

# Career Bound

# The UCD Career Development Centre Weekly Update

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## **CAREERS SEMINARS**

The Career Development Centre team is hosting daily seminars here in the centre on careers-related topics over the course of the coming weeks. The seminars are open to all students, but as spaces are limited, we ask that students register to attend in advance with the reception desk at the centre. The following seminars are scheduled for this week:

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April @ 12pm: CVs and Cover Letters. Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April @ 12pm: Interview Preparation. Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> April @ 12pm: Personal Statements.

## **QUICK QUERY SCHEDULE**

We offer a free drop in Quick Query service with our careers advisers here at the Career Development Centre. Slots are approximately 10 to 15 minutes in length and are available on a first come/first serve basis with no appointment needed. To ensure getting a place, we advise students to arrive early, but no earlier than 10 minutes before the service starts. This week's schedule is as follows:

Monday 12th April:11am to 3pm.Tuesday 13th April:11am to 3pm.Wednesday 14th April:1pm to 3pm.Thursday 15th April:11am to 1pm.

### CAREERS EVENTS THIS WEEK

Wednesday April 14th - UCD Smurfit School Open Evening

Venue:	UCD Smurfit School, Blackrock, Co. Dublin
Time:	4pm - 7pm

Friday April 16th - East Point Business Park Jobs Fair

Venue:	Ground Floor, Estuary House, Eastpoint Business Park, Dublin 3.
Time:	10.30am - 2.30pm; 5pm - 8pm

# SPOTLIGHT: Marketing Network "Marketing Student of The Year Award"

Marketing Network wants to give a Marketing Students 3 months paid work experience & €1,000 in flight vouchers. Now in it's 11th year, the award aspires to find a promising student that can develop and present a creative marketing concept.

To enter all you need to do is submit a 2,000 word marketing paper which can be an extract from your thesis or an independent paper. The paper can be either a real life case study from a company or an original marketing plan. Finalists will then be invited to present in front of a panel of leading marketing experts. Find out more about this exciting opportunity by checking out their website at www.marketingnetwork.ie or checking them out on Facebook.

Please visit: www.ucd.ie/careers for a full list of all current vacancies, internships and events.

## SPOTLIGHT: i-to-i "Teach English in Thailand" Internship

i-to-i's brand new Teach in Thailand Internship offers the perfect mix of travel, teaching experience and TEFL training – ideal for those who want to experience Thailand's incredible culture, but have never taught English abroad before.

Interns receive a living allowance of 12,500 baht per month, then get a 12,500 baht bonus at the end of their internship, so will have plenty of cash to make the most of their spare time in Thailand, with it's gorgeous beaches, energetic cities and lush countryside. Plus, unlike most travellers, interns will really get to experience this vibrant country's culture as they live and work alongside local people. There's no need to have any previous teaching/TEFL experience or the ability to speak Thai to take part either, the program is open to any fluent English-speaking graduate. It costs €1410, which includes a comprehensive 140 hour TEFL course.

Those who want to take part will need to hurry though – there are only 50 intern spaces available and all applications MUST be received by 23rd April 2010. Those wanting more information should call i-to-i on 058 40050 or visit http://www.onlinetefl.com/teaching-internships/thailand/

## SPOTLIGHT: Korean Government "Talk Program"

The TaLK (Teach and Learn in Korea) program, sponsored by the Korean Ministry of Education, Science & Technology, invites undergraduates and graduates who are seeking to expand their multi-cultural experiences and are passionate about teaching young Korean learners. Participants teach after-school English classes 15 hours per week at Korean elementary schools in rural areas; This provides ample time for you to fulfill your own personal endeavours while not working. Visit http://www.talk.go.kr for more information.

## **JOB VACANCIES**

#### Nolan & Partners - Trainee Accountant - Dublin 18.

Nolan & Partners are looking for an enthusiastic business graduate to join their growing practice as a trainee accountant. A basic understanding of accounting is essential. A comprehensive training programme will be provided. Email CV and covering letter to sonyap@nolanmurray.ie. Closing date for applications: 30th April 2010.

#### Horeswood Nurseries – Trainee Grower Supervisor – New Ross, Co. Wexford.

The ideal candidate will be a highly motivated team player with a recognised qualification in Horticulture, Agriculture or Food Science, and 2+ years work experience in a modern nursery. Supervisory experience while not essential will be a distinct advantage. He/she must be able to demonstrate excellent communication, interpersonal, and decision making skills and be willing to learn. Apply by sending a CV and covering letter to The Managing Director, Horsewood Nurseries, Ballinamona, Campile, New Ross, Co. Wexford.

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#### Man Group - AHL Research Developer - Oxford, UK.

Applicants should have PhD or experienced MSc/Part III in quantitative research in maths, science, engineering or computer science; Fluent R or Python and at least one of C, C++, or Java; confidence with Linux, Unix or similar; Mathematical skills to 1st year post-graduate and excellent analytical skills; Experience in statistical analysis and modelling, optimisation algorithms, data visualisation, preferably with relation to large data sets.

Contact Louise Lahiff at louise.lahiff@mangroupplc.com for more details.

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#### Nada Dairy - Sales Management Program - Saudi Arabia.

Nada Dairy is looking for a graduate of with a degree in Business, Commerce, Marketing, Management, or Sales to join it's staff in Saudi Arabia as Sales Supervisors in a Sales Management Program. Visit http://tinyurl.com/ucd-nadadairyjob for more information.

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#### Kaycan International - Office Manager - Dublin.

Applicant should be fluent in French Third; Have third level qualification in Business Administration or related; Have experience in a role requiring proactive financial management; In depth knowledge and experience with Oracle ERP or similar accounts package; Demonstrate excellent interpersonal, relationship building and communication skills. Have excellent written communication skills. Have expert knowledge and experience with Microsoft Excel, Word, Outlook essential. Applications by email together with a CV to francis.lynch@flco.ie.

# **TRAINEESHIPS & INTERNSHIPS**

#### MKO Partners - Accounting Summer Internship (Unpaid) - Dublin 18.

6 week unpaid summer internship program, beginning in May 2010. Applicants must have achieved a strictly minimum 2.1 average in exams to date. Contact Emma Rock at emma.rock@mko.ie for more details.

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#### MKO Partners - Trainee Chartered Accountant - Dublin 18.

Commencing in Autumn 2010. Applicants must have achieved a strictly minimum 2.1 degree. Contact Emma Rock at emma.rock@mko.ie for more details.

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