarShip Sails to Spain

On October 10, Eric Wignall, of GSU's Center for Online Teaching and Learning, made a presentation at the 2008 SLATE (Supporting Learning & Technology in Education) conference in Chicago. The Presentation was entitled *Digital, virtual, and more: Designing low-cost online media for learning*. This week, he travels to Cordoba, Spain to present *Managing evidence sources using Web 2.0 technologies* at the 12th International Nursing Research Conference (the 6th Biennial Joanna Briggs Colloquium).

GSU Lincoln Laureate

Each year, an outstanding senior from each of the four-year degree granting institutions of higher learning in Illinois is named a Student Laureate of The Lincoln Academy of Illinois.

This year's Lincoln Laureate from GSU is Sheryl Yarbough of Chicago Heights. Yarbough exemplifies the characteristics of Lincoln Laureates who are chosen for their commitment to the principles of democracy and humanity as embodied by Abraham Lincoln. She was also honored for her excellence in curricular and extracurricular activities.

Yarbough returned to college after an absence of more than 20 years. She earned her B.A. in Interdisciplinary Learning, with High Honors, from Governors State University in August. Her extracurricular activities

include Student Senator, Chair of the Student and Academic Affairs Committee, and Secretary for the Student Senate. She is a student mentor and a GSU University Honors Scholar.

Currently, Yarbough is working on her self-developed internship, which involves raising money to help fund the GSU Promise. She is also studying for her M.A. in Communication and Training.

Certification Alternative

Learn how to earn elementary teacher certification while receiving a salary and securing a teaching position through GSU's Alternative Certification Program. Information sessions will be held on November 19, December 1, and December 10, at 7 p.m., in E-Lounge.

This program is open to college graduates with five years work experience after receiving a bachelor's degree. The application deadline for the Alternative Certification program, beginning Spring 2009, is December 15.

For more information on [Alternative Certification](#), call ext. 4987.

BSU at GSU

Enjoy holiday music, delicious refreshments, good company, and good cheer at the BSU Holiday Stress Reliever. This break from the mundane is on December 10, from noon to 4 p.m., in the Hall of Governors. A live band will entertain. Dancing or singing along is encouraged. Relaxing, socializing, and a few laughs are required. Join the fun.

